

Prayer for Defence Forces
(Remembrance Day 11th Nov)

Eternal God, the only source of peace,
we pray for all who serve in the defence and police forces of this land.
Give them courage and comfort in danger,
patience in waiting, and discipline in the just use of force.
Help us to seek for all people the freedom to serve you and each other
in compassion and peace.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen** *APBA*



All Souls service
by the river last Sunday

Welcome,
Please join us for
morning tea

Parish Diary

Nov 11-17 Revd Sally on leave
Nov 24 Evening Prayer 7pm St L
Nov 28 Parish Council 2pm
Dec 1 Parish Lunch at Revd Sally and Chris' home – *Little Portion* 13 Hibbertia way Springdale Estate

REGULAR SERVICES & GATHERINGS

- Sunday Eucharist/Morning Prayer:** St Leonard's 9.30am; St George's 10am
- Weekday Eucharist:** St Leonard's 1st Thursday of the month, 2pm
- Evening Prayer:** St Leonard's last Sunday each month, 7pm
- Choir Practice:** St Leonard's Saturday 10.30-11, then coffee.

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10th November 2024
25th Sunday after Pentecost

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Prayers of the Day

O God,
whose blessed Son came into the world
that he might destroy the works of evil
and make us your children and heirs of eternal life:
grant that, having this hope,
we may purify ourselves as he is pure;
that, when he comes again with power and great glory,
we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom;
where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen** *APBA*

God of fierce justice,
you close the mouth of those who devour the poor
and hide behind their prayer:
humbled by the giving
of those who have so little
let us live from your abundance;
through Jesus Christ, the judgment of God. **Amen**

Prayers for an Inclusive Church, Stephen Shakespeare, 2008



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Jane James, Tom Sheard
Wardens: Tine Adams, Harold Luxton, Tom Sheard

*We endeavour to be an expression of God's love
in the community*

1 Kings 17.8-16

Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, 'Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you.' So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, 'Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink.' As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, 'Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.' But she said, 'As the Lord your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die.' Elijah said to her, 'Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. For thus says the Lord the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the Lord sends rain on the earth.' She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord that he spoke by Elijah.

Psalm 146

¹ Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul:

while I live I will praise the Lord;

² While I have any being: **I will sing praises to my God.**

³ Put not your trust in princes:

nor in flesh and blood, which cannot save.

⁴ For when their breath goes from them, they return again to the earth:

and on that day all their thoughts perish.

⁵ Blessed are those whose help is the God of Jacob:

whose hope is in the Lord their God,

⁶ The God who made heaven and earth:

the sea, and all that is in them,

⁷ Who keeps faith for ever:

who deals justice to those that are oppressed.

⁸ The Lord gives food to the hungry: **and sets the captives free.**

⁹ The Lord gives sight to the blind:

the Lord lifts up those that are bowed down.

¹⁰ The Lord loves the righteous:

the Lord cares for the stranger in the land.

¹¹ He upholds the widow and the fatherless:

as for the way of the wicked, he turns it upside down.

¹² The Lord shall be king for ever:

your God, O Zion, shall reign through all generations.

Praise the Lord.

Hebrews 9.23-28

Thus it was necessary for the sketches of the heavenly things to be purified with these rites, but the heavenly things themselves need better sacrifices than these. For Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgement, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

Mark 12.38-44

As he taught, he said, 'Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the market-places, and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honour at banquets! They devour widows' houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.' He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to them, 'Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.'

Next Week: Daniel 12.1-3, Ps 16, Hebrews 10.11-14 (15-18) 19-25,
Mark 13.1-11 NRSV

Prayer services, sermons, pew sheet, info: www.denmarkanglican.org.au