



ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
Burwood

THANKSGIVING FOR THE HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday 7 June 2026

8:00AM SAID EUCHARIST

Welcome to St Paul's

We warmly welcome you and are glad that you have come to worship God with us today on the Feast of Corpus Christi, or the Thanksgiving for the Holy Communion.

Whether you are visiting for a short while, have moved here and are joining our Parish, or are returning to your faith, I welcome you to St Paul's Anglican Church, Burwood.

This historic church, dedicated to St Paul the Apostle & Martyr, was designed by the Australian colonial architect Edmund Blacket. It had its foundation stone laid on 29 July 1871 and the first service was held in the church on Saturday 27 April 1872. Since its earliest days St Paul's has maintained a fine reputation for liturgy and music in the Tractarian tradition.

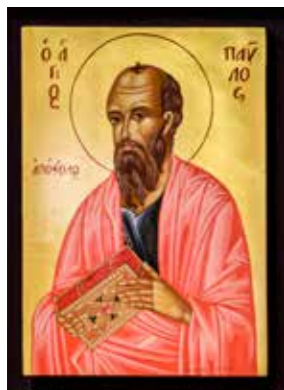
We are very glad that you are here and we look forward to getting to know you. Refreshments (tea/coffee), when served, are available in the Parish Hall immediately following the service. The hall can be found by turning left when leaving the church.

Please take this order of service home.

Anima Christi

**SOUL of Christ, sanctify me, body of Christ, save me,
blood of Christ, inebriate me, water from the side of Christ, wash me.
Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me:
hide me within your wounds and never let me be separated from you.
From the wicked enemy defend me, in the hour of my death, call me
and bid me come to you, so that with your saints I may praise you
for ever and ever. Amen.**

(c. 14th century)



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Icon (left): Icon of St Paul in the Chapel of Our Lady

All STAND as the bell is rung and the sanctuary party processes to the chancel.

Greeting

✠ Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The priest continues with the opening sentence:

Truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them.

Let us pray:

Almighty God,

to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,

and from whom no secrets are hidden:

cleanse the thoughts of our hearts

by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,

**that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Kyrie eleison

The congregation repeats each petition after the priest.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Gloria in excelsis

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,

✠ in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect

All remain standing as the priest says the collect of the day.

O God, in a wonderful sacrament you have given us a memorial of the passion of your dear Son: grant that we may so reverence the sacred mysteries of his body and blood that we may ever know within ourselves the fruits of his redemption; who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

All SIT for the readings and psalm.

First Reading: Exodus 24.3–8

Moses came and told the people all the words of the Lord and all the ordinances; and all the people answered with one voice, and said, 'All the words that the Lord has spoken we will do.' And Moses wrote down all the words of the Lord. He rose early in the morning, and built an altar at the foot of the mountain, and set up twelve pillars, corresponding to the twelve tribes of Israel. He sent young men of the people of Israel, who offered burnt-offerings and sacrificed oxen as offerings of well-being to the Lord. Moses took half of the blood and put it in basins, and half of the blood he dashed against the altar. Then he took the book of the covenant, and read it in the hearing of the people; and they said, 'All that the Lord has spoken we will do, and we will be obedient.' Moses took the blood and dashed it on the people, and said, 'See the blood of the covenant that the Lord has made with you in accordance with all these words.'

For the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm: 116

The verses are said alternately between the reader and the congregation.

Please observe a short break at the colon in the middle of each verse.

- 1 I love the Lord, because he heard my voice: *(pause)*
the voice of my supplication;
- 2 **Because he inclined his ear to me: *(pause)***
in the day that I called to him.
- 3 The cords of death encompassed me,
the snares of the grave took hold on me: *(pause)*
I was in anguish and sorrow.
- 4 **Then I called upon the name of the Lord: *(pause)***
'O Lord, I beseech you, deliver me!'
- 5 Gracious and righteous is the Lord: *(pause)*
full of compassion is our God.
- 6 **The Lord preserves the simple: *(pause)***
when I was brought low, he saved me.
- 7 Return, O my soul, to your rest: *(pause)*
for the Lord has rewarded you.
- 8 **For you, O Lord, have delivered my soul from death: *(pause)***
my eyes from tears and my feet from falling.
- 9 I will walk before the Lord: *(pause)*
in the land of the living.
- 10 **I believed that I would perish, I was brought very low: *(pause)***

I said in my haste 'all men are liars.'

- 11 How shall I repay the Lord: *(pause)*
for all his benefits to me?
- 12 **I will take up the cup of salvation: *(pause)***
and call upon the name of the Lord.
- 13 I will pay my vows to the Lord: *(pause)*
in the presence of all his people.
- 14 **Grievous in the sight of the Lord: *(pause)***
is the death of his faithful ones.
- 15 O Lord, I am your servant, your servant
and the child of your handmaid: *(pause)*
you have unloosed my bonds.
- 16 **I will offer you a sacrifice of thanksgiving: *(pause)***
and call upon the name of the Lord.
- 17 I will pay my vows to the Lord: *(pause)*
in the presence of all his people,
- 18 **In the courts of the house of the Lord: *(pause)***
even in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10.14–21

Therefore, my dear friends, flee from the worship of idols. I speak as to sensible people; judge for yourselves what I say. The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a sharing in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a sharing in the body of Christ? Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread. Consider the people of Israel; are not those who eat the sacrifices partners in the altar? What do I imply then? That food sacrificed to idols is anything, or that an idol is anything? No, I imply that what pagans sacrifice, they sacrifice to demons and not to God. I do not want you to be partners with demons. You cannot drink the cup of the Lord and the cup of demons. You cannot partake of the table of the Lord and the table of demons.

For the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

All STAND for the gradual hymn.

Gradual Hymn

BREAD OF HEAVEN 77 77 77

Archbishop William Maclagan (1826-1910)



1 Bread of heaven, on thee we feed,
For thy flesh is meat indeed;
Ever may our souls be fed
With this true and living bread,
Day by day with strength supplied
Through the life of him who died.

2 Vine of heaven, thy blood supplies
This blest cup of sacrifice;
'Tis thy wounds our healing give;
To thy cross we look and live:
Thou our life! O let us be
Rooted, grafted, built on thee.

Josiah Conder (1789-1855)

Remain standing for the gospel.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia.

Alleluia, Alleluia.

*I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.*

Alleluia.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

✠ A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel: Mark 14.12-26

On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb is sacrificed, his disciples said to him, 'Where do you want us to go and make the preparations for you to eat the Passover?' So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the city, and a man carrying a jar of water will meet you; follow him,

and wherever he enters, say to the owner of the house, "The Teacher asks, Where is my guest room where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?" He will show you a large room upstairs, furnished and ready. Make preparations for us there.' So the disciples set out and went to the city, and found everything as he had told them; and they prepared the Passover meal.

When it was evening, he came with the twelve. And when they had taken their places and were eating, Jesus said, 'Truly I tell you, one of you will betray me, one who is eating with me.' They began to be distressed and to say to him one after another, 'Surely, not I?' He said to them, 'It is one of the twelve, one who is dipping bread into the bowl with me. For the Son of Man goes as it is written of him, but woe to that one by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that one not to have been born.'

While they were eating, he took a loaf of bread, and after blessing it he broke it, gave it to them, and said, 'Take; this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he gave it to them, and all of them drank from it. He said to them, 'This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many. Truly I tell you, I will never again drink of the fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God.'

When they had sung the hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

For the Gospel of the Lord,

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

Ms Rosemary King

Lay Minister

All STAND for the Creed.

Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

The Preparation

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.

Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.

Blessed be God for ever.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The priest continues with the Prayer of Thanksgiving.

Sanctus & Benedictus

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

**✠ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord;
Hosanna in the highest.**

Please kneel. The priest then continues with the Prayer of Consecration.

Memorial Acclamation

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

**✠ Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son,
and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of
the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise:**

**✠ Blessing and honour and glory and power,
are yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever,

10 Amen.

Agnus Dei

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.

Invitation to Communion

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word
and I shall be healed.**

Communion

Communion is distributed along the full length of the communion rail.

Please form a single line on the Organ side of the nave and return on the Pulpit side.

At the end of the distribution of communion, all STAND for the post-communion prayer.

Post-Communion Prayer

Holy God, source of all love, on the night of betrayal Jesus commanded his disciples to love one another as he loved them. We thank you for feeding us in this supper. Give us the will to serve others as he was servant of all.

**Father, we offer ourselves to you
as a living sacrifice**

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Send us out in the power of your Spirit

to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Remain standing to sing the final hymn.

Final Hymn

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Francis Westbrook (1903-75)



1 Glory, love and praise and honour
For our food, now bestowed,
Render we the Donor.
Bounteous God, we now confess thee;
God who thus, blessest us,
Meet it is to bless thee.

2 Thankful for our every blessing,
Let us sing Christ the Spring,
Never, never ceasing.
Source of all our gifts and graces,
Christ we own; Christ alone
Calls for all our praises.

3 He dispels our sin and sadness,
Life imparts, cheers our hearts,
Fills with food and gladness.
Who himself for all has given,
Us he feeds, us he leads
To a feast in heaven.

Charles Wesley (1707-88)

Blessing

The priest says this seasonal Blessing:

The peace of God which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, ✠ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

✠ **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

Postlude

Voluntary in C Major No. 7

attrib. George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

To maintain the prayerfulness of the liturgy, it is requested that there be no applause at the end of the organ postlude. Please be mindful of those who wish to stay and listen.

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Parish Notices

Dedication of the Vanessa McNeill Library

The Mayor of Cumberland City Council invites members of the Parish of St Paul's Burwood to attend the dedication of the Vanessa McNeill Library on **Tuesday 16 June** at 11:30am.

Venue: Guildford Library – Railway Terrace, Guildford


RSVP: by Tuesday 9 June to civicevents@cumberland.nsw.gov.au

Rectory Appeal

Thank you to those parishioners who have already given generously to the appeal. As we approach the end of the financial year, the Wardens would like to remind you of the National Trust account into which all donations are tax-deductible. Details on how to donate can be found on page 19.

Parish Lunch – Club Burwood

The next Parish Lunch being at Club Burwood (96 Shaftesbury Rd, Burwood) will take place on **Sunday 14 June** at 12.30pm. Please contact Phillip Seale on 0405 198 420 or phillip@pscontracting.com.au with any queries.





**THE
EPISTLE**

The Pentecost to Dedication edition of The Epistle, the quarterly publication of St Paul's Anglican Church, Burwood, is now available.

Cost: \$10.00 (+ \$5 postage if required)

All proceeds go to support the Parish Pantry.



Donations of non-perishable food (e.g. long-life milk and rice) are always welcome and can be left at the Parish Office or brought to the Pantry on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.

Please speak with Rosemary or a Pantry volunteer if you have perishable items to donate.

To donate funds to the Parish Pantry to assist the the purchasing of supplies, please use the following account:

Parish Pantry
BSB: 032 062 Acc: 812 238

Parish Prayer List

In the Anglican cycle of prayer we pray for the Scottish Episcopal Church.

In our Parish cycle of prayer we pray for our Head Server and Sacristan, Brian, and all the Servers at the Altar.

We bring before God those in our community who need the reassurance of your loving care for them. We pray particularly for:

Vanessa Brandy, Tiffany Cheng, Deb Edmeades, Richard Gore, Elaine Gow, Meg Harley, Kate, Ralph Lane, Stephen Laurence, Lewis, Andrew McCulloch, Angie McIntyre, Ailsa Morgan, Pat Phillips, David Priest, Sam, Sharon Sandstrom, Elizabeth Scott, Dawn Sheppard, Ajun and Paul Sibun, Jill Sharwood, Steve, Lingling Wang, Bill Whittle, Bob Woods, Barry Brandy, Belinda, Leonie Cable, Dale Berry, John Burns, Debbie, Susanna Gore, Merle Gorman, Malcolm Green, Jean Greenwood, Barbara Hawkins, Christine Johnson, Terry Kelly, Helen Kingsley, Clyde Livingstone, Terry and Betsy McKay, Melissa Moore, Sally Palmer, Winnie Pang, Yolande Phillips, Michelle Phillips, Pam Priest, Ryan, Peter Sorensen, Barbara Stone, Sylvia, Anne Wardle, David Wheatley, others known to us and those who have no one to pray for them.

We pray for their carers, medical staff and families.

We give thanks for the lives of the recently departed, particularly Fr Charles Helms OGS and Ramona Sharp, and those whose year's mind occurs at this time:

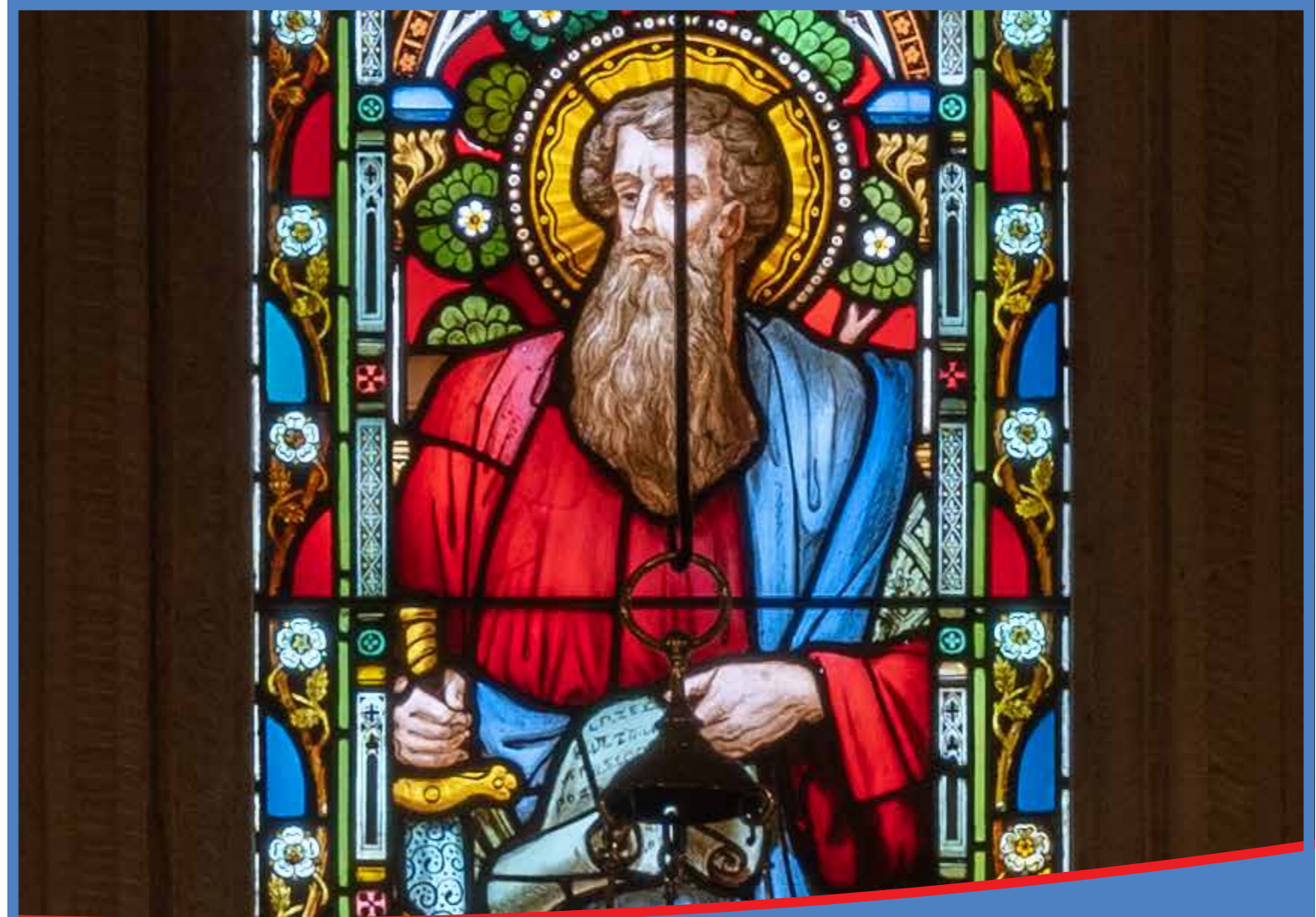
Sarah Bullock, Lyla Leslie Hyde, Denise Carole Thomas AM, Bruce John May, Joyce Marilyn Teagle, Leslie Norman Macleod-Miller, Olga Joan Little, Catherine Laurel Ledsam, Robyn Geer, Marjorie Megan Diamond OAM, Kathleen Nancy Hare, Colin Frederick Pearce.

✠ May they rest in peace and rise with Christ in glory.

At St Paul's, we pray by name for people who have either asked for our prayers or for whom someone else has made a request. This list is updated every 3 months or when we receive a new request. Some names are on our list on a long-term basis while others reflect a more immediate need and are short term.

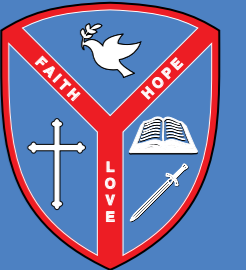
We will only be reading the names on the short-term list in the services but the whole list will still be included in the printed prayers for parishioners to use throughout the week. The full list of names will be read in our midweek service.

Names can be added to or removed from the lists at any time.



FEAST OF PETER & PAUL

Sunday 28 June 2026



8:00am **Said Eucharist** *with Hymns*

10:00am **Choral Eucharist**

Introit: **Tu es Petrus**

(Duruflé)

Setting: **Missa O quam gloriosum**

(Victoria)

Motet: **O quam gloriosum**

(Victoria)



FEAST OF DEDICATION

Sunday 5 July 2026

10:00am Orchestral Mass

Introit: Locus iste (Anton Bruckner)

Setting: Missa Sancti Joannis de Deo
(Joseph Haydn)

Motet: Behold the tabernacle (William Harris)

Guest Preacher & Celebrant:

The Right Rev. Donald Kirk – Bishop of Riverina



ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
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CHORAL EVENSONG



for the
OCTAVE OF DEDICATION

Guest Preacher & Officiant:

Fr Ryan Austin-Eames

Senior Assistant Priest, Christ Church St Laurence

5:00pm – Sunday 12 July 2026

followed by refreshments in the parish hall



RECTORY APPEAL

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Offertory: \$4,987.24 Parish Pantry: \$1,105.00 Trading Table: \$500.00

Evensong Donation: \$25.00

TOTAL GIVING: \$6,617.24

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Account Name: Parish Pantry
BSB: 032-062 Acc: 812 238

National Trust Account

Account Name: National Trust of Australia (NSW) St Paul's Anglican Church Burwood
BSB: 032-044 Acc: 742 926
donations over \$2 to this account are tax-deductible

Donations & Bequests

"I bequeath the sum of \$___ to the Rector and Wardens of the Anglican parish of St Paul's Burwood, to be used at their absolute discretion for the charitable or other beneficial purposes of the parish."

Wills

Mark Squire (an 8:00am service parishioner) is a solicitor experienced in drafting Wills. While he does not wish to have any commercial association with the church and/or its members, he has made an offer to assist, at no cost, senior parishioners and community members who wish to make donations to the parish in their Wills.

Mark is concerned to ensure that any senior who wants to help our wonderful parish this way is not deterred by the potential cost of so doing. Mark can be contacted via the parish office – (02) 9747 4327

JOIN US @ ST PAUL'S

HOLY COMMUNION

Sundays throughout the year:

8:00am Said Eucharist – *with hymns*

10:00am Choral Eucharist – *with the Choir of St Paul's*

Wednesdays:

10:30am Eucharist

Fridays: *last Friday of the month (weekly during Lent & Advent)*

5:40pm Evening Prayer

6:00pm Eucharist

Seasonal Services:

6:00pm Choral Eucharist – *with the Choir of St Paul's*

Special services are held during the year to mark Feast Days and other days of seasonal significance. These are advertised in the pew bulletin and on our website.

CHORAL EVENSONG

Sundays as advertised:

5:00pm Choral Evensong – *with the Choir of St Paul's*

For further information please visit our website: stpaulsburwood.org.au



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Ms Rosemary King
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Ms Natalie McDonald