

Nambour Retirement Village Services

TBA April	McGowan	11.00AM	Minister
TBA April	Rotary	2.00PM	Minister

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Service Roster

FOR TODAY 28th March 2021 LITURGY OF THE PALMS

Minister: Rev Glenn Ingram

Music: Jenny and John

Readers: Eva Donaldson,
Graham Kent

Prayers: Eva Donaldson

Data Projector: Sue Nichols

Sound system: Rob Nichols

Offering: Weekly retiring offering

Attending Ministry

Pastor Margaret Nieth 0416 070 852

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Pastoral Care Ministry

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AFTER 9AM to 2PM

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THE BIRTHDAY BOOK

March

30 Dell Brammelly

April

1 Beryl Horsfall

3 Laurel Peters

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Dell, Beryl and Laurel!!

Please remember, attending worship affirms that you do not have COVID-19, or symptoms associated with COVID-19, or awaiting results from a COVID-19 test, or have been to a designated 'hotspot', or have not been in contact with any known or suspected cases of COVID-19, or that you have been in contact with anyone who has travelled from overseas in the past 14 days. Please be aware that persons aged 70 and over, and people with chronic medical conditions are at a greater risk of serious illness by involvement in public group places. We all must still be attentive to all guidelines directed by health professionals as much as we can.



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service

We are called to be evidence of God's
love breaking into the world

Sunday 28th March 2021

Humility and Pride Isaiah 50:4-9a, Philippians 2:5-11, Mark 11:1-10.

The world in which we live is saying to us, "Walk tall. Take pride in yourself. Be proud of your ethnicity or sexuality. Be proud of your accomplishments." How then does this ride with the biblical emphasis on humility? The Son of God comes in humility, to serve, not to be served. He gives his life a ransom for many. He rides into Jerusalem to claim his royal status, but not in the fullness of pride, pomp, and prestige that ruling elites usually claim for themselves. An early Christian poem, quoted by Paul, described him as one who, in humility, emptied himself of all that sort of thing.

Humility for Jesus did not mean giving in to others. He knew his calling and he resolutely stuck to it in spite of temptations to deviate from it. His humility was anything but weak and powerless. His humility was not something to be aimed at for itself; it was a by-product of his devotion to the Father; and so the humility that we are called to is not a goal to be aimed at, but rather something that follows on from truly loving God with all our being. When the centre of our lives shifts from self to God, we lose self-centred pride and arrogance. Sometimes, however, we have to remind ourselves of this by deliberately taking the humble path.

The world is right; we are not called to become snivelling weaklings, despising ourselves or living in continual self-abasement. We are God's beloved creatures, not meant, out of self-centred pride, to usurp God's central position in life.

- Give examples, drawn from TV, other media or from conversations you have had, where pride was being encouraged.
- In what way did the Palm Sunday ride of Jesus into Jerusalem highlight the humility of Jesus?
- Think of a time when you deliberately took the humble path as an expression of your Christian faith.
- In the light of Jesus' example, what is the difference between what might be called strong humility and weak humility?

Rev Ron Potter piulapublications.com

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Welcome to our Sunday Worship Service

The Nambour congregation welcomes everyone to worship.
Please welcome Rev Glenn as we accept all who gather to worship in peace,
with an invitation to pray and reflect in the Prayer Chapel at any time our Church is open.
May the peace of the Lord be with you



LITURGY OF THE PALMS

Please make very welcome
our attending minister
Rev Glenn Ingram

I had a friend once who fell from a ladder. He'd just retired and looking forward to travelling with his wife. However, he was helping his elderly neighbour cut tree branches and the ladder twisted. He fell backwards on to a fence. Sadly, he died from his injury. I am told that the golden rule is at 60 we can take two or three steps off the ground but when we're seventy it's time to sell the ladder and keep both feet planted on the ground...even though it's not always easy to follow when I've done this all my life. It is worth reflecting on the ladder and each of its rungs as a picture of what it means to say,

'The Word became flesh and dwelt among us.'

To wonder at the love of God coming down that ladder; Jesus, riding a donkey into Jerusalem, crowds around him shouting, 'Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.'

I have heard it spoken of as the Glory Ladder in Philippians 2 as Jesus lays aside or empties Himself of all that is His in order to come to earth to bring life and hope to a world in darkness. And of course, God exalts him to the highest place and every tongue will confess Him.

But this is God's story. However, it also asks us to consider ours for it says, 'Your attitude should be same as Christ Jesus.' What is our daily response to His Grace?
Rev Glenn

Sth Qld Caravan Camping Fishing & 4X4 Expo
Friday 9 April – Sunday 11 April 2021

Volunteers required, please choose a time period
in the folder in the foyer or phone Keith 5441 3013

**TODAY THERE IS A PRACTICE EVACUATION AT THE END OF
WORSHIP, THIS IS REQUIRED ANNUALLY BY LAW.
PLEASE FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS WHICH YOU WILL BE
GIVEN EARLY IN THE SERVICE.**

TODAY 28th MARCH 2021 - PALM SUNDAY Service time 9AM
****NO MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE****

2nd APRIL 2021 - GOOD FRIDAY Service time 8AM

Shall we bear HIS cross, as Jesus carries OUR cross
to crucifixion for the forgiveness of our sins, Amen.

4th APRIL - EASTER DAY Service time 9AM

HE IS RISEN! JESUS IS ALIVE! COME AND CELEBRATE.
FLOWERS for the CROSS

We are to bring a flower as a living symbol to place on the Cross
for our hopes and for our love for the Christ.

The Cross will be in the sanctuary and you are asked to place your flower
upon it when you first arrive, keeping the regular distance from others.

Activities in our Church this week;

TODAY Sunday 28th March 2021 Palm Sunday

Sunday Worship Service 9AM

Alcoholics Anonymous 6PM-8PM

Monday

Sunshine Linus 8.30AM-2.30PM

Tuesday

Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon

Bible study group 9.30AM-10.30AM

Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM

Wednesday Alcoholics Anonymous 5.30PM-8PM

Thursday 1st April Maundy Thursday

Craft group 9AM-12noon

Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM

Good Friday Worship Service 8AM

Easter Saturday 3rd April 2021

Narcotics Australia 6PM-9PM