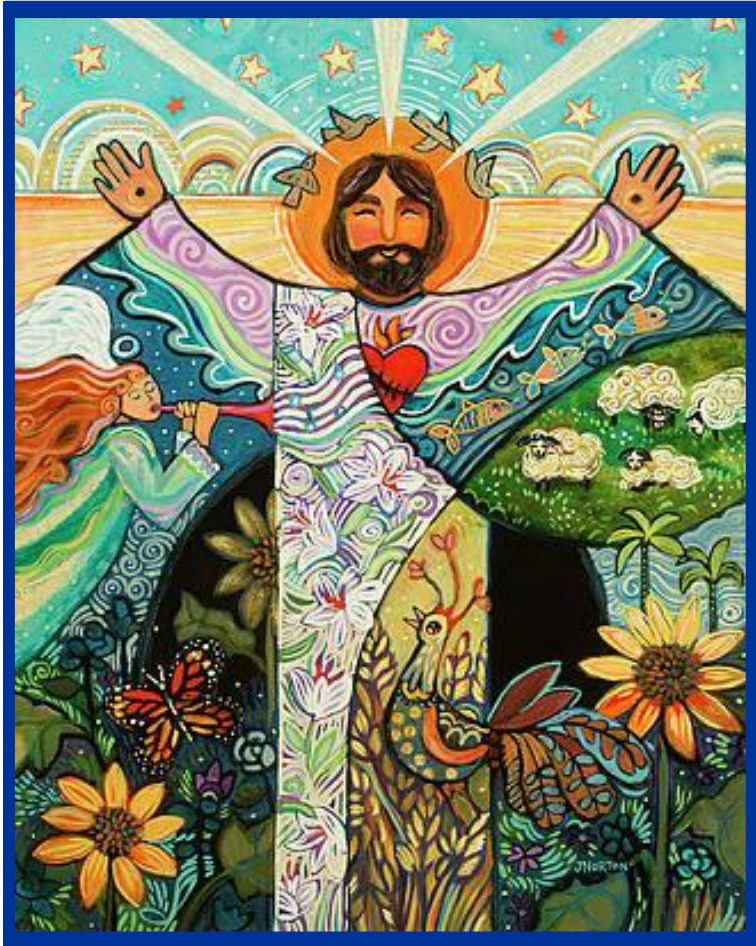


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*A weekly newsletter from St Nicholas Anglican Church, Mordialloc
Sunday 20th April 2025*

EASTER SUNDAY



***Christ is
Risen
Alleluia!
He is
Risen
Indeed
Alleluia***

BEING AN EASTER PEOPLE IN ALL THE DAYS GIVEN US....

Easter is a spring festival in the Northern Hemisphere, where chicks, eggs, lambs and new blooms speak powerfully of the new life that a warming sun brings. For us Easter is also about new life, but a new life that comes from cooler nights and days at the end of a long hot summer.

Today begins the longest festival in the Church's calendar. The Easter Season lasts for fifty days. Each day is filled with alleluias as we gather around the light of Christ. We acclaim confidently and with certainty that Christ is risen. We take up the challenge to announce this message of joy, hope and peace, not only with the celebrating church, but to all whom we serve – families, colleagues, neighbours, and all in our world.

The season of Easter coincides with the season of autumn. The bigger challenge is for us to maintain our call to be Easter people of peace and hope who radiate the risen Christ not just for fifty days, but throughout our lives.

May our Risen Lord "Easter" in you, not just today, not just in Eastertide, but in all the days given you.
Yours in Peace and Grace, *Fr Ron.*



Many thanks to all who contributed in any way to making our Holy Week services as meaningful as they were, and for making our Easter Day worship the truly joyous occasion it always is.

PLEASE NOTE - St Nicholas Parish Council.....

The Council meeting is this coming week: **Tuesday 22nd April @ 7.30pm**, in the Narthex. Zoom will be available.

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INTERMENT OF ASHES...

Sunday 11th May 2025



The mortal remains of
Claire Shaw
will be interred in
St Nicholas' Memorial Garden
following the Sunday service.
All are welcome to attend.



ANZAC DAY – FRIDAY 25TH APRIL 11.00AM.

Our annual ceremony of remembrance will be held in the Mordialloc Community Gallipoli Centenary Precinct.

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There will be an opportunity to lay wreaths.

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Morning Tea to follow in the Narthex



PLEASE NOTE:

Our regular Wednesday & Thursday Bible Studies will resume in May.
The Next Study sessions will be:

THURSDAY 8th May (via Zoom) - 7.30PM

WEDNESDAY 14th May (In-Person) – 7.30pm



Friday Prayer Ministry....

Due to our ANZAC Day commemoration service next Friday, the 'Friday Prayer Ministry' will not occur.

	Readings & Hymns for Easter Day and the following Sunday...
Easter Sunday 20th April	<u>Acts 10.34-43 - Ps Hymn to the Risen Christ - 1 Corinthians 15.19-26 – Luke 24. 1-12</u> “The People’s Exultant” (sung to TIS 161) - TIS 720 Hallelujah TIS 380 Yours be the Glory - TIS 370 Christ the Lord is risen today
Second Sunday of Easter 27th April	<u>Acts 5.27-32 - Ps 118.14-29 - Revelation 1.4-8 - Gospel, John 20.19-31</u> TIS 361 The day of Resurrection - TIS 702 Alleluia (x2) MP 67 Breathe on me Breath of God - MP 465 Meekness and Majesty

Weekly Use of St Nicholas' Narthex & Church.....

Groups meet at St Nicholas in the following order:

Monday: Peaceful Living Yoga, 6.00pm - 7.15pm & 7.30 - 8.30pm

Tuesday: Peaceful Living Yoga, 10.00am - 11.15am

Thursday: Peaceful Living Yoga 10.30 – 11.15am

Parkinson's Support Group 1 - 3pm (2nd Thursday of the month)

Saturday: Peaceful Living Yoga 'Restorative' class 10.00am – 12.00 noon (2nd Sat of the month)

(Please Note: Yoga sessions use silence as part of their exercise. To assist this, please do not access any part of the church or narthex areas while yoga sessions are taking place.)