

ST FRANCIS DAY  
CHRIST CHURCH—GEELONG  
BLESSING OF ANIMALS—WE WORSHIP  
WITH THE CREATURES WE LOVE



20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
HOLY EUCHARIST @ 8AM  
6 OCTOBER 2024



## Announcements and Upcoming Events

**CALENDERS FOR 2025:** There has been a number of people inquiring about the Australian Anglican Church Calendars for 2025. If you would like to get a copy for yourself, kindly indicate your interest by signing at the crossing table. The copy costs \$15.

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:** The Official Notice of the AGM is now up on the door and Nomination Forms are available at the crossing table for Wardens as well as Parish Councilors. Kindly approach those you have been praying about and believe they have what it takes and energy to play this role.

**WORKING BEE:** The next Working Bee will be on Saturday 12 October from 9am—11am approximately. The usual assortment of chores will be undertaken; weeding, sweeping and generally tidying up the Church grounds.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:** Thank you to everyone who has already brought boxes or individual items for Christmas boxes. If you would still like to help but would prefer not to go shopping you may like to consider donating \$12.50 to cover the transport costs instead. Please ensure that all donations/items should be delivered to the Church by 20 October so that they reach the Drop-off Centre in time. For any queries, please speak to Jan.

This week's flowers were donated by Norma Bushby in loving memory of her husband John, whose anniversary falls at this time.

**WINDFIRE MUSIC FESTIVAL GEELONG:** 12.30 to 1.00pm  
Wednesday 9th October, Christ Church. Tom will be playing for this half an hour. For more details of concerts, dates, times and venues please visit [www.musicatthebasilica.org.au](http://www.musicatthebasilica.org.au) or email us at [music.basilica@bigpond.com](mailto:music.basilica@bigpond.com).

*Please note there is a Hearing Loop installed in the Church that provides a wireless signal picked up by the hearing aid when it is set to 'T' (Telecoil).*

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## **THE WEEK AHEAD**

**Tuesday, 8 October** - Meditation in the Chapel at 7:15pm

**Wednesday, 9 October**- Holy Eucharist at 10am

## **NEXT SUNDAY— 13 October (FOUNDATION FESTIVAL)**

**Services:** Eucharist every Sunday at:

8am (Said), 10am (Sung) & 5:15pm (Shortened)

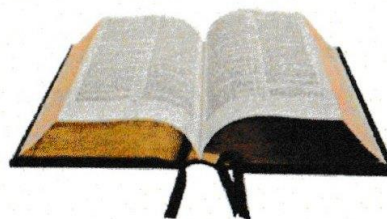
### **Readings:**

1 kings 8:22-24,27-30

Psalm 122

1 Peter 2:4-10

Matthew 7:24-29



*"We acknowledge the Wadawurrung people of the Kulin Nation as the traditional custodians of the lands on which Christ Church and its building now stand."*