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THIS COMING WEEK IN THE PARISH

TUESDAY	3rd	7.00pm	Parish Council
FRIDAY	May 6th	10.00am	Eucharist
SATURDAY	7th	6.30pm	Fellowship Dinner
SUNDAY	May 8th	7.30am 9.00am	Eucharist Family Eucharist
ROSTERED DUTIES 8/5	7.30 AM	9.00AM	
L.A.'S	Vanessa	Roland and Sarah	
READER	Vanessa	James Swanson	
INTERCESSOR	Robert	Roland	
MORNING TEA		Volunteer	
WELCOMERS	Allan and Felicity	Tony	
FLOWERS	Caroline		
CHURCH CLEANING	Sue and Kym		

COVID: MASKS ARE OPTIONAL. PLEASE OBSERVE SOCIAL DISTANCING, HAND SANITISING AND MINIMISE ANY PERSONAL CONTACT.

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OUR SERVICE May 1st 2022

SENTENCE FOR THE DAY.

To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honour and glory and might for ever and ever. Rev. 5:13

THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY: Christ our Friend, you ask for our love in spite of our betrayal: give us courage to embrace forgiveness, to know you again, and to trust ourselves in you. Amen.

FIRST READING: Acts 9:1-6

Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest² and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem.³ Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him.⁴ He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?"⁵ He asked, "Who are you, Lord?" The reply came, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting."⁶ But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do."

PSALM 30

¹I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me.

²**O LORD my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.**

³O LORD, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit.

⁴**Sing praises to the LORD, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.**

⁵For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

⁶**As for me, I said in my prosperity, "I shall never be moved."**

⁷By your favor, O LORD, you had established me as a strong mountain; you hid your face; I was dismayed.

⁸**To you, O LORD, I cried, and to the LORD I made supplication:**

⁹"What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit? Will the dust praise you? Will it tell of your faithfulness?

¹⁰**Hear, O LORD, and be gracious to me! O LORD, be my helper!"**

¹¹You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy,

¹²**so that my soul may praise you and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever.**

SECOND READING: Revelation 5:6-14

Gospel: John 21:1-19 Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. ²Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. ³Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. ⁴Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. ⁵Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." ⁶He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. ⁷That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. ⁸But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. ⁹When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. ¹⁰Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." ¹¹So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. ¹²Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. ¹³Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. ¹⁴This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

¹⁵When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." ¹⁶A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." ¹⁷He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. ¹⁸Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." ¹⁹(He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."

For the Gospel of the Lord, praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Parish Prayers

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

In The World: -

- ◇ The Episcopal Church in the Philippines
- ◇ The Diocese of Duk and the ongoing work of peace-making in South Sudan: †Daniel Deng Abot

In The Diocese:

- ◇ The Parish of Hamilton: Patrick King
- ◇ Anglicare SQ Children & Families, Brisbane Residential & Foster Kinship Care

Locally: We pray for...

- ◇ The St John's Guild and their witness to the Gospel through faithful service, fellowship and hospitality. We pray that new members may arise to join their well loved work.
- ◇ The Bulimba Community Centre weekly Seniors Club, Community Garden, Dementia Choir Sing Sing Sing, JP's In The Community service and all the activities aimed at building a stronger and more connected community.



A MAY DAY PRAYER

This May Day (May 1), we stand with and pray for those on the edge of our economy: people working multiple jobs, workers on insecure contracts, those subsisting on 'Jobseeker,' drivers for rideshare and food delivery apps, and stressed parents making difficult decisions about how to survive on their pay.

We give thanks for the efforts to protect all who work and pray for safe working conditions and a healthy work and life balance for all. We particularly pray for those unable to find meaningful work or who are unable to work as they would like.

Pray for those in need: Bronwyn, Duncan Family, Kerrie, Gloria, Kerry, Joseph, Douglas, Nancy, Peter, Graham and Pat, Helena, Don, Felicity.

CAKE STALL: Our Cake Stall raised \$826, despite the rain.

In Memory

May 2nd - 8th

Jessie Salter, 1962; William Daunton, 1999;
Alexander Todkill, 2001; Laura Martinez, 2019; Elva Gillas, 2008.