

**Parish of Moe-Newborough
St Aidan's, Newborough
Last Sunday after Epiphany
The Transfiguration
2nd March – 10am**



Celebrant: Rev'd Bruce Charles

Welcome to our service today!

Please join us for morning tea following the service.

Hymns	AHB 140	AHB 390	AHB 438	MP 445
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Sentence: And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father 's only son, full of grace and truth.

John 1.14

Collect: O God, glorious and faithful,
you reveal the beauty of your face
to those who seek you with a sincere heart:
strengthen us in faith
to embrace the mystery of the cross,
and open our hearts to its transforming power,
so that, clinging in love to your will for us, we may walk as followers of
your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and
ever. **Amen.**

First Reading Exodus 34: 29 - 35

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. ³⁰ When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. ³¹ But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. ³² Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. ³³ When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; ³⁴ but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, ³⁵ the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Hear the word of the Lord, **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 99

1 The Lord is king, let the nations tremble:
he is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake.

**2 The Lord is great in Zion:
he is high above all nations.**

3 Let them praise your great and terrible name:
for holy is the Lord.

**4 The Mighty One is king and loves justice:
you have established equity,
you have dealt righteousness and justice in Jacob.**

5 *O exalt the Lord our God:
and bow down before his footstool, for he is holy.*

**6 Moses and Aaron among his priests,
and Samuel among those who call upon his name:
they called to the Lord and he answered.**

7 He spoke to them from the pillar of cloud:
they kept to his teachings and the law that he gave them.

**8 You answered them, O Lord our God:
you were a forgiving God to them,
and pardoned their wrongdoing.**

9 *O exalt the Lord our God:
and bow down towards his holy hill,
for the Lord our God is holy.*

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 3: 12 – 4:2

Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, ¹³ not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that³ was being set aside. ¹⁴ But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. ¹⁵ Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; ¹⁶ but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. ¹⁷ Now the

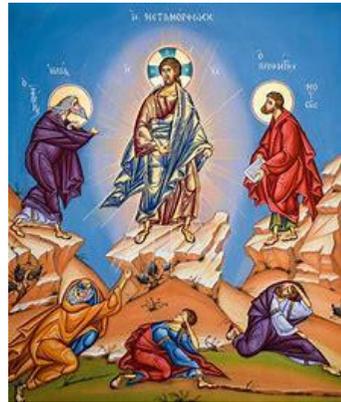
Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. ¹⁸ And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

¹ Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. ² We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

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Gospel: Luke 9:28-36

²⁸ Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹ And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³⁰ Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. ³¹ They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³² Now Peter and his companions were weighed down



with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³ Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, ³⁴ one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. ³⁴ While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. ³⁵ Then from the cloud came a voice that said, “This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!” ³⁶ When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

For the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**



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Bairnsdale

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St John's Close – Maffra

Our Parish:

We pray for

Father Giles, Julia, Darol and Joanna and the family they leave behind. We pray as they await their Visa's.

safe travel to their new home in our parish.

our Parish Council members and for the decisions they must make on our behalf.

All the volunteers who work in our Op Shops and the many people they give support to in various ways

The Listening Post and Get out for Good those who provide ministry and those who receive ministry

All in Need

those who have asked for our prayers: Alisha, Anton, Anne, Beth, Carolyn, Elsie, Helen, Jennifer, Jessica, John, John.Vr, Kevin, Kym, Lina, Pauline, Robin, Sam and Yvonne, along with those others known to us.

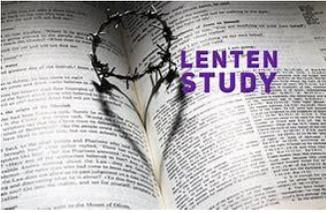
Please let Jan (0475067145) know if Prayer Requests change

You would like to have the anniversary of someone special acknowledged in the prayer.

World Day of Prayer: This Friday, 7th March at St Aidan's, 10am

Focus: The Cook Islands. Guest Speaker Vi Sear. It should be a wonderful time to learn more about our Pacific Island neighbours, the challenges they face and how they can be best supported by the church community.

Pews News



Lenten Study and Possible Group Meeting

'Going Deeper with Jesus' (Year C Readings for Lent)

Bishop Keith Dalby, Bishop of the Murray, has written the 2025 studies and his previous occupation as a submariner helps to make the content a very challenging and down to earth experience.

The production team felt the books title "Going Deeper With Jesus" was appropriate considering Bishop Keith's previous occupation and the need for all of us to consider going deeper in our life's journey of faith.

Copies Available for \$11 each for group or personal Reflection.

If you are interested in being part of a Lenten Study Group, please contact (Rev'd) Bruce 0429 045 132

A suggestion for the moment is the same time as last year, Fridays at 1.30pm at St Aidan's but other preferences might prevail. Hopefully begins this Friday.

Get Out for Good (G4G)

Meet on Tuesdays at Madge Vinnell Centre from 10am.

Prayer and Meditation group

meets this Wednesday evening, 8pm at St Aidan's. Please note change of time for this week.

Listening Post Drop In Centre is open on Fridays 10am – 12md at Madge Vinnell Centre. Please join us – we make a good brew and conversation!

Shrove Tuesday

at Marion Noppert's, 49 Scorpio Drive, Moe.

A reminder to prepare yourself for Lent. Enjoy a Party as you prepare to clear the decks before and during Lent.

Church Calendar

<p>Tuesday 4th March</p>	<p>G4G at MVC from 10am 11 am Service at Latrobe Village Aged Care 12pm Shrove Tuesday at Marion Noppert's, 49 Scorpio Drive, Moe.</p>
<p>Wednesday 5th March Ash Wednesday</p>	<p>10.00am Holy Communion at St Luke's, Moe 7pm Holy Communion at St Aidan's, Newborough If you have Palm Crosses from Palm Sunday last year, Bring them with you 8pm Meditation Group at St Aidan's, Newborough</p>
<p>Friday 7th March</p>	<p>10am World Day of Prayer at St Aidan's. 10 - 12md: LP Drop-in Centre. Drop in and share with us over a cuppa! Please encourage others to join us! Food Relief available 1.30pm Lenten Study Group (to be confirmed)</p>
<p>Sunday 9th March</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lent 1 Canon John Morgan</p>	<p>9.30am Prayer time in the Chapel 10.00am Holy Communion at St Aidan's, Newborough Readings: Deuteronomy 26.1-11, Psalm 91.1-2, 9-16, Romans 10.4-13 Luke 4.1-15</p>

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Services:

Wednesday 10.00am St Luke's, 47 South Street, Moe

Sunday 10.00am St Aidan's, 111 Torres Street, Newborough

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