Nambour Retirement Village Services18 JulyRotaryRev Maile2.00PM

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THE BIRTHDAY BOOK

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY NEXT WEEK'S READINGS SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST <u>17th July 2022</u> Amos 8:1-12, Colossians 1:15-28, Luke 10:38-42, Psalm 52, Genesis 18:1-10a, Psalm 15.



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service

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

SUNDAY 10th July 2022

Pentecost 5

Collect: What must we do to inherit eternal life? We shall love the Lord our God with all our heart, and with all our soul, and with all our strength, and with all our mind; our neighbour as ourselves, Amen.

From the desk of the minister: The Good Samaritan

This is a familiar story with us. We have learned this story from our Sunday school years and often we refer to a person who has done something to save someone or a great job, a "good Samaritan". How many times we hear from a story, someone always refers to a "good Samaritan". When we hear about it, we know what is meant by that. Our gospel reading for today is a story about a good Samaritan. The beginning of this story was started by a lawyer, who wanted approval from Jesus about his inquisitive questions. He said to Jesus, **"What must I do to inherit eternal life?"** Jesus said, **"what is written in the Law?"** He replied. **"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind; and love your neighbour as yourself."**

"You have answered correctly," Jesus replied. "Do this and you will live."

Then the lawyer wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus,

"and who is my neighbour?"

And then Jesus told the story of the good Samaritan. It is quite obvious that lawyer wanted to choose his neighbours, he wanted to choose only the people that he should offer love to them. Not his enemy. But according to Jesus, our neighbours could be anyone in need. And that is the hardest to do in life. Perhaps the reason Jesus chose a Samaritan as the hero of the story is that he did not want his hearers to identify with this generous caregiver. We are always challenged by this story in our journey of faith, and to remind us of the importance of our neighbours, not only the people close to us but the people that are hard to take on board in our mind and soul. I hope we will be refreshed by this familiar story, to become a better neighbour to the rest of the world around us. **Grace & Peace, Rev Maile May God give us courage to stop by and not to pass by.**

Nambour Uniting Church Welcome to our Sunday Worship Service

The Nambour congregation welcomes everyone to worship.

Please welcome and thank our minister for leading us in worship today, Rev Maile Molitika

please accept all who gather to worship in peace and hope,

with an invitation to pray and reflect in the Prayer Chapel at any time our Church is open.

Thank You

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY TODAY FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – 10 July

Amos 7:7-17, Colossians 1:1-14, Luke 10:25-37, Psalm 82, Deuteronomy 30:9-14, Psalm 25:1-10.

HELP STOP THE FLU and COVID-19

With the cold and flu season upon us, it is important to be vigilant about our health and the health of others around us. We sometimes forget the Flu is a highly contagious virus that can cause serious infection, illness and even death. This year we are all more vulnerable to the Flu due to lower recent exposure to the virus and lower uptake of Flu vaccines, which is why our Church encourages everyone to take advantage of the QLD State Govt's FREE FLU JAB FOR EVERY QUEENSLANDER available FREE up to 17 July 2022. Church Council has endorsed to continue all precautions that are in place to prevent spreading of COVID/FLU; continuing cleaning before and after Service/meetings, provide hand sanitiser, and maintaining social distancing. Church Council will review in September. We love one another, we care for one another, we keep each other safe.

Rev Maile's Proverbs for Daily Living –

- 1. Cast no dirt into the well that gives you water.
- 2. Go slowly to the entertainments of your friends, but quickly to their misfortunes.

We thank June Ehrenberg for looking after the Church

help out. Please speak to Lynn Blackwood-Troyahn or a

gardens for many years. We now need someone to take on the

role of Garden Co-ordinator. This person does not need to do

all the work as we have a number of people who are willing to

Activities in our Church this week;

member of Church Council

Sunday 10 July	QLD Garden Expo car parking 8AM
	Sunday Worship Service 9AM
	Alcoholics Anonymous 6PM-8PM
Monday	Sunshine Linus 8AM-2.30PM
Tuesday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon
	Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Thursday	ECOllaboration meeting 9AM-2PM
	Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Friday	Wedding rehearsal 4PM
Saturday 16 July	Dunlop/Madden 2PM Wedding
	Narcotics Australia 6PM-9PM
Please refer to Govt guidelines and social distancing	