

Nambour Retirement Village Services

21 November Rotary Rev Glenn 2.00PM

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Service Roster

13 November 2022

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST**

Minister: Rev Glenn Ingram
Music: Jenny and John Thomas
Readers: Gail Warland, Linda Woodward
Prayers: Helen Staines
Data Projector: Alison Hall
Sound System: Linda Woodward
Offering: Weekly retiring offering
Welcome: Our great welcoming team

Ministry

Rev Maile Molitika 0425 378 174

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Rev Graham Warne 5478 9747

Congregation Chairperson

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**THE
BIRTHDAY
BOOK**

16 Daphne Haigh
18 Clyde Haigh
19 Janice Stewart

**Happy Birthday
Daphne, Clyde & Janice!!**

**VANDERBILT
LECTIONARY
NEXT WEEK'S
READINGS
TWENTY-FOURTH
SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
20th November 2022**

Jeremiah 23:1-6,
Colossians 1:11-20,
Luke 23:33-43,
Luke 1:68-79,
Psalm 46.



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service

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

SUNDAY 13th November 2022

Pentecost 23

Collect: Rejoice this day in what God is creating.

Rejoice in what we see all around us.

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

Thank you, Lord, for the hope we have in your kingdom,
both present and to come, Amen

From the desk of the minister: Stand firm, and you will win life!

This is one of the most important teachings and encouragements of Jesus to his disciples. He wants them to be different from the others in words and deeds. For Jesus, his followers will always carry their cross. You cannot be a follower without carrying your cross. This is a journey that is different from any other journey. If we recall the story of Jesus and his responses to some questions that was given to him, we will see the importance of being a disciple of Christ, for example: **Someone asks who is my neighbour? Jesus tells this person that your neighbour is everyone, not just your own Jewish family.** Another question, **How many times should I forgive? 70 times 7, or in other words, forgiveness is unlimited.** Love you enemy, for this we will be different from unbelievers.

If someone slaps your cheek, give them the other one. If you go with a burden for one mile, make it two. When you give, give it whole heartedly for Jesus loves a cheerful giver. The story for today's gospel is about the destroying of the temple and all the persecutions that will face the followers of Jesus. Jesus did not tell his followers to run away to a safe place. He told them to **"stand firm, and you will win life."** The Greek word for stand firm means not to be easily moved from your faith or where you stand.

Here I stand and I am not going to be moved by anyone or anything.

This is the challenge that we are encouraged with today. To become a follower of Christ, we will risk everything in order to stand firm with our hope despite the trials and persecutions of life. We will hang on to our hope and persist with our faith in Jesus Christ no matter what, because we know that one day, we will win in our journey of faith. **Yes, the temple in Jerusalem will be destroyed but not our faith in Jesus Christ. Good advice for life – "Stand firm, and you will win life."**

Grace & peace Rev Maile

Nambour Uniting Church

Welcome to our Sunday Worship Service

The Nambour congregation welcomes everyone to worship.
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.
Rev Glenn Ingram will be leading our Sunday Service of worship and prayer today.

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

13 November 2022

Isaiah 65:17-25,
2 Thessalonians 3:6-13,
Luke 21:5-19,
Isaiah 12,
Malachi 4:1-2a,
Psalm 98.

Presbytery Live-In

Rev Maile and Helen will be representing our Church at the Presbytery gathering in Hervey Bay this weekend. Please have them in your prayers. Rev Glenn Ingram has volunteered to lead our Sunday Worship Service this Sunday, please make Rev Glenn welcome.

Next Sunday 20th November 2022

A TIME TO REMEMBER AND GIVE THANKS

A service to remember and give thanks for the lives of our loved ones that have passed into the Lord's loving care. Our memories will be of joyful times as we may speak these words from Ecclesiastes 12:7,
"Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was:
and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it"
There will be an opportunity to light a remembrance candle if you wish.

Nambour State College

Last Wednesday 9th November 2022 Nambour State College had their Student Academic Awards Presentation Evening.

Three awards were presented by Rev Maile;

Junior Campus 2022	Natahlia	Year 6
Junior Secondary 2022	Tama	Year 8
Senior Secondary 2022	Reba-Rae	Year 11

Individual envelopes were presented which contained a congratulatory letter of academic encouragement as well as a gift voucher.
Congratulations to all Year 12 students as they now embark onto the next part of their great journey through life, may God bless them.

Activities in our Church this week;

Sunday 13 Nov	Sunday Worship Service 9AM Rev Graham & Alison photographs Alcoholics Anonymous 6PM-8PM
Monday	Nambour Probus 90 car parking 7AM
Tuesday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Wednesday	Nambour Floral Art 8AM-12noon
Thursday	Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Saturday 19 Nov	Narcotics Australia 6PM-9PM

Please refer to Govt guidelines and social distancing