

Nambour Village Services August 2024

19 August Rotary Rev Maile 2.00PM

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Service Roster

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
18 August 2024**

Minister: Rev Maile Molitika
Music: Jenny and John Thomas
Readers: Belinda Burman
Prayers: Peter Bowden
Data Projector: Sue Nichols
Sound System:
Offering: Weekly retiring offering
Welcome: Our great welcoming team

Ministry

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AFTER 9AM to 2PM

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**THE
BIRTHDAY
BOOK**

21 Nola Griffiths

**Happy Birthday
Nola!**

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

NEXT SUNDAY

25 August 2024

Fourteenth Sunday
after Pentecost

1 Kings 8:1-6, 10-11,

22-30, & 41-43,

Ephesians 6:10-20,

John 6:56-69,

Psalm 34:15-22,

Joshua 24:1-2a & 14-18,

Psalm 84.



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service

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

**Sunday 18 August 2024
Pentecost 13**

Collect: Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ you Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now for ever and ever, Amen.

From the desk of the minister:

Watch your step and be careful how you live your life

We lived in Narrandera for 7 years and every time we travel the highway to Sydney or Melbourne, we always watched the Crows eating dead animals on the road. Crows are an obvious bird that lives by eating dead animals on the road, but there are birds or animals who also survive on dead animals. There are some birds that ignore the smelly flesh of dead animals and they look for the colourful blossoms of the plants. The vultures live on what was, they live on the past, they fill themselves with what is dead and gone. But some birds live on what is and seek new life. They fill themselves with freshness and life. Each bird finds what it is looking for. We all do the same thing as human beings. We look for what we want. This is the essence of Paul's teaching in chapter 5; In life, there are two birds. The one bird looks for foolishness and stupidity, the other looks for wisdom. The crows seek to fill themselves with the rotting flesh of drunkenness and debauchery, the Galas and other birds will look for the fresh seeds, and the freshness of the spirit. In the desert of this world, you have your scavengers who are angry and ungrateful, but you also have those who hum a grateful hymn of thanksgiving. In our reading from the Epistle, Paul outlines the proper behaviours for good living. He encourages his readers to be careful how they live. You must **be wise, be sober, and be thankful.** It is a very short list but if we can orient our daily lives around these three, we will be living a life honouring our loving God and others. King Solomon asks God for one thing and that one thing is **wisdom.** Let us continue to be a people who watch our every step and be careful how we live our life. Let the wisdom of God be our guide so that our daily life will be an example to others along the way. Some people don't want to hear a sermon, they would rather see it. Let us watch and make sure that we are doing the right thing, in step with God, our forgiving Lord. **Grace & Peace, Rev Maile**

Nambour Uniting Church

Welcome to our Sunday Worship Service

Our 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.

Please welcome our leading minister Rev Maile for today's Sunday Worship Service

Please pray for and be thankful for all the small things in life.

18 August 2024

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY

AFTER PENTECOST

1 Kings 2:10-12 & 3:3-14,

Ephesians 5:15-20,

John 6:51-58,

Psalms 34:9-14,

Proverbs 9:1-6,

Psalms 111.



**Thirteenth
Sunday
after
Pentecost**

Next Sunday 25 August 2024

Church Council meeting after Sunday Worship Service and morning tea. Any concerns, please see one of our Council members.

Event Coming Up

Nambour Orchid Society will be in our Church hall celebrating everything in the wonderful world of Orchids.

Thursday to Saturday **5-7 September 2024**.

Thank You to the ladies who helped to complete the rugs for our Tongan friends. We were able to provide 12 rugs, including a couple that are still works in progress. It was a time-consuming task and their help is very much appreciated.

Nambour Swap Meet Takings

Thanks to everyone who helped out with our car parking, amount raised was around the \$300 mark.

**The LETS GO CARAVAN OUTDOOR EXPO is on right now. Once again, thanks to all the people that could find the time to help out with the car parking for this event.

Proverbs for Daily Living –

1. "To be yourself in a world that is constantly trying to make you something else is the greatest accomplishment."

Ralph Waldo Emerson

2. "Happy are those who take day by day, complain very little, and are thankful for the small things in life."

Daily funnyQuotes.com

Activities in our Church this week;

Sunday 18 Aug	Sunday Worship Service 9AM Lets Go Caravan Expo car parking 9AM
Tuesday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Wednesday	Nambour Floral Art Society 8AM-12noon New World Rhythm Choir 6.30PM-9PM Narcotics Australia 6.30PM-8.30PM
Thursday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Saturday 24 Aug	Nambour Orchid Society 12noon-4PM Narcotics Australia 6PM-9PM