



THE FIRST HUNDRED YEARS

HISTORY OF THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. PAUL

BENDIGO, VICTORIA 1868-1968

† The Parish Church of St. Paul
Bendigo

OUR PARISH CHURCH CELEBRATES ITS
CENTENARY IN NOVEMBER.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN WITH OUR
PARISHIONERS IN MAKING THIS AN
HISTORIC OCCASION.

Come to the:

Centenary Debutante Ball
City Hall - November 1st.

Centenary Services
First three Sundays of
November.

Centenary Picnic
November 5th.

Festival of Music
November 12th.
Festival of Bells

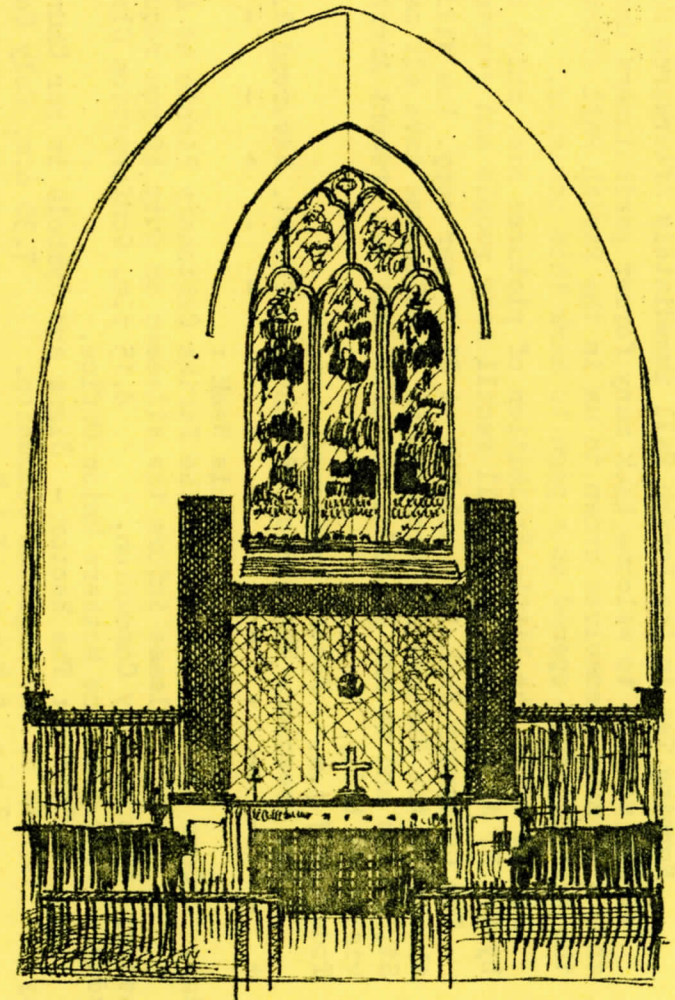
Distinguished Preachers &
Visitors.

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Let us thank God with heart and voice
for our goodly heritage and all the
joys and comfort which have come to
you and yours from this old Parish
Church.

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NEWS SHEET



† Centenary Year 1968-1969

8 a.m. Holy Communion, No Sunday Schools today,
 10 a.m. Sung Eucharist. Liturgical Welcome to the Archbishop of Melbourne
 who will be the Preacher.
 Morning Tea in the Parish Hall immediately afterwards for all.

We are so glad to welcome back many former parishioners and friends and we hope they will make themselves known to us in the Parish Hall afterwards. Please sign the Visitors Book opened on a page to mark this occasion.

Please visit the little Exhibition of pictures etc. which has been arranged by Mr. R. A. Anderson. They will recall many people and events of times past.

The Centenary Book is available at \$1.00 per copy. You will read how through the years the Bishops and Archbishops of Melbourne have all made visits to St. Paul's and we are grateful and glad that our present Archbishop so kindly visits us today.

Today at 7 p.m. Festal Evensong,
 The Preacher: The Bishop of Bendigo, The Rt. Reverend R. Richards, M.A.
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This Week :

Tuesday. Come and be with us for the Parish Centenary Picnic at Axedale on this Day. Please inform the sidesmen on duty if you require transport.

Wednesday. 10 a.m. Holy Communion, 4.15 p.m. Confirmation Class.

Thursday. 2.30 p.m. The Mothers Union Office.
 Speaker: The Rector - Signs and Symbols in our Church.

Friday. Saints of the Anglican Communion. 7.30 a.m. Holy Communion,
 7 p.m. & 8 p.m. Y.A.F.

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NEXT SUNDAY : Dedication Festival Services. November 10th.

8 a.m. Holy Communion, 10 a.m. Sunday Schools,
 10 a.m. Matins. Preacher: The Very Reverend T. Thomas, Dean of Melbourne.
 5 p.m. THE WOMEN'S TEA. For all Women, Confirmed girls and those about to be Confirmed. Speaker: Mrs. R. Richards, Bishopscourt.
 7 p.m. Festal Evensong. Preacher: The Reverend W. Dowel. One of the former boys of this parish.
 Mr. R. A. Anderson. Organist Emeritus. Will give a short Organ Recital.

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PLEASE KEEP IN MIND THE ACTUAL DAY OF DEDICATION, NOVEMBER 12TH.

In the morning there will be thanksgiving services and in the Evening 7.30 p.m. An OFFERING OF MUSIC. Choir and Organ. With prayers of thanksgiving.

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We are grateful for further gifts for our Centenary Renovation Appeal and acknowledge :
 Mr & Mrs C. Alexander, \$20.00; Mr & Mrs D. H. Elvery, \$10.00; Mr H. R. Jones, \$10.00;
 Mr & Mrs R. B. Thomson, \$5.00; Miss Lesley Allott, \$5.00; Mr & Mrs G. Glover, \$5.00;
 Mr & Mrs Ian Wallace, \$5.00; Mrs N. C. McCarthy, \$5.00; Mr & Mrs W. Wright, \$5.00;
 Miss S. Woollorton, \$5.00; Mr & Mrs W. G. Humphreys, \$4.00; Mrs. E. Wood, \$4.00;
 Mr & Mrs E. Timbs, \$4.00; Mrs E. R. Ganty, \$2.00; Mrs K. Forbes, \$2.00;
 Mr & Mrs W. Coates, \$2.00; Mr & Mrs I. Phair, \$1.00; Miss J. Carwardine, \$1.00;
 Mr & Mrs M. McConville, \$1.00; Mrs L. K. Howe, \$1.00; \$1.09.

Received later - Mrs E. E. Cambridge, \$10.00; Mrs C. E. Malloy, \$2.00.

Total to date - \$3,869. 107 Centenary Books sold.

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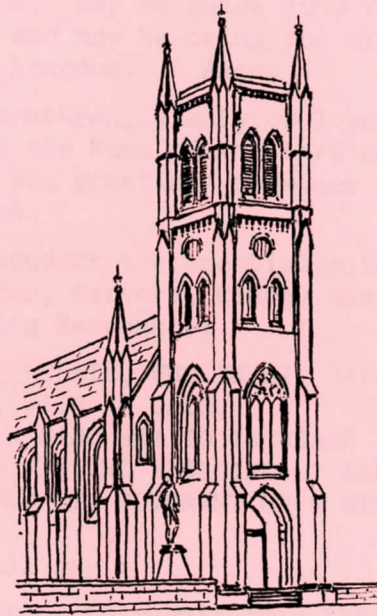
Our Thanks.

To the men who took part in a Working Bee and made a fine job of painting, weeding and a general clean up. To the members of the various Committees who have been working so hard e.g. Morning Tea today; Picnic on Tuesday.

The Debutante Ball which was such a great success; Women's Tea and Men's Tea to come, and no less the Choir for hours of rehearsals and for our Servers and Vestrymen in so many ways. Mrs Max Morse has our very special thanks - she has made no less than 16 new Cottas for the Choir-Boys.

The
Parish Church
of
Saint Paul

1868



1968

Order of Service
to
Mark The Centenary
of
The Dedication of this Church
Sunday November 3rd, 1968, at 10 a.m.

A DIARY OF EVENTS

Festal Evensong Today. November 3rd, at 7 p.m.

Preacher — The Rt. Rev. Ronald Richards, M.A. The Bishop of Bendigo.

Tuesday, November 5th — Parish Picnic at Axedale.

Sunday, November 10th — Festival Services.

Preacher at 10 a.m. — The Dean of Melbourne, The Very Reverend T. W. Thomas, B.A.

5 p.m. — Fellowship Tea for all Women and Girls.

Speaker — Mrs. R. E. Richards.

7 p.m. Preacher — The Reverend W. Dowel, Th.L.

An Organ Recital by Mr. R. A. Anderson. Organist Emeritus.

Tuesday, November 12th — The actual Day of Dedication.

Thanksgiving Services at 7.30 a.m. and 10 a.m. H.C.

7.30 p.m. — A Festival of Music. Specially arranged by our Music Masters and featuring St. Paul's Choir.

Sunday, November 17th — Festival Services.

Preacher at 10 a.m. — The Reverend R. Pidgeon, B.A.

5 p.m. — A Fellowship Tea for all Men and Boys.

Parochial Reminiscences.

7 p.m. — The Confirmation Service. The Bishop.

Friday, November 22nd — "GATES OF HELL" a Play presented by Kyabram Parish, in St. Pauls Hall, at 8 p.m.

Sunday, November 24th — 10 a.m. First Communion at the Eucharist.

7 p.m. — Evensong.

Other services and occasions will be arranged for this Centenary Year and due notice will be given through the weekly news sheets.

A Centenary Parish Story Book is available at \$1.00 per copy.

Proceeds of this book will be devoted to the Centenary Restoration Appeal. Many gifts have already been made to this appeal by past and present parishioners and friends of St. Paul's.