



Sunday 31st May 2026

The Anglican Parish of Bass-Phillip Island

St Philip's, Cowes
St Augustine's, San Remo, St Paul's, Bass
Choose Hope, Love, Justice

Welcome! *It is wonderful to gather for worship and celebrate the risen Lord. If you are visiting, we'd love you to join us for morning tea after the service.*

We meet for worship on the lands of Bunurong, Gunai-kurnai and Woi-Wurrung people; the traditional owners of the land on which we gather, and pay our respects to their Elders, past, present, and pray God's blessings on all peoples.

Today: Trinity Sunday – 1st After Pentecost – Father Son and Holy Spirit

Readings: Song of the 3 APBA p 399, 2 Corinthians 13: 11-14 Matthew 28: 16-20



After Pentecost, we come to the most distinctly Christian worship service of the year. Today, we celebrate our faith in One God - Father, Son and Holy Spirit. After Easter and Pentecost we naturally come to Trinity Sunday. Jesus' ministry in the gospels and the Spirit's ministry in Acts revealed that the one God's identity is not found in one person but in three. We believe in a God whose nature is holy love. From time eternal bound

together in mutual adoration and praise. And through the indwelling of the Spirit, received at Pentecost, we are drawn into their blessed fellowship.

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PRAYER POINTS:

- **The World:** God of all peoples, bring peace where there is conflict, give wisdom to leaders, and inspire nations to care for creation and share resources justly.
- **The Church:** Lord Jesus, strengthen your Church to be a sign of love and service, renew our worship and faith, and unite us in mission and compassion. For our supported missionaries through BCA and the MAF International
- **The Community:** God of neighbours, bless our local area with safety and kindness, help us to see and respond to those who are lonely or struggling, and empower community groups and services to work together for the common good. We pray for all the volunteers of PICAL, the Mary Talbot Room and the Emergency Food Pantry.
- **Those in Need:** Healer and Comforter, be with the sick, grieving, and anxious, sustain those facing poverty or homelessness, and surround refugees and victims of violence with your protection and hope.

DIARY DATES THIS WEEK:

Thurs 4th June 10:00am Communion Service - St. Philip's, Cowes

Friday 5th June 11:00- 2:00pm Chat 'n Chew – Parish Hall, Cowes

Sunday 6st June 9:30am Communion Service, St. Philip's, Cowes
11:00am Family Service, St. Augustine's, San Remo
11:30am Communion Service, St. Paul's Bass

NEWS and EVENTS:

Monday 1st June - Bass Coast Winter Shelter 2026 Dedication Service @7pm, St. John's Uniting Church, Led by Rev'd Wendy Elson

All are most Welcome

Emergency Food Pantry (San Remo) & PICAL: please bring in non-perishable foods to bless those in need; pasta and sauce, tuna, 2 min noodles, coffee and toilet paper especially appreciated.

Next Sunday: Psalm 116: 1-2, 11-18, Romans 5: 1-11, Matthew 9: 35- 10: 8