

**Anglican Parish of Queenscliff- Point Lonsdale**  
**Sunday 10.00am Holy Communion at**  
**St James' Point Lonsdale**

Morning Prayer Tuesday 10.30am St James'  
 Morning Prayer Wednesday 10.30am St George's  
 Next mid-week Holy Communion 10.30am 16<sup>th</sup> October St George's



**Sharing in ministry together**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> September – EIGHTEENTH AFTER PENTECOST**

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**THIS WEEK IN A NUTSHELL**

<b>MONDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> September</b>	Mthr Jo on leave
<b>TUESDAY 24<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30am Morning Prayer St James' Point Lonsdale 1.00pm Ceilia's Daughters Recital Old School Hall Queenscliff
<b>WEDNESDAY 25<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30am Morning Prayer St George's Queenscliff
<b>THURSDAY 26<sup>th</sup></b>	
<b>FRIDAY 27<sup>th</sup></b>	
<b>SATURDAY 28<sup>th</sup></b>	Cake Stall and Book Stall Gill Hall Pt Lonsdale
<b>SUNDAY 29<sup>th</sup></b>	Fifth Sunday of the month 10.00am Holy Communion St James' Point Lonsdale

**Prayer of the week:** Loving Father, whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for him: give us the will to be the servants of others as he was the servant of all, who gave up his life and died for us, and yet lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

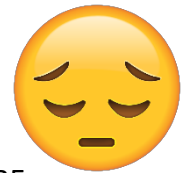
**This week's readings:** Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost – Proverbs 31:10-31; Psalm 1 (page 224 in the Prayer Book); James 3:1-12; Mark 9:30-37  
(All readings are taken from The New Revised Standard Version of the Bible)

**Next week's readings:** The Feast of St Michael and all Angels – Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 138; Revelation 12:7-12a; John 1:45-51

**Hymns** – Oh no! The organ at St James' needs a new processor board estimated cost \$3,000.

Introit - All hail the power of Jesus' name TIS 224, AHB 159, tune DIANEM  
offertory - God be in my head (repeated as necessary) TIS 549, AHB 456 GOD BE IN MY HEAD

Post Communion - Be thou my vision (omit verse 3) TIS 547, AHB 455 tune SLANE



### **Proverbs 31:10-31**

A capable wife who can find?

She is far more precious than jewels.

<sup>11</sup> The heart of her husband trusts in her,  
and he will have no lack of gain.

<sup>12</sup> She does him good, and not harm,  
all the days of her life.

<sup>13</sup> She seeks wool and flax,  
and works with willing hands.

<sup>14</sup> She is like the ships of the merchant,  
she brings her food from far away.

<sup>15</sup> She rises while it is still night  
and provides food for her household  
and tasks for her servant-girls.

<sup>16</sup> She considers a field and buys it;  
with the fruit of her hands she plants a vineyard.

<sup>17</sup> She girds herself with strength,  
and makes her arms strong.

<sup>18</sup> She perceives that her merchandise is profitable.  
Her lamp does not go out at night.

<sup>19</sup> She puts her hands to the distaff,  
and her hands hold the spindle.

<sup>20</sup> She opens her hand to the poor,  
and reaches out her hands to the needy.

<sup>21</sup> She is not afraid for her household when it snows,  
for all her household are clothed in crimson.

<sup>22</sup> She makes herself coverings;  
her clothing is fine linen and purple.

- <sup>23</sup> Her husband is known in the city gates,  
taking his seat among the elders of the land.
- <sup>24</sup> She makes linen garments and sells them;  
she supplies the merchant with sashes.
- <sup>25</sup> Strength and dignity are her clothing,  
and she laughs at the time to come.
- <sup>26</sup> She opens her mouth with wisdom,  
and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue.
- <sup>27</sup> She looks well to the ways of her household,  
and does not eat the bread of idleness.
- <sup>28</sup> Her children rise up and call her happy;  
her husband too, and he praises her:
- <sup>29</sup> 'Many women have done excellently,  
but you surpass them all.'
- <sup>30</sup> Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain,  
but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised.
- <sup>31</sup> Give her a share in the fruit of her hands,  
and let her works praise her in the city gates.

**Psalm 1 (page 224 in the Prayer Book)**

Blessed are they who have not walked in the counsel of the ungodly:

**Nor followed the ways of sinners, nor taken their seat amongst the scornful.**

But their delight is in the law of the Lord:

**And on that law will they ponder day and night.**

They are like trees planted beside streams of water:

**That yield their fruit in due season.**

Their leaves also shall not wither:

**And look, whatever they do, it shall prosper.**

As for the ungodly, it is not so with them:

**They are like the chaff which the wind scatters.**

Therefore, the ungodly shall not stand up at the judgement:

**Nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.**

For the Lord cares for the way of the righteous:

**But the way of the ungodly shall perish.**

**James 3:1-12**

Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness. <sup>2</sup>For all of us make many mistakes. Anyone who makes no mistakes in speaking is perfect, able to keep the whole body in check with a bridle. <sup>3</sup>If we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole bodies. <sup>4</sup>Or look at ships: though they are so large that it takes strong winds to drive them, yet they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs. <sup>5</sup>So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great exploits.

How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! <sup>6</sup>And the tongue is a fire. The tongue is placed among our members as a world of iniquity; it stains the whole body, sets on fire the cycle of nature, and is itself set on fire by hell. <sup>7</sup>For every species of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by the human species, <sup>8</sup>but no

one can tame the tongue—a restless evil, full of deadly poison. <sup>9</sup> With it we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse those who are made in the likeness of God. <sup>10</sup> From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this ought not to be so. <sup>11</sup> Does a spring pour forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish water? <sup>12</sup> Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water yield fresh.

**Mark 9:30-37**

They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; <sup>31</sup> for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, ‘The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.’ <sup>32</sup> But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him. <sup>33</sup> Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, ‘What were you arguing about on the way?’ <sup>34</sup> But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. <sup>35</sup> He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, ‘Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.’ <sup>36</sup> Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, <sup>37</sup> ‘Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.’

**WHAT’S ON ....**

**Mthr Jo on leave** 23<sup>rd</sup> September – 7<sup>th</sup> October.  
**54<sup>th</sup> SYNOD** 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> October **Mthr Jo and Fiona** attending.



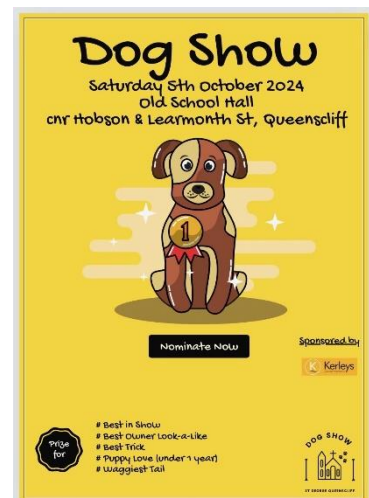
**GRAND FINAL WEEKEND CAKE STALL AND BOOK SALE** Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September at St James’. Cakes, jams, chutneys, sausage rolls and other baked goods can be popped in the fridge at Gill Hall on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> or brought up on the morning of the stall. Please talk to Fiona if you can help out with sales that morning.  
Fiona 0428 322 208

*Cecilia’s Daughters* Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 1.00pm Old School Hall  
 A fundraising recital for St George’s Restoration Appeal, \$40.00 at the door, enquiries to Fiona 0428 322 208

**St George’s FLOWER SHOW** Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October at the Old School Hall, Queenscliff including **The Queenscliff DOG SHOW.**



Let’s celebrate the Feast of St Francis, the patron saint of animals and the environment.  
 [Feast of St Francis 4<sup>th</sup> October]



**CHRISTMAS IS COMING** and we are looking for volunteers to share in ministry to our visitors and their children. We are preparing a photo opportunity with baby Jesus in the days leading up to Christmas. If you are interested, please enrol with Fiona who is preparing a roster that covers two-hour shifts over three days. It is certain to be fun, grandmas, grandpas, uncles and aunties all welcome. Fiona 0428 322 208

**Do you need a lift to church?** We have a list of willing drivers to help you join us for worship. please contact Sally [0427651038]

**Parish Prayer List** – If you would like prayer for yourself or another who have given their permission and would appreciate prayer as part of our time of worship, please direct your prayer request to Mthr Jo 0458 523 754 or [vicar@queenscliffionsdaleanglican.org](mailto:vicar@queenscliffionsdaleanglican.org)



**GROWTH PRAYER** – God of mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, joy to our worship, and power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**PARISH BANK DETAILS:** BSB 633 000 [Bendigo Bank] Acc #157 443 508  
Account name: Anglican Parish of St George's

**MORNING PRAYER on Zoom**

**Monday – Saturday 9.15am** [www.us02web.zoom.us/j/83936429814?pwd=SIJCRE5WNXRZUxRa0dHVk1vL2w3dz09](https://www.us02web.zoom.us/j/83936429814?pwd=SIJCRE5WNXRZUxRa0dHVk1vL2w3dz09)

**EVENING PRAYER Zoom**

**Monday – Saturday 5.00pm** [www.us02web.zoom.us/j/87628164461?pwd=cEF6K1E1Yjh6TEFKa25laG4vUDdMQT09](https://www.us02web.zoom.us/j/87628164461?pwd=cEF6K1E1Yjh6TEFKa25laG4vUDdMQT09)

**MEDITATION on Zoom**

**Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8.30am – 9.00am**

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