

Parish of Moe-Newborough
Sunday 30th November 2025, 10.00am
St Aidan's, Newborough



Celebrant: Rev'd Giles Motisi

**Please join us after the service for refreshments
and fellowship.**

Hymns	AHB 198	AHB 371	AHB 418	AHB 192
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Sentence: Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths. Isaiah 2.3a

Collect: Faithful God, whose promises stand unshaken through all generations: renew us in hope, that we may be awake and alert watching for the glorious return of Jesus Christ, our Judge and Saviour, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading Isaiah 2.1-5

¹ The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

² In days to come

the mountain of the Lord 's house
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be raised above the hills;
all the nations shall stream to it.

³ Many peoples shall come and say,
'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord ,
to the house of the God of Jacob;
that he may teach us his ways
and that we may walk in his paths.'

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,
and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.

⁴ He shall judge between the nations,
and shall arbitrate for many peoples;
they shall beat their swords into ploughshares,
and their spears into pruning-hooks;
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war any more.

⁵ O house of Jacob,
come, let us walk
in the light of the Lord !

For the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Psalm 122

¹ I was glad when they said to me: ‘Let us go to the house of the Lord.’

² **And now our feet are standing: within your gates, O Jerusalem;**

³ Jerusalem which is built as a city: where the pilgrims gather in unity.

⁴ **There the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord: as he commanded Israel, to give thanks to the name of the Lord.**

⁵ There are set thrones of judgement: the thrones of the house of David.

⁶ **O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: may those who love you prosper.**

⁷ Peace be within your walls: and prosperity in your palaces.

⁸ **For the sake of my kindred and companions: I will pray that peace be with you.**

⁹ For the sake of the house of the Lord our God: I will seek for your good.

Second Reading:

Romans 13.9-14

⁹ The commandments, ‘You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet’; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’ ¹⁰ Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. ¹¹ Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; ¹² the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; ¹³ let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. ¹⁴ Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

For the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Gospel:

Matthew 24.36-44

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew, Chapter 24, beginning at the 36th verse.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

³⁶ 'But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. ³⁷ For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. ³⁸ For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, ³⁹ and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. ⁴⁰ Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left. ⁴¹ Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. ⁴² Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. ⁴³ But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁴ Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.

This is the Gospel of the Lord, praise **to you Lord Jesus Christ.**



INTERCESSION

Worldwide Church

The

- The Church of Bangladesh
- Diocese of Bathurst: Bishop Mark Calder

Our Diocese:

- Bishop Richard & Leanne
- The Episcopal District of Bunyip: Christine Angus & Associate Priest Ken Parker and The Episcopal District of Nar Nar Goon: Rev Dr Sallyanne Hart
- Bishop in Council
- Gippsland Administration Ltd (Diocesan Corporation)

Mission:

- Church Missionary Sociate (CMS)

Special Focus

- The **16 days of Activism** global campaign.
- Missionary Outreach
- Parish Missions Secretaries
- Federal & State Governments
- Local Councils

Our Parish:

- We pray for Father Giles, Julia, Frank, Peter, Darol and Joana and their family and friends in PNG.
- We give thanks for all elected and appointed at our AGM last Sunday, as we continue to pray for guidance, patience and God's blessings for the work ahead and for more workers in the field.
- We pray for the health, safety and wellbeing of all parish members.
- Those who have especially asked for our prayers: Alisha, Annabel, Anne, Cath, Carolyn, Coral, Daryl, David, Jenny, Jen & Zed, John, John, Kevin, Laila, Lina, Narrelle, Pauline, Ray, Rita and Yvonne along their families and with those others known to us.
- We continue to give thanks for the life of Derek Bowman
- We think of those who anniversary of their death falls at this time





16 Days of Activism: November 23-December 10, 2025

**As of the June 2025 Victorian Police figures
Latrobe has the highest number of DV incidents
East Gippsland is second
Wellington Shire is fifth**

Ways we can help reduce these figures:

- **Learn the signs of abuse**
 - **Call out abuse**
- **Support the victim and survivor**

ADVENT

Join us as we prepare for the birth of Jesus

Mondays 7.00 - 8.00 pm Supper served after Evening Prayer

1 December
Newborough Uniting Church, Old Sale Rd Newborough

8 December
St Aidan's Anglican Church Torres St Newborough

15 December
St Mary's Catholic Church Monash Rd Newborough



The Week Ahead:

Monday 1st December: 7pm Advent Service at UCA, Old Sale Road

Tuesday 2nd December: 10am G4G at MVC Anzac Street

11am Latrobe Valley Village Aged Care service

Wednesday 3rd December:

10am Holy Communion at St Luke's, Moe

4.30pm Ministry Pastoral Care Group meet at St Aidan's

7.00pm Prayer and Meditation Group at Madge Vinnell Centre

Friday 5th December:

10-12 Listening Post Drop-in Centre: All are welcome to Drop-In!

Sunday 7th December: Second Sunday of Advent



9.30am Prayer time in Chapel (all welcome to join in)

10.00am Holy Communion at St Aidan's, Newborough
Celebrant: Father Giles Motisi

Readings: Isaiah 11: 1-10

Psalm 72: 1-7, 18-21

Romans 15: 4-13

Matthew 3: 1-12

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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

(Unless advertised otherwise)

Parish Direct Banking Details:

Account name: Moe-Newborough Parish Council

BSB: 083 773 Account: 915 154 737