



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 2 October 2022
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost



7am: Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*
Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

8am: Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*
Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

10.00am: Sung Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*
Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

6.00pm: Choral Evensong

Officiant: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*
Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

You Tube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXyas2uhJUNOnDetOpPdUOg>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/christchurchcathedralnewcastle/>

Dear Parish Family

On Monday this week, Jennifer Catt, a much loved and valued member of the Cathedral community, died, following courageous years with illness. Jennifer reached many lives through her ministry and prayerfulness, not only here as part of the cathedral family, but many parishes across the Diocese, and through her time as Diocesan President of Anglican Women. Jennifer's funeral will be on Wednesday at 2.00pm at the cathedral. To Fr Robert, and their family, we offer our ongoing love and prayers. *Rest eternal grant to her, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon her.*

This week we hosted the Annual Police Remembrance Service. It is a poignant opportunity and reminder to give thanks for the service of all who serve our communities as part of policing. As part of the service, we lit candles to remember the fifteen officers who have died in the last year.



This week has also seen HUGE activity in the Cathedral porch, and an unbelievable amount of work by Susan Edwards, Rosie Murree-Allen, and the shop volunteers and helpers. The new fittings will be arriving any day, and it will be very exciting to see the 'new' shop take shape. The realisation of this renovation and relocation is thanks to Susan Edwards' vision, passion, and commitment to the ministry of the shop. Watch this space for the Grand Re-Opening!

Over the past few weeks, there has been a notice in the pewslip about a morning BEYOND THE WALL, where three speakers from diverse faith and life perspectives will share stories of LGBTQI+ spirituality and transformation. Numbers are limited, and I encourage you to book soon if you would like to attend. Booking details in the pewslip. Please continue to pray for and with our LGBTQIA+ community in this very hurtful and painful time.

And, don't forget that daylight saving starts on Sunday!

A little bit of what else is happening and in the pewslip:

FAMILIES@FIVE is on Saturday 1st October, at the Cathedral at 5.00pm, and Kids' Club this week coming. Don't love the start of daylight saving? Come on Saturday evening and sleep in on Sunday! It's going to be lots of fun, including a baptism (have I said how much I love baptisms?).

CONFIRMATION: We have a great group coming together, as we prepare for baptism and confirmation with Bishop Peter Stuart at Families@Five on Saturday 5th November at 5.00pm. If you, or someone you know (of any age) would like to be baptised and/or confirmed, please contact Veronica Butcher. (Veronica's details are in the directory at the back of the pewslip.)

UP COMING CONCERTS: Toronto Brass and Central Coast Brass join with David Drury on Sunday October 9th. Details of all these concerts (and more!) are in the pewslip. Please support our visiting artists.

SOCKS! The response has been amazing! Thank you! It only takes a wet day or two to remind us of the importance of dry, warm feet. Thanks for your generosity. Please place new socks in the boxes at St Peter's and at the cathedral.

LIVESTREAM: The easiest way to connect to the livestream is through the cathedral YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXyas2uhJUNOnDetOpPdUOg>

MASKS: Please strongly consider wearing a mask in places, including church, where you feel you are not able to adequately maintain physical distancing.

ATTENDING WORSHIP: Please continue to be mindful of COVIDSafe practices as we gather, and to be mindful of our own health and vulnerabilities as well as those in our community.

The sacrament is administered in both kinds. You are welcome to receive in one or both kinds. We ask that you do not intinct (dip) the host.

Finally, this week's poem is inspired by our psalm this Sunday, Psalm 137. (I'll wait whilst you rock out to a bit of Boney M here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2FgDles4xq8>) Psalm 137 is a very bitter and violent psalm, written in despair and the depths of captivity and grief. Denise Levertov's poem speaks of a fragile hope, shivering against the darkness, promises of the dawn. In the midst of the anger we encounter in Psalm 137, an anger with which can identify at times, if we are honest with ourselves, we are also reminded to carry hope.

Candles in Babylon

Through the midnight streets of Babylon
between the steel towers of their arsenals,
between the torture castles with no windows,
we race by barefoot, holding tight
our candles, trying to shield
the shivering flames, crying
"Sleepers Awake!"

hoping
the rhyme's promise was true,
that we may return
from this place of terror
home to a calm dawn and
the work we had just begun.

Denise Levertov 1923-1997

**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
cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au to be placed on the email or mail out list.*



***This week's flowers are given
in thanks
for the ministries of the parish,
seen and unseen.***

Music this Sunday

8AM – Eucharist

Organist – Keith Murree-Allen

Hymns – 160, 212, 521, 217(i)

10AM – Eucharist

Organist – Keith Murree-Allen

Hymns – 160, 212, 521, 217(i)

6pm - Evensong

Organist – Keith Murree-Allen

Hymns - 558, 626, 464, 4586



Newcastle Cathedral mainly music is a fun group for children aged 0 to 5 years and their parents or carers. Each session incorporates action songs and games that help to develop gross and fine motor skills, language and creativity. The cost is \$5 per family - your first session is free!

10:00am to 11:30 every Thursday during school terms in the Cathedral.



Join us for our Annual Candlelight Vigil for Mental Health.
3.00pm Sunday 30 October
Christ Church Cathedral Newcastle.

From the shop: You may have noticed some changes happening in the porch where the updated shop is about to take shape! New fittings, new position and lots of new stock! Changes to the way we operate and when. We're getting smiles ready to greet visitors, whether from within our city or from far away! It's all very exciting!!



Now is your chance to be part of our renewed team of workers! Come and talk about what is required if you think you'd like to help this very important outreach.

Speak to Susan Edwards (0413469631) or Rosie Murree-Allen (0400264658) for further information or to join up!

Save the Date

Parish Trivia Night - November 19th at 6pm

Last year's online trivia was definitely an event to be remembered!
I think the biggest feat was having no technology glitches!!
Let's hope this year there won't be any glitches, either.
More details to follow.

If you've got ideas, suggestions, or prizes you'd like to donate,
just talk to or email Veronica.

PARKING AT THE CATHEDRAL

**For those parking on Church Street please be aware a
section opposite the Cathedral is now a bus zone.**

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Come and Celebrate with Your Pet

October 9th 2022

6.00pm

Christ Church Cathedral

Newcastle



www.newcastlecathedral.org.au



CATHEDRAL BRASS

Toronto Brass
and
Central Coast Brass
With special guest
David Drury (Organ)

October 9 | 2pm

Christ Church Cathedral

52 Church St., Newcastle

\$25 Adult | \$20 Concession U/16 Free



Tickets:

<https://www.trybooking.com/CBYTU>

Or president@torontobrass.org.au

CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY LUNCHES

The Cathedral Community Lunches Program is continuing to offer a hot meal **every second Sunday at 12.30pm** from the Horbury Hunt Hall.

Thankyou to the dedicated volunteers who are ensuring this important outreach program continues to operate.

The next Community lunch for 2022 will be this Sunday 9 October, 2022.

**EUCHARISTS at CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL
and ST PETER'S HAMILTON
CATHEDRAL**

Sunday 7.00am, 8.00am and 10.00am

Monday – Friday 8.30am

ST PETER'S

Tuesday and Thursday 11.00am

Don't forget that daylight saving starts on Sunday!



Please remember if you can spare a little, we are still asking for donations to our FREE FOOD PANTRY at the Cathedral and also collecting for the Samaritans. Any long life non-perishable items will be very thankfully received.

Family Ministry Afternoon Tea

Tuesday 4th October 2pm October

All the wonderful volunteers who help or have helped with Family Ministry since Covid began are invited to an afternoon tea in the St Christopher Chapel. If you have been thinking of volunteering and would like to meet the team, or if you've volunteered in the past and think you could help again, come along, and say hello. There will be plenty of food, tea/coffee and fellowship.



Kids' Club

Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th October

1pm-4pm

Rosie and Siobhan will be organising the upcoming sessions. Unfortunately I will not be able to assist or attend as I am finishing off a thesis for my psychology study.

If there are any volunteers who would be willing to help Rosie and Siobhan in any way, it would be very much appreciated.

Some suggestions:

- an hour of your time to run an activity (games, craft, Bible story, cooking, teach your hobby)
- an hour of your time to wash and dry paint/food containers or assist in tidying up
- provide some afternoon tea snacks and juice for roughly 10 children

Please contact Rosie:

kmurreea@bigpond.net.au or 4926 4663

MISSIONS



Papua New Guinea is one of the most culturally diverse countries in the world. Over 800 languages are spoken throughout the islands, and the national population of 8 million are comprised from over 1,000 distinct ethnic groups. It is also a country undergoing rapid change, as people move away from their villages to seek work and education in the cities. Because of the complexities of land tenure and the lack of employment opportunities, many end up living in settlements on the edges of the towns.

ABM and AID have had a long relationship with the Anglican Church of PNG (ACPNG) to address many of these challenges. The Anglican Province of PNG is made up of five dioceses – Aipo Rongo, Dogura, New Guinea Islands, Popondota and Port Moresby. Around 3% of Papua New Guineans identify themselves as Anglican, although in some provinces such as Oro, this figure is as high as 60%.

Beginning in 1885, Australian missionaries were first sent to support the church to deliver its mandate, before a partnership model was adopted with ACPNG to empower local, community-based development. Today, AID works with both the church and Anglicare PNG, the church's social and development arm, to support the building of sustainable communities.

More than 38% of Papua New Guineans live in below the poverty line (receiving less than US\$1.90 per day.) There is also high level of gender inequality, with PNG ranking 140 on the Gender Inequality Index among the 155 countries surveyed in 2014. Almost 40% of people over 15 are illiterate (35% are male and 42% female). Only 10% of women and 12.5% of men have received some secondary education. The average number of years a child spends at school is 5.5 years for males and 4 years for females, mostly in primary school.

The current focus of the AID partnership is on building capacity to serve communities in especially rural communities and urban settlement communities in the areas of literacy and numeracy, social inclusion, safeguarding and disaster management. AID also works with the Anglican Church of PNG as it equips itself to provide leadership in addressing social and economic challenges. We also currently support work by Anglicare and ACPNG to address COVID-19, especially in schools and rural and remote communities.

Your support of AID enables this important work to take place.

In addition to the work of AID in building sustainable communities, ABM supports ACPNG's Newton Theological College, contributing to building a church to serve Papua New Guineans in the 21st Century.

Envelopes available at back of the Cathedral or in Service Sheet

On-line giving – Name: Missions Account

BSB: 705-077 Account: 00041087

Christ Church Cathedral Shop

We are inviting orders for Advent Candles , details of sizes and prices:

ADVENT CANDLES *from Christ Church Cathedral Shop*



300 x 22 (12" x 7/8")

coloured pillar candles

\$18.00 per set

1 x white + 1 x pink + 3 x purple

150 x 54 (6" x 2 1/8")

coloured pillar candles

\$37.50 per set

1 x white + 1 x pink + 3 x purple



250 x 54 (10" x 2 1/8")

coloured pillar candles

\$55.00 per set

1 x white + 1 x pink + 3 x purple

150 x 74 (6" x 3")

coloured pillar candles

\$62.50 per set

1 x white + 1 x pink + 3 x purple

250 x 74 (10" x 3")

coloured pillar candles

\$95.00 per set

1 x white + 1 x pink + 3 x purple

PLEASE ORDER BY 3 OCTOBER

email: cathedralshop@aapt.net.au

many thanks

Susan

Susan Edwards
Co-ordinator, Christ Church Cathedral Shop

**Be
Our
Voice**

**1 Oct
Civic Park**



#Iranians_lives_matter
Mahsa Amini

Date: 1 Oct 2022

For her and all of them

Time: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Start: Civic Park, Newcastle

End: Darby Street, Newcastle



Women Celebrating Our Faith

FAITH GROWS

8th October 2022

10:00 am

All Saints Anglican Church
Corner St James Road and Regent Street
New Lambton

**For we are God's fellow workers.
You are God's field.**

You are God's building.

1 Corinthians 3:9



Knowing-Jesus.com

What then is Apollos? What is Paul?

Servants through whom you came to believe, as the Lord assigned to each.

I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth.

So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only the God who gives the growth.

The one who plants and the one who waters have a common purpose, and each will receive wages according to the labour of each.

For we are God's servants, working together; you are God's field, God's building.

1 Corinthians 3:5-9

Christ Church Cathedral shop

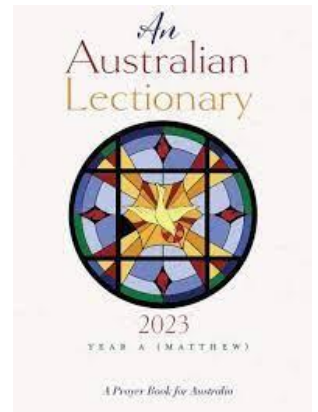
2023 Lectionaries can be collected from this Sunday

\$15.50 per copy

many thanks

Susan Edwards

Co-ordinator, Christ Church Cathedral Shop



SOCKS for the

homeless

Please donate your

NEW SOCKS here.



**THANK YOU FOR THE MANY
GENEROUS DONATIONS**

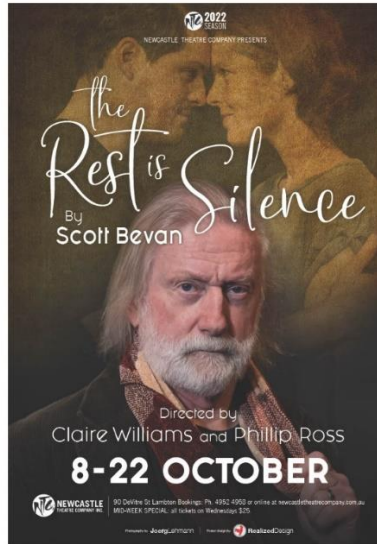
Stewardship

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.

Friends of Samaritans Presents:



If you could write your own eulogy, what would you say?

Dan has a way with words.

He is an aspiring actor, paying the bills by delivering eulogies at funerals.

Dan is hired by terminally ill Bedford, who wants to control what is said about him when he's dead.

Somehow Dan has to find not just the words, but the truth, to talk about a life not yet ended.

A psychological drama dressed in dark humour, written by former ABC journalist and presenter Scott Bevan.

Content warning: Sexual assault references

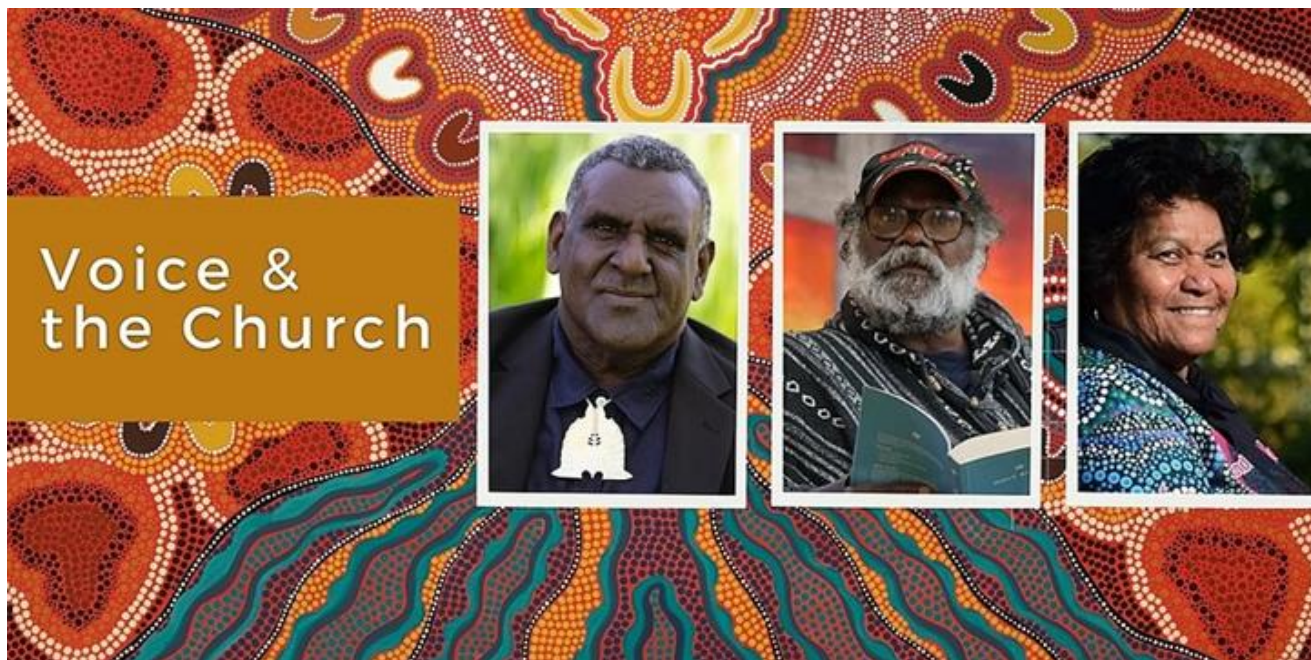
**Friday 7th October, Newcastle Theatre Company, 90 DeVitre St, Lambton
7.30pm for 8.00pm start.**

Tickets \$40 per person. Please phone Alison 0439 171 726

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 October 9, 16, 23 and 30.**





Can the church get behind Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as they debate a Voice to Parliament?

Hear from First Nations community leaders on the hope & challenges of a Voice.

Uluru Statement from the Heart signatory, Gabriel Bani, a direct descendent of Athe Bari, Head Man of Wagadagam, a sovereign nation in the Torres Strait;

Professor Gracelyn Smallwood OAM Former Member of the Indigenous Voice National Co-Design Group that developed the National Voice proposal under the Liberal government;

Member of the First Nations Regional Dialogue Perth (one of several dialogues held around Australia that culminated in the Uluru Convention), Geoffrey Stokes, who walked out of the dialogue in opposition to the Voice; and

Maori Anglican priest Dr Rangi Nicholson, who believes churches should undertake visioning for the nation that contributes to Indigenous values.

This conference is for you if:

You want to understand the Voice to Parliament debate;

You want to understand the concerns about the loss of land rights or culture;

You're ambivalent about a Voice to Parliament; or

You want to think productively about a Voice.

Sat 15th Oct 2022, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

St John's Anglican Church Glebe

138a Glebe Point Rd, Glebe NSW 2037.

Tickets: <https://events.humanitix.com/voice-and-the-church/tickets>

SERVICES DURING THE WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

All services in the St Christopher Chapel. Please enter through the transept doors.

Monday 3 October	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am – Eucharist	Canon Garry Dodd
Tuesday 4 October	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Rev'd Dr Julia Perry
Wednesday 5 October	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Bishop
Thursday 6 October	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	Fr Mel
Friday 7 October	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	Cancelled

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY October 9

AT THE CATHEDRAL

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

7am: Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

8am: Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

10.00am: Choral Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

6.00pm: Choral Evensong Blessing of the Animals

Officiant: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

Preacher: *The Reverend Angela Peverell tssf*

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 **6.00am** and **5.30pm** each day.

We encourage you to share these resources widely during this time.

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Monday 3 October	6.00am 5.30pm	The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer The Reverend Canon Garry Dodd
Tuesday 4 October <i>Francis of Assisi</i>	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Angela Peverell The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer
Wednesday 5 October	6.00am 5.30pm	Archdeacon Arthur Copeman The Reverend Sarah Dulley
Thursday 6 October <i>William Tyndale</i>	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Scott Dulley The Reverend Nicole Baldwin
Friday 7 October	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Amanda Brockwell The Reverend Canon Andrew Eaton
Saturday 8 October	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Melanie Whalley The Reverend Janet Killen

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



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