

Nambour Village Services July 2025

BOWDER: 6th July, 11am with Reverend Maile

ESTIA (communion): 2nd July with Reverend Maile

ROTARY (communion): 21st July with Reverend Maile

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Service Roster

22 June 2025

PROPER 7

Minister: Reverend Maile Molitika

Music: Nola & Margaret

Readers: Lyn Colley & Jimmy Stewart

Prayers: Helen Staines

Data Projector: Losa Molitika

Offering: Retiring and Direct Debit offering

Welcome: Our great welcoming team

Ministry

Reverend Maile 0425 378 174

Pastoral Care Ministry

Rev Graham Warne 5478 9747

Music

Nola & Margaret

Congregation Chairperson

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Office: most Tuesdays and

Thursdays from 10am to 2pm

“Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you’d walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life there is only one set of footprints on the path. I don’t understand why when I needed you most you would leave me.”

The Lord replied, “My precious child, I love you and I would never leave you during your times of trial and suffering. When you see only set of footprints, it was then that I carried you.”



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service



SUNDAY 22 JUNE 2025: PENTACOST 2

Collect: Send us your light and your truth, O God, and alert us to hear and keep your message. Speak powerfully, through words and silence so that we know your intention for us. You want us to have freedom from all the demons that paralysed our lives. Let us follow where you lead us. Amen

From the desk of the Minister: “SING A NEW SONG”

The Gospel of Christ is a gospel of freedom

The gospel reading for this week is about a man who has been demonised for quite some time. For a long time, he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, “What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me” – for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man.

This man had lived a terrible life and the people knew about it. How many times they wanted to control and helped him but it was impossible. They bound him with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon to the wild. No wonder of how powerful he was because he was possessed by not one demon but by legion of many demons.

When Jesus came into his life it was a different story. Firstly, this man had lived with this condition for sometimes and the demons have been settled in his life. When Jesus approached him to be healed, he did not want to do that because his life had been used to living with the devils. But the compassion of Christ had been revealed when he healed this man. His will for us is not to die in our sin but to have new life in Him. It was a great message at the end of the gospel, People found him sitting at Jesus’ feet. What a great picture of Jesus and this new disciple. Jesus sent him away, saying – **“Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.”** This new man had been liberated by Jesus, to go out and tell the Good News to his home and beyond. The Gospel of Christ is a gospel of freedom!!

Grace & Peace. Maile

22 JUNE 2025

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

PROPER 7

1 Kings 19:1-4, 8-15a

and

Psalms 42 and 43

Isaiah 65:1-9

and

Psalms 22:19-28

Galatians 3:23-29

Luke 9:51-62

Proverbs for Daily Living

Freedom is nothing but a chance
to be better.

(Albert Camus)

May we think of freedom not as
the right to do as we please, but as
the opportunity to do what is
right.

(Peter Marshall)



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.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

22 Daphne Heaton

23 June Ehrenberg



**TO OUR WONDERFUL NAMBOUR
SHOW DAY PARKING VOLUNTEERS**

To our wonderful Show Day parking
volunteers. I can't remember everybody,
but you know who you are 😊 Thank you
for your kind contribution to our church.

You are a Godsend!

You will all be delighted to know that we
raised: \$8,334!

God bless you all, and God bless our church.

29 June 2025

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

PROPER 8

2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14

and

Psalms 77:1-2, 11-20

1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21

and

Psalms 16

Galatians 5:1, 13-25

Luke 9:51-62

Activities in our Church this week:

Sunday: Worship at 9am

Tuesday: Indoor Bowls 10am – 12pm

Tuesday: NA 12pm – 2pm

Wednesday: Tai Chi 8.30am-11am

Wednesday: New World Choir 6:30pm – 9pm

Thursday: Indoor Bowls 10am – 12pm

Thursday: Narcotics Australia 12pm – 2pm

Saturday: Orchid Society 12pm – 4pm

Saturday: Narcotics Australia 6pm – 9pm