

### Parish Council

Next meeting at 11.30am on Sunday 23rd September

Tiffany Boyer, our PCW at Plympton International College, has asked for our help to make up food packs for needy students; contributions of muesli bars (no nuts), Salada crackers (original) and cheese slices would be appreciated. *See Rosemary*

Thank you for your help.

### Christmas Boxes, Samaritans Purse

The proceeds from our next 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Happening (30<sup>th</sup> Sept) will go towards filling these boxes and covering the postage. More info later.

**St Columba's, Hawthorn** Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 October  
Further information on noticeboard in hall.

If you find you have **X-RAYS** that are no longer required, they can be put in the cupboard outside the kitchen, in the garden room, and Susan will kindly take them to be recycled. Please remove reports etc first.  
*Thank you*

You are invited to join us after the Service for a cuppa, biscuit and chat.



If you have any Pew Sheet notices, please contact Vanessa on 0412 356 654 or [wenvan@optusnet.com.au](mailto:wenvan@optusnet.com.au) by Wednesday 5pm.

### PARISH MINISTRY TEAM

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**Parish website:** <http://anglicanparishofplympton.com.au/>

**Facebook:** Church of the Good Shepherd Adelaide

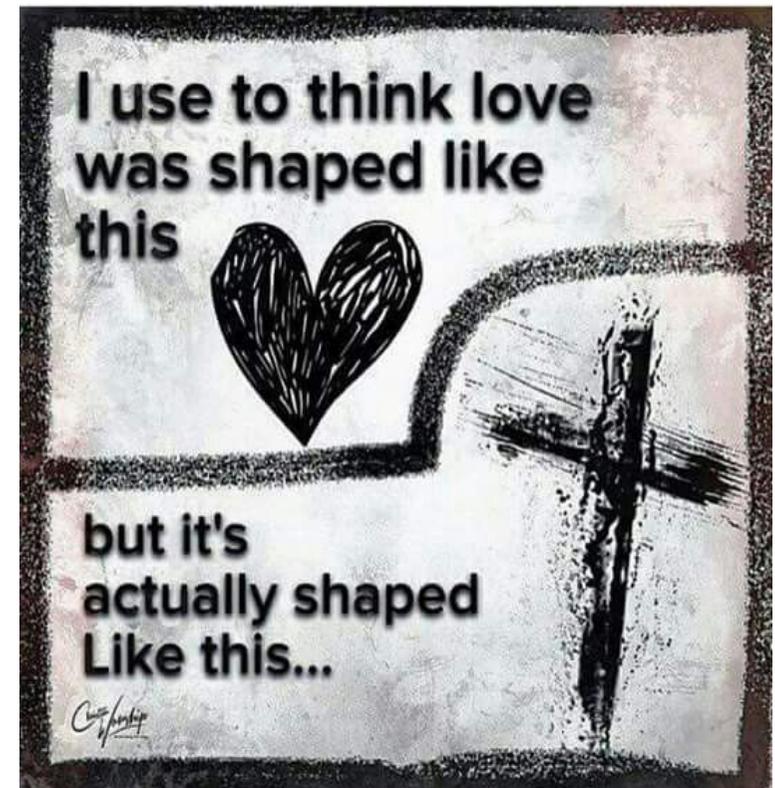
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Sharing God's love in our community:  
Faith, Hope, Fellowship



# 17th Sunday after Pentecost

## 16th September, 2018



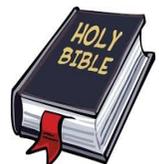
### Readings for 23rd September, 2018

1st Reading: Proverbs 31: 10 - 31

Psalm 1

2nd Reading: James 3: 1 - 12

Gospel: Mark 9: 30 - 37



**DIARY OF THE WEEK**

**SUNDAY**      **17th Sunday after Pentecost**      **16th September**  
8.00am      Eucharist  
10.00am      Sung Eucharist

**MONDAY**

**TUESDAY**      10.00am      Craft

**WEDNESDAY**      10.00am      Healing & Eucharist

**THURSDAY**

**FRIDAY**      **St Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist & Martyr**

**SATURDAY**

**SUNDAY**      **18th Sunday after Pentecost**      **23rd September**  
8.00am      Eucharist  
10.00am      Sung Eucharist  
11.30am      Parish Council

*During Holy Communion we invite everyone to come forward as you are able, to receive the bread and wine (if this is your Christian practice) or a blessing.*

*You may sit, kneel or stand during any part of the service, including while receiving Communion.*

*Low gluten wafers are available - please let the priest know if you need one.*

**BIRTHDAYS:**

Phyllis Roberts (16th)  
Rosemary Miller (18th)    Jenny Nerlich (19th)

**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

Nan McAllister    Charmaine Fuller  
Sheila Guppy    Chris Guppy    Theresa Pulford  
Kel Pitman    and those on the **long term prayer list**

We keep a **long-term prayer list** on the main altar for people who have ongoing issues to deal with. Names on this list are not published, are added as needed, and only removed when the issue has come to an end.

They are mindfully included in our worship

Please see Wardens or Vanessa if you would like a name added.

**YEARS MIND:**

Caroline White  
Lilian Linke      Jim Guppy



**Prayer for the week**

O God,  
without you we are not able to please you:  
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit  
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Adelaide Anglicans*

**Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost**

The last verse of today's psalm (May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer) is often used as a pre-sermon prayer. Yet it is a prayer not just for preachers but for all of us to use daily – to help us to ensure our words and thoughts are always godly.

Pray for godliness of speech and thought throughout this week.

Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan, giving thanks for the work they do to further God's mission in the world.

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**St Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist and Martyr**

**21 Sept**

The composer Haydn set part of this text in his oratorio *The Creation* ('The heavens are telling the glory of God'). Despite the inadequacies of the English translation (e.g. *To day, that is coming, speaks it the day; the night, that is gone, to following night*) Haydn's music, suddenly in the major key, shows us how sunlight pierces everything and brightens. The second half of the psalm goes on to say that God's law does the same thing to the soul. CS Lewis said of this psalm, 'I take this to be the greatest poem in the Psalter and one of the greatest lyrics in the world'.

Pray that your heart may be pierced by God's healing light.

Pray for Archbishop Philip Freier, Primate of the Anglican Church of Australia, as he heads the Anglican Church in this country.

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