

Christ Church Cathedral and St Peter's Hamilton



52 Church Street, Newcastle

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Welcome to worship today, especially all who are visiting

Weekly News Sunday 6 September 2020 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



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Today's Services at the Cathedral

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Dear Parish Family,

This past week we remembered the New Guinea Martyrs on 2nd September. Last week's pewslip held information about these martyrs, and ways to support the church in PNG. You can read more about the martyrs in the 'Reflection on a Page' in this week's bundle. The martyrs were remembered at the Eucharist on Wednesday, and if you missed joining the livestream of that service, you can watch it here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GdiG9hWi9OE&feature=share&fbclid=lw ARohBcNeoVdoVUCZRphFcj5JPLJooN5c5RUCnSau9GWchodqd8XNlt-ZVRc

I hope that the bundle of resources we send out each week is helpful to you – I know many of you look forward to receiving it. When we had a glitch with the email sending out the bundles last week, it was encouraging to receive messages wondering what had happened to the weekly mail! (I'm very sorry about the glitch. We don't know what happened! But please keep letting us know if you don't receive your bundle. Thank you!) In the pewslip you'll find information about the practicalities of attending worship, and other information about worship and the parish.

I know it can seem daunting to receive an email with lots of attachments, especially when reading on a screen is quite different to making a cuppa and sitting down to read. However, can I please encourage you to take the time to read through the resources each week – and, if it's easier, please contact the parish office and ask to be added to the physical mail out list to receive a printed copy of the bundle.

I'm enjoying 'singing along at home' to the latest recordings on the Choir's YouTube channel,

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCj1uCQsfG7Ek4NLW_SJzvRQ. Each Saturday evening I also look forward to reading the latest blog from the choir blogger https://newcastlecathedralchoir.wordpress.com/.

Finally, my choice of poem this week is inspired by freesias (not daffodils!) My parents visited on the weekend and brought a bundle of freesias and lavender from their garden, and the sweet scent transports me every time I cross the entry way in the Deanery. As we rejoice in the budding of spring, e.e.cummings (yes, all the punctuation is at it should be!) encourages us to rejoice in being.

in time of daffodils

in time of daffodils(who know the goal of living is to grow) forgetting why, remember how

in time of lilacs who proclaim the aim of waking is to dream, remember so(forgetting seem)

in time of roses(who amaze our now and here with paradise) forgetting if, remember yes

in time of all sweet things beyond whatever mind may comprehend, remember seek(forgetting find)

and in a mystery to be (when time from time shall set us free) forgetting me, remember me

e.e.cummings 1894-1962

With my thanks and prayers. Dean Katherine

Ps: Please share this email with others who would like to hear news of the parish.

To receive our weekly mailings, please contact the Cathedral Office

<u>cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au</u> to be placed on the email or mail out list.

The **FLOWERS** at the Pulpit have been donated by Judy Wotton in memory of her **mother Marjorie Wotton** and **The New Guinea Martyrs**



From the Cathedral's Director of Music, Peter Guy...

In last week's gospel, we heard Jesus telling his disciples that they must take up their cross and follow him, and this week, Paul reminds us in his letter to the Romans of Christ's call for us to love one another, which is the fulfilment of the law. On the cross, Christ shows us exactly what the love of God looks like. In the hymn "Lift high the cross" we are encouraged to proclaim that love of God throughout the world.

The text of the hymn was written, initially, by George Kitchin, and then later revised by Michael Newbolt. The tune is by Sir Sydney Nicholson. Sir Sydney was the Organist and Master of the Choristers at Westminster Abbey between 1919-1928, but being so dismayed at the state of church music around the parishes in England, he left that post to establish the School of English Church Music, which would later change its name to the Royal School of Church Music.

The spelling of his name is no accident (or typo!), either. His Father was Sir Charles Nicholson, who spent nearly 30 years in Australia, eventually being elected to the NSW Legislative Council, was vice-provost of the University of Sydney, and later Chancellor. He donated around 1000 items which was the genesis of the now-closed Nicholson Museum at the University of Sydney. Charles Nicholson returned to England in 1862, married in 1865 and had three children: the first a prominent ecclesiastical architect, the second an ecclesiastical stained-glass maker, and Sydney, the ecclesiastical musician. Quite a family!

You can sing along to the hymn here: https://youtu.be/817DUrAi6WM



Mainly Music is currently in recess - Please check our Cathedral Ministry Facebook page and our Cathedral Facebook for fun activities and resources you can do at home!

Donations for Flowers - to donate flowers **in memory of a loved one** or as a **thank-offering**, please advise Suzanne Evans on 4955 9170 and place your donation in an envelope listing the date for display and include a message and place in the wall safe.

Flowers are required for September 13 & 27 and October 4, 11, 18 & 25.

SERVICES THIS WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL
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	8.30am - Eucharist	The Bishop	
Thursday 10 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer	Fr Philip Thirlwell	
	8.30am - Eucharist	TTTTIIIP TTIIITVVCII	
Friday 11 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer	The Dean	
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CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY LUNCHES: The Cathedral Community Lunches Program is continuing to offer a hot meal every second Sunday at 12.30pm as a 'take away' option from the Horbury Hunt Hall. Thank you to the dedicated volunteers who are ensuring this important outreach program continues to operate. The next community lunch take away Sunday September 13.

Stewardship: Thank you for your ongoing faithful financial support of the mission and ministry of the parish. With no opportunities for additional fund raising, your giving is greatly appreciated. In this time, the best way to exercise our stewardship, to support the work of the parish, is through electronic giving. Our stewardship is an expression of our thankfulness to God, offering as we have received.

Name: Electronic Giving Account

BSB: 705-077

Account: 00040917 (please include all 8 digits)

Please include your Initial & Surname in the reference line, if required.

Please ask the sidespersons at the Cathedral or St Peter's if you would like a set of stewardship envelopes. If you would like information on how you can contribute to the Music Fund, Missions, and other ministries, please contact the parish office so we can share those details with you. Thank you for your generosity, which supports ministry now and in the future.



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:

Our concern is for the health and wellbeing of all people who come to this church. Together we can help make our community and our church COVID-19 safe.

By entering this church, you acknowledge that there remains a risk that you may contract COVID-19.

We ask that you:

- Please do not attend if you are feeling unwell.
- Please do not attend if you have returned from overseas within the last 14 days.
- Please do not attend if you have returned from a Government listed COVID-19 hotspot within the last 14 days.
- Please do not attend if you have been in contact with a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 in the last 14 days.
- Please consider your personal situation including any pre-existing medical conditions or whether you fall within a high-risk category to determine if additional personal precautions should be taken.

This Church is part of the *Anglican Diocese of Newcastle*. For further details regarding our *COVID-19 safety plan*, please visit our website: newcastleanglican.org.au/corona-virus-response

Thank you for your understanding as we implement COVIDS afe worship practices.



FACT SHEET No.6 SAFE ENTRY AND EXIT OF THE CHURCH BUILDING

COVID-19 SAFE RETURN TO CHURCH FRAMEWORK STEP TWO

The **health and safety** of all workers, volunteers and participants attending our sites is paramount. The increase in the numbers of parishioners that are now able to attend sites brings some additional complexities in moving people safely into and out of our buildings.

Requirements of the Parish:

Entry

- ✓ The church site will not open until 15 minutes before the service. Any access to the site should remain closed until this time.
- On booking, parishioners must be advised that they should proceed directly to the entry point of the building and not to gather in the carpark or waiting area.
- ✓ A designated entry point should be established, and parishioners asked to social distance while
 moving into the building.
- ✓ An authorised representative must be designated to direct parishioners to their seats. This will ensure that social distancing is complied with and only the allocated seating is used.
- ✓ The parish must develop a plan to move parishioners safely into their allocated seating. This plan must include details of what order seats will be filled to avoid pushing past occupied seating.

Exiting

- ✓ At the conclusion of the service the Incumbent, Churchwarden or Authorised Representative must direct parishioners on how to safely leave the building.
- ✓ The whole congregation should not leave the building at the same time, small groups should be asked
 to leave with the groups closest to the exit point leaving first.
- ✓ The church site will be closed 15 minutes after the service. A reminder must be provided to leave the
 site directly after the service. This should be monitored by the Churchwarden or Authorised
 Representative.



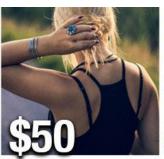
On many occasions before, Samaritans and the Diocese of Newcastle have come together to support our communities as they face crisis.

I think you can agree with me, as a community we've never faced a crisis quite like COVID-19".

- Brad Webb, Samaritans CEO.



could contribute to a counselling session for a child recovering from trauma.



could give emergency assistance to a woman fleeing domestic violence.



could contribute to a support worker for a NSW family living in poverty.

To Donate: www.samaritans.org.au/donate or Phone 02 4960 7100.

We have taken measures to ensure that the Cathedral is a safe environment for all. All who work with children or youth have completed Safe Ministry Training and all clergy, staff and volunteers are subject to strict employment measures such as working with children checks. The Cathedral is committed to being a place where survivors of abuse experience care and support. For a confidential discussion, please call or email the Director of Professional Standards 1800 774 945

dps@newcastleanglican.org.au or survivorsupport@newcastleanglican.org.au

DONATIONS FOR COMMUNITY LUNCH: Thank you to everyone who generously supports our Community Lunch programme. If you would like to assist in donating some frozen food items on a monthly basis, please contact Andrew Traill 0427 784 966 to be placed on the roster. Donations can be placed in the freezer in the Meeting Room when the Cathedral is open for worship. Alternatively, donated items can be picked up from a donor's residence at a mutually arranged time.

Please send any notices for inclusion in the pew sheet to cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au by 9am on Tuesday

Mission News - September 2 commemorated The Martyrs of New Guinea in the Anglican Church



Almighty God, for seventy-eight years the Church has been encouraged by the Martyrs of New Guinea who followed your Son in laying down their lives for the sake of your kingdom. Inspired by their story, like them, may we leave all other cares aside to make it known that you rule with love over the whole world. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and for ever. Amen.

Papua New Guinea - Newton Theological College - Embodying the legacy of the Martyrs

Father Prout Pari serves as Parish Priest at busy All Souls' in the Papua New Guinean city of Lae, a post he has held only since January this year.

A graduate of Newton Theological College, Father Prout describes his four years training for the priesthood at Newton College as 'challenging'. It encompassed the three streams of prayer, study and work. In terms of work, 'we were taught to take [the] lead in action and conduct, from domestic duties in our homes, to evangelism and pastoral work, and social duties in our community'.

His most difficult experience at college was 'seeing how the wives and children of student priests endure the challenges of self-reliant lifestyle in a new setting'. In spite of this, Father Prout is full of praise for the college, and likes the fact that 'women study... alongside their husbands.'

In fact, the wives' involvement in Newton College's programs of self-reliance prepares them for their lives ahead as providers of material support for their husbands, as teachers and also as role models for other women in their parishes. Father Prout is one of many serving in the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea today who embody the great legacy of the Martyrs.

Your generous donation to ABM's Martyrs Appeal this year will strengthen the work of Newton Theological College and the Church's Adult Literacy program, contributing to realising the vision of the New Guinea Martyrs for modern Papua New Guinea. Together we can reach our goal of \$75,000 in 2020.



ABM has thanked us for \$5000 given for this Appeal so far this year. The Newcastle ABM Committee is looking for people to join the work of this committee. As Parish Secretary I attend (by Zoom now) meetings to keep up to date with the work of ABM. If anyone is interested in joining this committee please contact Dean Katherine or the Rev'd Angela. It is time for some new people to carry on the work that the Martyrs died for. The Treasurer also was delighted to report that about \$7000 had also been given for the Drought and Fire Appeal earlier this year.

To continue our important support for ABM cheques can be posted to

PO Box 221 NEWCASTLE NSW 2300

or by on-line giving.

Name Missions Account Account BSB 705077

Account Number 00041087

Some Practicalities about attending worship:

Information on how to attend worship is found below. Pre-registration is encouraged or register on arrival. We are required to keep a register of those attending. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Please contact Dean Katherine 0407 201 693 if you have any questions or concerns. Those attending worship are strongly encouraged to wear a face mask. In the Cathedral, the maximum size of a congregation at this time is capped at 100, which also includes adherence to the rule of four-square metres of space for every person present. At St Peter's Hamilton, the maximum congregational size is 50.

Worship Times:

At the Cathedral:

Sunday – 8.00am and 11.00am.

To attend please contact the Parish Office

(02) 4929 2052 or email cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au

(Monday – Friday) or contact Dean Katherine 0407 201 693.

Monday – Friday: Morning Prayer at 8.00am and Mass at 8.30am in the St Christopher Chapel. Please enter through the transept door and register on arrival.

At St Peter's Hamilton:

Tuesday and Thursday at 11.00am.

To register please call Jenny on 0499 983 336 by 6.00pm on the day before the service/s you wish to attend.

For more information about our safe return-to-church practices please visit: https://www.newcastleanglican.org.au/corona-virus-response/covid19-safe-return-to-church/

ONLINE SERVICES THIS WEEK

The Weekly and mid-week Eucharists and the Morning and Evening offices continue to be distributed online via **You Tube** and **Facebook** at **8.30am** and **5.30pm** each day.

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	5.30pm	Archdeacon Rod Bower
Thursday 10 September	8.30am	The Reverend Greg Colby
	5.30pm	The Right Reverend Charlie Murry
Friday 11 September	8.30am	The Reverend Peter Tinney
Mother Esther CHN	5.30pm	The Reverend Amanda Brockwell
Saturday 12 September	8.30am	The Reverend Nicole Baldwin
	5.30pm	The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

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