



St Luke's Torquay  
Transfiguration Angelsea  
St Aidan's Aireys Inlet

**EASTER SUNDAY**

# Surfcoast Anglican Parish

**1 April 2018**

*Today's readings: Acts 10.34-43; John 20.1-18*

Who might have been in Jerusalem during the Easter events?

- Simon Peter who denied Jesus, and Andrew his brother
- James and John the beloved, the sons of thunder
- Philip who would become known as the Evangelist
- Bartholomew/Nathaniel who Jesus saw under the fig tree
- Thomas who doubted, then believed
- Matthew the tax collector and James the son of Alphaeus
- Judas Thaddeus and Simon the zealot
- Judas Iscariot who betrayed, and took his life in despair
- Matthias who was chosen after the resurrection
- Mary the Mother of Jesus, and her sister
- Mary Magdalene, and the mother of James and John
- The two thieves: one angry, one forgiven
- Satan brooding over the scene
- Pilate and his wife, and women and men from Herod's court
- The chief priests, the scribes and elders
- The centurion who saw God at the cross
- The soldiers who cast lots for Jesus' clothes
- Healed Johanna who managed the household of Herod Antipas
- Bartimaeus who was blind but could now see, and the boy who shared his fish
- Healed lepers and cripples, and folk who were free from demons
- The Samaritan woman and people from her town
- The widow and her son from Nain, who had tasted resurrection
- Mary, Martha and Lazarus, and their friends in Bethany
- Stephen who would be made a deacon and die as the first martyr
- Joseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus, the secret believers
- John the Baptist's disciples
- Saul the Pharisee, who would be meet Jesus on the Damascus road
- Local bystanders and visitors to Jerusalem who heard the gossip

From where are you watching? What do you hear?

## THIS COMING WEEK

Mon 2 Apr	Public holiday
Tue 3 Apr	St Luke's Op Shop, 9am to 1pm (weekly) Parish Lunch, Beach Hotel Jan Juc, noon (mthly, every 1 <sup>st</sup> Tue)
Wed 4 Apr	St Luke's - Eucharist, 10am
Thu 5 Apr	Torquay Home Group, 6pm at Helen Clement's for a bring & share meal (fortnightly)
Fri 6 Apr	St Luke's Op Shop, 9am to 4pm (weekly) Coffee & Chat, St Aidan's 10am (mthly, every 1 <sup>st</sup> Fri)
Sat 7 Apr	St Luke's Op Shop, 9am to 1pm (weekly)
Sun 8 Apr	<u>2nd Sunday of Easter</u> St Aidan's - Eucharist, 8.00am (weekly) Transfiguration - Eucharist, 9.15am (weekly) St Luke's - Eucharist, 10.30am (weekly) <u>Readings for Easter 2</u> Acts 10.34-43; John 20.1-18

## Regular Parish Meetings

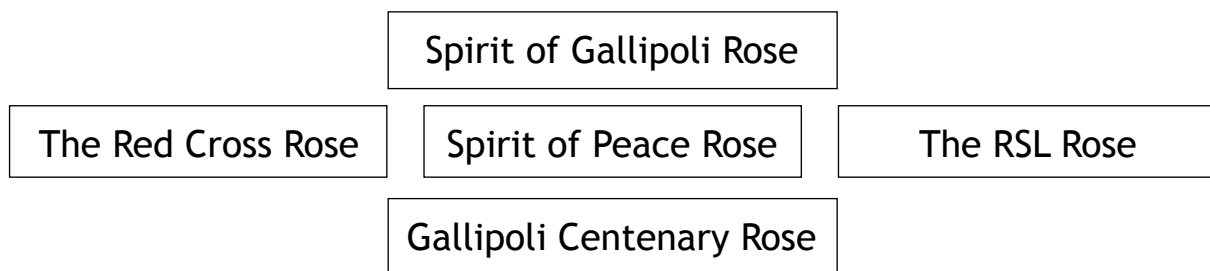
- Maintenance committee, 11am St Luke's (mthly, every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed) - next: 11 Apr
- St Aidan's Group, 10.30am (fortnightly, Thursdays) - next: 12 Apr, planning mtg
- Torquay Craft Group, 1.30pm Peggy Forbe's (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays) - next: 12 Apr
- Group Meditation, Transfiguration 11am (Fridays weekly) - next: 13 Apr
- Monday Morning Playgroup, 10am St Luke's (weekly, Mondays during term time) - next: 16 Apr
- St Aidan's Painters, 10am (Tuesdays, weekly) - next: 17 Apr
- Mainly Music, at both St Luke's & Transfiguration 10am (weekly, Tuesdays during term time) - next: 17 Apr
- Anglesea Aged Care, Eucharist at 10.30am (mthly, every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thu) - next: 19 Apr
- Star of the Sea Aged Care, Eucharist at 2.15pm (mthly, every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thu) - next: 19 Apr
- Parish Council, 7pm at St Luke's (mthly, on 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays) - next: 24 Apr
- Elouera, Eucharist at 2.15pm (mthly, usually on 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays) - next: 24 Apr
- G-RAP run (to St Andrew's Corio) from St Luke's at 12.45pm (mthly, every 1<sup>st</sup> Fri) - next: 4 May
- Mission Committee, after the St Luke's service (quarterly) - next: TBC

## General Notices

**Baptism at St Luke's** - Jenny Stewart's grandson, Aaron Flanagan, is being baptised today. We pray for Aaron, and his parents Keiran and Paul who both have health issues, and we give thanks for love and life.

**'Viewpoints' art exhibition** - Val Parker & Michelle Endersby are exhibiting in St Luke's hall through to 9 Apr. Two artistic journeys down the Great Ocean Road, including a display by the Torquay & District Historical Society.

**Memorial Cross of Roses** - Helen Clement has very generously donated five rose paintings by Michelle Endersby (currently displayed in the art exhibition) in memory of her husband Glen and her mother Jean, to St Luke's. These are shown on the back page, as described below - but come and see them for yourself.



**Anzac dawn service wreath** - parish council agreed that a wreath will be laid on behalf of the Parish.

**Fr John** - is on leave until Mon 16 April. Ps Sharon is on duty.

**G-RAP** - Jan Heiner writes: *The next run I do to Corio will be Fri 4 May, but the appeal is for Sat 5 May & I would be very happy to drive anyone interested in helping - it makes it easier if 2 people to do this together as I find it is a full day & by the time I drive home it would be really nice to be able to talk to someone about the day's activities. The times helpers are needed are from 8.45am to 11am.* Please speak to Jan to help.

### Rewiring Transfiguration - funding appeal

After 60 years, the Church of the Transfiguration needs rewiring. Quoted in two stages, the 1st is for upgrading the the mains connection, including a new switchboard, for \$3,850 (ex GST).

Depending on what then becomes apparent, the 2nd stage of rewiring the power and lighting circuits is estimated at an additional \$5,600 (ex GST).

This significant unexpected cost is giving the parish budget a knock - and so we invite parishioners, particularly at Transfiguration, to make some specific donations towards covering this, as you are able. Mark any contributions - through the offertory plate or to the parish office - as **Transfiguration Rewiring Appeal** - so that we can keep the lights on!



### Contact details for the Parish

Vicar: Rev'd John Webster      Assistant Priest: Rev'd Sharon Valentino  
Mobile: 0448 499 093                      Mobile:                      0458 008 300

Wardens:      Roger Brown      5261 4675  
                    Chris Erving      0413 570 367  
                    Margaret Vise      5263 3321

Parish:      Office:      5261 5558  
                    E-mail:      office@surfcoastanglican.com.au  
                    Mail:      PO Box 2 Torquay VIC 3228  
                    Website:      www.surfcoastanglican.org.au (*Ken Farrow*)

*Notices for the pew sheet to the Office by Thursday -  
must be hand-delivered or emailed or posted to PO Box 2.*