

**Nambour Village Services June/July 2025**

BOWDER 6<sup>th</sup> July 11am with Reverend Maile (Music: Nola/Margaret)

ROTARY 21<sup>st</sup> July 2pm with Reverend Maile (Music: Rosemary)

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**6 JULY 2025**

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST**

**Minister:** Reverend Maile Molitika

**Music:** Margaret

**Readers:** Alison Hall and Belinda Burman

**Prayers:** Reverend Maile

**Data Projector:** Linda Woodward

**Offering:** Retiring and Direct Debit offering

**Welcome:** Our great welcoming team

**Ministry**

Reverend Maile 0425 378 174

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Rev Graham Warne 5478 9747

**Music**

Margaret

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Office: most Tuesdays and Thursdays from

10am to 2pm

*Humility is  
not  
thinking  
less of  
yourself,  
It's  
thinking of  
yourself  
less.*

*C. S. Lewis*



**Nambour Uniting Church**

9AM Sunday Worship Service

**SUNDAY 6 JULY: PENTECOST 4**

*(Holy Communion)*

**Collect:** By your Word, gracious God, open us up to your assignment. Show us what you would have us do. Lead us in your righteousness to bear the marks of Jesus, to glory in the cross, and to do good to all people. May we be bearers of your peace wherever we go. Amen.

**From the desk of the minister:**

**THE VALUE OF SERVANTHOOD & HUMILITY IN OUR LIVES**

The gospel reading for this week is about the sending of the seventy-two to go out into the villages to tell the good news of Christ. But before they were sent out, there were instructions from Jesus. Jesus reminds them – you will be like lambs among wolves; do not take a purse or bags or sandals; give peace when you enter a house; eat and drink what is given to you; do not move from house to house; heal the sick, and tell all that the Kingdom of God has come near to you. When I meditate on these instructions, conveying the good news is not easy at all, there are obstacles to overcome. When they were told not to take much, it meant that God would provide for them along the way. Jesus teaches the value of servanthood and humility in this passage. *Our mission is not to make a name for ourselves or to seek personal recognition for our achievements. Rather, our mission is to follow God's lead so that the activities of our lives have eternal significance.* When the disciples returned from their missionary journey, they sought out Jesus to share their story and enthusiasm. They followed their instructions and they had cast out evil spirits and healed the sick. They brought hope, healing, and restoration to many people. They were riding on a high note and expected Jesus to offer a pat on the back. To their surprise, Jesus did not praise them. Jesus knew the disciples were in danger of confusing the power of the gospel with their own personal power. He said to them, "Do not rejoice that the spirit submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in the Book of Life."

**Grace & Peace. Maile**



6 JULY 2025

READINGS

## Pentecost 4

**2 Kings 5:1-14**

*and*

**Psalm 30**

**Isaiah 66:10-14**

*and*

**Psalm 66:19**

**Galatians 6:(1-6), 7-16**

**Luke 10:1-11, 16-20**



## 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.

#### WE HAVE A SPECIAL VISITOR ON SUNDAY 13 JULY

On Sunday 13 July, our Nambour Uniting Church will be blessed by a service led by Reverend Dong Woo from the Coolum Uniting Church, and Coolum will be blessed by a service led by our Reverend Maile on that day, too.

It is always special to celebrate the unity and community of our Uniting Churches, and I know we will give Reverend Dong a wonderful, warm, Nambour welcome, and express our heartfelt gratitude that he will be coming to bless our church with his sermon.

May God's blessings be upon Reverend Dong and Reverend Maile as they minister to each others congregations on 13 July. You won't want to miss this!



#### Volunteers needed for Garden Expo:

##### Can you help?

This year's Garden Expo will be held on Friday 11 July to Sunday 13 July. If any of our wonderful parishioners are able to lend a hand organising the parking from 7am on these days, please write your name on the list on the table in the foyer. Peter Bowden will be organising shifts so please see Peter to let him know what times you will be available. Thank you in advance! God Bless.

#### Activities in our Church this week:

##### Sunday: Worship Service at 9am

Monday: Garden Club 9am—12pm

Tuesday: Indoor Bowls 10am – 12pm

Tuesday: NA 12pm – 2pm

Wednesday: Tai Chi 8.30am-11am

Thursday: Indoor Bowls 10am – 12pm

Thursday: Narcotics Australia 12pm – 2pm

Friday: SC Arts & Crafts 9am—12pm

Friday: QLD Garden Expo 7am onwards

Saturday: QLD Garden Expo 7am onwards

Saturday: Narcotics Australia 6pm-9pm

Sunday: QLD Garden Expo 7am onwards

## *Proverbs for Daily Living*

To cultivate the fruit of wisdom, prepare the soil of your heart with virtues like humility.

*Sadguru Whispers*

Being humble means recognizing that we are not on earth to see how important we can become, but to see how much difference we can make in the lives of others.

*Gordon B Hinckley*

#### NEXT SUNDAY 13 July 2025 VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

**Amos 7:7-17**

*and*

**Psalm 82**

**Deuteronomy 30:9-14**

*and*

**Psalm 25:1-10**

**Colossians 1:1-14**

**Luke 10:25-37**