



Sunday 12th July 2026

The Anglican Parish of Bass-Phillip Island

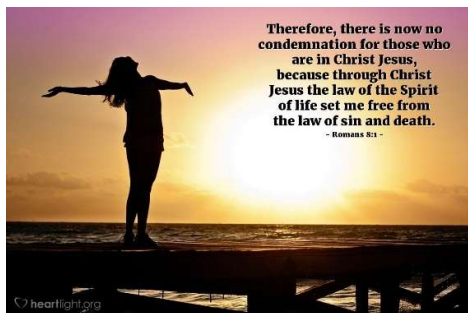
St Philip's, Cowes
St Augustine's, San Remo, St Paul's, Bass
Choose Hope, Love, Justice

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.

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: 7th Sunday After Pentecost – No Condemnation in Christ!

Readings: : Psalm 119: 105-112, Romans 8:1-11, Matthew 13: 1-9, 10-17



There is no condemnation for those who are in Christ! Wonderful news! If you are a believer, then Christ is in you. He places his Spirit in us when we repent and believe that he is Lord. By his grace we are forgiven, Jesus was condemned in our place. He defeated sin and death so that we can have life and peace. We are then to walk in the Spirit, fixing our mind on Christ rather

than things of the world and flesh, being transformed more and more into the likeness of Jesus, loving God and loving others.

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PRAYER POINTS:

- **The World:** We pray for China and all who have been devastatingly impacted from the typhoon and floods. We continue to pray for Venezuela after the earthquakes. We pray for peace in the world.
- **The Church:** We pray for your Church throughout the world, and for this parish community. Fill us with your Holy Spirit, deepen our faith, and inspire us to share your love. May we be a welcoming beacon of hope and grace to all who enter here. May the focus remain on what unites us, Jesus, and not on our differences.
- **The Community:** Bless our local community, our homes, our schools, and our workplaces. We pray for our neighbours, for those who serve the public, and for the strength to build a community where everyone is valued, respected, and supported. For the Uniting Church as they eagerly await the arrival of their new minister.
- **Those in Need:** We lift to you all who are suffering in body, mind, or spirit. Comfort those who face illness, grief, loneliness, or anxiety. Bring them healing, peace, and the reassurance of your constant presence. We pray for those without a place to call home, who wonder where their next meal is coming from. We pray for generous hearts to give practically as we can.

DIARY DATES THIS WEEK:

Mon 13th July 7-8pm Prayers at St Philip's
Wed 15th July 7- 8:30pm A Travelogue Evening, - Parish Hall, Cowes, Please bring Snax's to share, come and see some pics and hear stories of recent travel.
Thurs 16th July 10:00am **Communion Service** - St. Philip's, Cowes
7:00pm **Parish Council Meeting** – Emmaus Rm Cowes
Friday 17th July 9:30 – 1:30 **Deanary Meeting** , Emmaus Room, Cowes
11:00 – 2:00pm **Chat 'n Chew** – Parish Hall, Cowes
Sunday 19th July 9:30am **Communion Service**, St. Philip's , Cowes
11:00am **Family Service**, St Augustine's,
11:30 **Communion Service**, St. Paul's, Bass

NEWS and EVENTS:

Safe Church with Jules: Postponed, watch this space.

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.

Ecumenical Ladies Morning Tea - Tues 21st July, at Cowes Golf Club Settlement Rd. @ 10:15 All Welcome

Next Sunday: Psalm 139:1-11, 23-24, Romans 8:12-25, Mat 13: 24-43