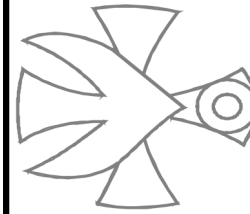


**Sunday, 15 May, 2022
Fifth Sunday of Easter**

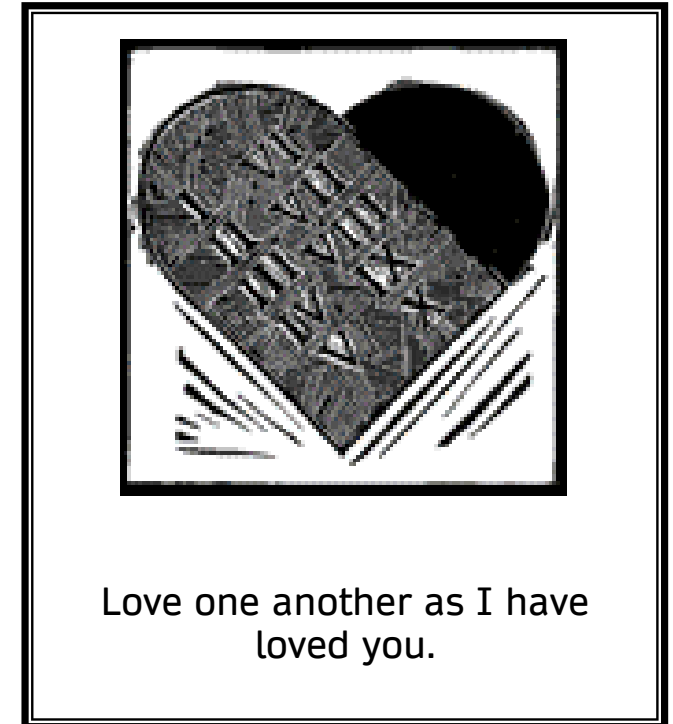


**CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT - ANGLICAN PARISH OF
ALGESTER**

362 Algester Road, Algester Q. 4115

Our Parish's Mission

***We share meaning, purpose and direction for today
and hope for tomorrow through Jesus Christ.***



Love one another as I have loved you.

Special Communion Bread is available for people who have gluten intolerance - see Rev'd Denis.

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Date	15-5-22 Fifth Sunday of Easter		22-5-22 Sixth Sunday of Easter	
Colour	White		White	
Theme	Love one another as I have loved you		The Father will send the Holy Spirit in my name	
Readings	Acts 11.1-18 Ps 148 Revelation 21.1-6 John 13.31-35		Acts 16.9-15 Ps 67 Revelation 21.10-14, 22-22.5 John 14.23-29	
Roster	7.00am	9.00am	7.00am	9.00am
Worship	Rev Maurice Collins	Rev Maurice Collins	Rev Trevor Butler	Rev Trevor Butler
Preacher	Rev Maurice Collins	Rev Maurice Collins	Rev Trevor Butler	Rev Trevor Butler
LA Leader	Margurita Smethurst	Ian Nelson	Rosemary Kake	Dianne Bocquee
Greeter	-	-	-	Joan Harvey
Sidesperson	Robyn Brodie	Joan Harvey	Kay Morris	Julie Elliker
Reader 1	Michael Po Saw	Jenny Bullock	Robert Kake	Julie Elliker
Reader 2	James Sloan	Sandra Pearn	Norm Booth	Carol Booth
Offertory	Robyn Brodie	Joan Harvey	Kay Morris	Julie Elliker
Chapel Prayers	-	Dianne Bocquee	Margurita Smethurst	Carol Booth
Morning Tea	Sharon/Hugh	Jenny/Ruth	Kay Morris	Malini/Cecilia
Music Leader	Ruth Barton	Ruth Barton	Michael Po Saw	Glenn Rehbein
AV Operator	Kay O'Brien	Ian/Rhonda	Adrian Scott	Chris/Malini
Prayers of the people for the day	Carol Booth		Sandra Pearn	
Counting	Joan Harvey		Kerry Tovey	
S.School Yahweh Youth		Children stay in church		Kerry/Jenny
Retirement Village Ministry Team				
Baptism				

Readings from NRSV Used with Permission

Service Times
CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
 362 Algester Road, Algester

HOLY COMMUNION
Sundays 7.00am & 9.00am

Baptisms, Weddings and Pastoral Services
 by arrangement

SUNDAY SCHOOL & YAHWEH YOUTH
Sundays during 9.00am worship

Pastoral Care & Home Communions
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Prayers of the people:

Father, You have been our help, our strength, our shelter through ages past, and our resurrection Light, as Christ our Lord rose from the dead. Come to us in these days of disruption and doubt, with the bright light of Your Presence, so that we can put our trust in Your powerful Love, through all the challenges we face.

Jesus come among us : **in your risen power**

We thank You for the nations of the world, and the diversity of people .. both friend and those who have been our foe. We pray for Your Loving Presence in places where there is unrest and people fight for freedom from oppression. Comfort and guide those who seek freedom but suffer trauma, and need Your Peace. We pray for the leaders of all nations and governments; for all in authority, that they will choose wisdom, integrity and respect in their dealings with people for whom they have responsibility. We ask that you will guide and bless the results of our federal elections, so that leaders of Your choosing will guide us into the years ahead, and this nation will turn again to You in faith and hope.

Jesus come among us : **and hear our prayer**

Father God, we pray for those who lead the church. We thank you for them, especially that you have called them to this task – to be shepherds of your flock – sharing the faith that you have given them. Thank you for Rev. Denis and his family, and be with him as he works among us, that he will be blessed as he is a blessing to us. Please guide and direct the choosing of our new pastor, that the one chosen will be a person to renew, refresh and revive our worship of you in this place, and grow our church to be strong for You.

Jesus come among us : **and guide our steps**

Merciful God, we thank You for our families, friends and the community of neighbours we share our lives with. We pray for all who serve this community in schools, hospitals, other places of care and healing, police and emergency services, also transport, shops and other places of work. Sometimes the needs are pressing and the stresses are many, but we pray that this community will be a blessing, and a place of safety, to those who share it.

We pray for Your healing comfort to bless those who are ill, or suffering – whether physical, emotional or spiritual, at this time. Guide them and draw them close to You, so they will know Your Love, Hope and Peace in their lives. We bring to you now those who are on our parish prayer list... and those in our hearts...

Jesus come among us : **and grant us your peace**

Gracious God, thank you for all those saints who have gone before us, and shared their stories and faith, to enrich our lives. Grant grace and eternal peace and rest to the departed.

Jesus come among us in Your risen power : **and hear our prayer**

We ask these things in Jesus' precious Name, who taught us to pray -

Our Father in heaven ..

MEN'S DINNER

MONDAY 16TH MAY

Algester Sports Club

Endiandra St, Algester

6.30pm for 7pm

Contact: Hugh Everton
0412 091 479

for details or to add your name to
the clipboard in church foyer.

OPEN CHURCH PRAYER MORNING

**Saturday 21 May
9am - midday**

We will continue to open the church for prayer on the third Saturday of each month this year from 9.00 till 12.00.

If there is a time when you need to spend time in quiet prayer, or would like someone to pray with you, please take advantage of the open church.

W.I.S.H - WHAT'S IN STORE HERE

Sunday, May 15, 2022

Today

7.00am Holy Communion

9.00am Holy Communion

PARISH WEBSITE

Just a reminder that we post all our Pewsheets and special announcements on our website so if you miss a Sunday, you can catch up on things you need to know about.

Check out:

www.algesteranglican.org.au

: scroll down to the bottom of the home-page and the link to the **Pewsheets** is on the footer at the bottom. Click on this and you will go to a page where the four more recent pewsheets will show.

OCEAN CRUSADERS

This organisation in SE Qld is working on a programme to ensure plastic caps don't end up in the environment. Instead they are recycled to create new products.

We can all help by collecting our own plastic caps [e.g. milk, cream, juice etc], give them a quick rinse and remove the white covering from inside, save them up, and bring them into church. There is a labelled box in the foyer and Fr Denis will then ensure these get to the collection centre.

Forthcoming Events

Monday, 16 May	6.30 for 7pm	Men's Dinner - Algester Sports Club: see clipboard
Tuesday, 17 May	7.00pm	Parish Council
Friday, 20 May	10.00am	Mainly Music
Saturday, 21 May	9am-midday	Open Prayer Morning: see pg.6

Facebook

To keep you up to date on the latest news, visit our Facebook page -
Holy Spirit Anglican Church

MISSION - MAY

Anglican Aid Abroad

As we pray for those in need ...

Denver Everton; Alice Hudson; Allan; Carol; Dianne; Blake Howe; Katherine; Susan; Tammy, John; Kim; Ray; Karen; Jeanette Stevenson; Tony Johnson; Sally; Murray; Mary and Ian Loweke; Christina; Sam, Jonathan; Sandra S; Michael Selby; Barbara; Carolynn Ford; Zach and family; Bill; Rod; Jenny & Bough; Paul; Carita; Thelma

PRAYER AND READINGS

THEME: LOVE ONE ANOTHER AS I HAVE LOVED YOU.

SENTENCE:

'I give you a new commandment,' says the Lord, 'that you love one another. As I have loved you, you also should love one another.'

John 13.34

OUR PARISH PRAYER:

Heavenly Father,
help us to grow in love, faith and obedience
as we discover meaning and direction for
Today and hope for tomorrow
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

We behold your glory, O God,
in the love shown by your Son,
lifted up on the cross and exalted on high:
be glorified anew in the love we have for one
another
as disciples of the risen Lord Jesus,
who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the
Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**

A READING FROM ACTS, CHAPTER 11, VERSES 1-18:

Now the apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, 'Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?' Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, 'I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet

coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, "Get up, Peter; kill and eat." But I replied, "By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth." But a second time the voice answered from heaven, "What God has made clean, you must not call profane." This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, "Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved." And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, "John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?' When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, 'Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life.'

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF PSALMS:

PSALM 148

- 1 Praise the Lord, praise the Lord from heaven:
O praise him in the heights.
- 2 **Praise him, all his angels:
O praise him, all his host.**

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- 3 Praise him, sun and moon:
praise him, all you stars of light.
- 4 **Praise him, you highest heaven:
and you waters that are above the heavens.**
- 5 Let them praise the name of the Lord:
for he commanded and they were made.
- 6 **He established them for ever and ever:
he made an ordinance which shall not pass away.**
- 7 O praise the Lord from the earth:
praise him, you sea-monsters and all deeps;
- 8 **Fire and hail, mist and snow:
and storm-wind fulfilling his command;**
- 9 Mountains and all hills:
fruit trees and all cedars;
- 10 **Beasts of the wild, and all cattle:
creeping things and winged birds;**
- 11 Kings of the earth, and all peoples:
princes, and all rulers of the world;
- 12 **Young men and maidens:
old folk and children together.**
- 13 Let them praise the name of the Lord:
for his name alone is exalted.
- 14 **His glory is above earth and heaven:
and he has lifted high the horn of his people.**
- 15 Therefore he is the praise of all his servants:
of the children of Israel, a people that is near him. Praise the Lord.

**A READING FROM THE REVELATION TO JOHN,
CHAPTER 21, VERSES 1-6:**

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more.
And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

'See, the home of God is among mortals.
He will dwell with them;
they will be his peoples,
and God himself will be with them;
he will wipe every tear from their eyes.
Death will be no more;
mourning and crying and pain will be no more,
for the first things have passed away.'

And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.' Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.

Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

**THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
ACCORDING TO JOHN, CHAPTER 13, VERSES 31-35:**

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

When he had gone out, Jesus said, 'Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, "Where I am going, you cannot come." I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ