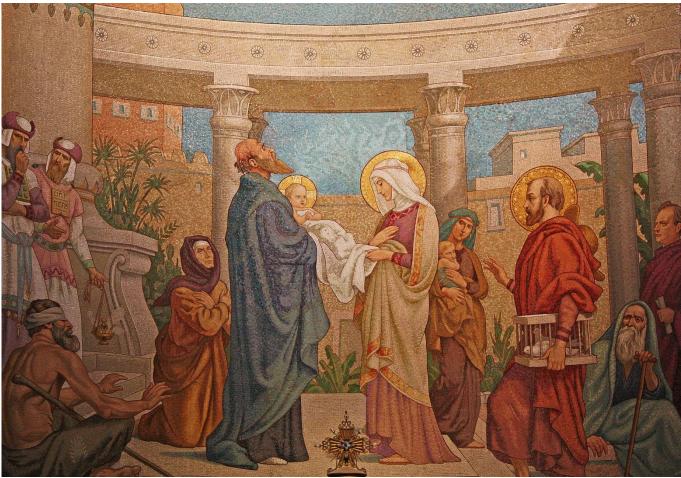


# Christ Church Cathedral and St Peter's Hamilton



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Welcome to worship today, especially all who are visiting Weekly News Sunday 29 January The Presentation of Christ



Mosaic mural in the Rosary Basilica in Lourdes. Lawrence OP photo credit.

Today's services8am: Eucharist8am: EucharistPresider: The Reverend Angela PeverellPreacher: The Reverend Angela Peverell10.00am: Choral EucharistPresider: The Reverend Angela PeverellPresider: The Reverend Angela PeverellPreacher: The Reverend Angela PeverellPreacher: The Reverend Angela PeverellPresider: The Reverend Angela PeverellPreacher: Bishop Charlie MurryYou Tube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXyas2uhJUNOnDetOpPdUOgFacebook: https://www.facebook.com/christchurchcathedralnewcastle/

# Dear Parish Family

All of a sudden, it's the end of January! 2023 is well and truly underway, and so is our planning for the year ahead. I am thankful to Bishop Peter Stuart for his care for the Cathedral community, and enabling me to take some annual leave. I am also thankful to Archdeacon Rod Bower for his continued involvement in our parish life. If you missed Fr Rod's sermon last Sunday, I encourage you to find it on our YouTube channel and listen. I was enthralled!

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple, and welcome back the Reverend Angela Peverell, as our Presider and Preacher at 8.00am and 10.00am. I am also very happy to welcome the Reverend Christopher Waterhouse who will assist at our 10.00am Mass. Fr Christopher is the Precentor and Chaplain for the Arts at St David's Cathedral, Hobart.

**PRAYERS:** Please continue to hold affected by flood in your prayers. The Bishop of the Murray has been sharing photos online of the floods arriving in that Diocese. Though the rain event was months ago, the flood continues. Please also pray for those impacted by storm and fire.

Thank you also for your prayers for our LGBTQIA+ community.

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING...

**175<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARRIVAL OF BISHOP WILLIAM TYRRELL:** Evensong at 6.00pm on Sunday will mark the 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Installation of the Right Reverend Dr William Tyrrell, D.D, as first Bishop of Newcastle. Bishop Charlie Murry will be the Preacher. We will also bless the beautiful artwork by the Reverend Canon Aunty Di Langham and her family, which is their gift to the cathedral. More details in the pewslip.

**BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS:** With the start of the school year, so too is our annual 'Blessing of the Backpacks'. Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 5.00pm – a service for everyone returning or beginning education or work. Bring your backpack (or laptop bag or briefcase) and stay for pizza afterwards!

**PANCAKES:** Lent is coming, but before then PANCAKES! Thanks to Suzanne and the team for this initiative. Information in the pewslip, tickets available at all services.

**OPENING OF THE LAW TERM:** One of the great privileges we have a s a Cathedral community is hosting special Civic celebrations. On Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January, the Opening of the Law Term service will be held in the cathedral. Everyone is welcome. If you have an interest in justice, come along.

#### CATHEDRAL OFFICE: The Cathedral Office will be closed on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January.

**COMMUNITY LUNCH:** resumes on Sunday. Please contact Andrew Traill or Suzanne Evans to find out how you can support this ministry.

**FLOWERS IN THE CATHEDRAL:** Thank you for your ongoing generosity. If you would like to contribute towards flowers for the next few weeks, or for Easter and beyond, please contact Suzanne Evans. Suzanne's contact details are in the pewslip.

**LIVESTREAM:** The easiest way to connect to the livestream is through the cathedral YouTube channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXyas2uhJUNOnDetOpPdUOg

**MASKS:** With the rise in COVID numbers, 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 by Philip Larkin. Written for Sally Amis, the daughter of Kingsley Amis and Hilary Bardwell. Larkin writes a 'blessing' of ordinariness, so that this newborn child, not caught by celebrity or status, might know happiness. In researching this poem, I discovered that Sally Amis' life was sadly short and tragic. Perhaps Larkin was prophetic in his poem, in much the same way that Simeon and Anna foretell prophesy of joy and sadness.

#### Born Yesterday For Sally Amis

Tightly-folded bud, I have wished you something None of the others would: Not the usual stuff About being beautiful, Or running off a spring Of innocence and love— They will all wish you that, And should it prove possible, Well, you're a lucky girl. But if it shouldn't, then May you be ordinary; Have, like other women, An average of talents: Not ugly, not good-looking, Nothing uncustomary To pull you off your balance, That, unworkable itself, Stops all the rest from working. In fact, may you be dull— If that is what a skilled, Vigilant, flexible, Unemphasised, enthralled Catching of happiness is called.

Philip Larkin 1922-1985

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.



# **Music this Sunday**

#### 8AM – Eucharist

Organist – Keith Murree-Allen Hymns – 245, 212, Sing how the age-old promise of a Saviour – tune – TIS 61, 290

#### 10AM – Eucharist

Organist – Keith Murree-Allen Members of the Christ Church Camerata Hymns – 245, 212, Sing how the age-old promise of a Saviour – tune – TIS 61, 290 Introit – Hodie beata Virgo Maria (D Banney) Setting – Little Organ Mass (FJ Haydn) Psalm 24 Anthem – Nunc dimittis (Orlando Gibbons) Gospel response and Acclamations – Guy

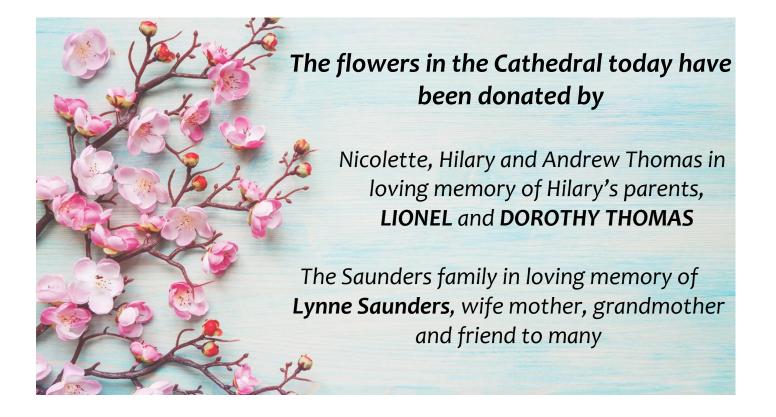
#### 6PM – Evensong – Anniversary of Bishop Tyrell

Organist – Keith Murree-Allen Hymns – 207, 560(i), 687 Introit - Markapmirr Preces and Responses – Ayleward Canticles – Magnificat from Canticles in Fauxbourdon (D Banney), Nunc dimittis from Evening Service in C (Stanford) Anthem – Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace (SS Wesley) Psalm 150

#### **Music notes**

Today is a big day at Christ Church Cathedral! This morning we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple, recalling the moving account of Simeon, recognising the Saviour of the World - the promised Messiah - in the child Jesus. Our music is a joyful celebration of this story. The introit uses an ancient texts that summarises these events, while the anthem is a setting of Simeon's song, and our Mass setting is simply splendid - Haydn's 'Little Organ Mass' (though not so little!) This evening we celebrate the 175th Anniversary of the arrival in Newcastle of Bishop Tyrell, and receive an extraordinary gift of indigenous artworks. Our music begins with Markapmirr - an indigenous hymn that reminds us that long before Bishop Tyrell, this was Aboriginal land. Much of the other music traces the period of Bishop Tyrell's arrival and the time that has passed since then.

Samuel Sebastian Wesley was the most important English composer of church music at the time that Bishop Tyrell left England, and his beautiful anthem, 'Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee', surely captures the spirit of the man who we remember tonight. The Magnificat and Nunc dimittis come from periods between then and now - Stanford's Nunc dimittis, composed early in the 20th century, and David Banney's Magnificat for lower voices, composed in 2023 - a reminder that Bishop Tyrell's work goes on in the faithful service of Anglicans in Newcastle today.



Please remember if you can spare a little for the CCC pantry and Samaritans it would be hugely appreciated.

#### 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Installation of the Right Reverend William Tyrrell D.D., First Bishop of Newcastle

At Evensong on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January (6.00pm), we will mark the 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the installation of William Tyrrell as first Bishop of Newcastle. Tyrrell's almost thirty-three year episcopate set the shape of the Diocese of Newcastle. Indeed, at the time of his death on 24<sup>th</sup> March 1879, the boundaries of the Diocese had become very close to our current shape.

We will also bless a magnificent indigenous artwork, the work of the Reverend Canon Aunty Di Langham, and members of her family, Belinda and Bonny Roberts. The artwork, created largely with painted gum leaves, depicts Biriban, or in Aunty Di's language, Bunjil, the eagle who watches over us. We give thanks to Canon Aunty Di Langham, Belinda and Bonny Roberts, and family, for this compelling gift.





#### THE DEAN and MEMBERS OF THE CATHEDRAL OUTREACH PROGRAM invite you to attend A SHROVE VOESDAY EVENING "ENJOY DESSERT WITH US"



DATE: FEBRUARY 21<sup>st</sup> 2023 from 7pm – 9pm <u>VENUE:</u> CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL 52 Church Street Newcastle

An Extravaganza of Pancakes with all the trimmings; Bring your own wine (glasses will be supplied); There will be Tea, Coffee and Fruit Juice; Magnificent Music creating a wonderful atmosphere; Wheelchair access; Tickets available through the Cathedral Office or at the door; Lucky Door Prize

All proceeds will go towards: "The Christ Church Cathedral Outreach Program"

#### Pancake Day

Pancake Day or Shrove Tuesday is the traditional feast day before the start of Lent on Ash Wednesday. Lent

 the 40 days up to Easter – was traditionally a time of fasting and on Shrove Tuesday, Anglo-Saxon
 Christians went to confession and were "shriven" (absolved from their sins). A bell would be rung to call
 people to confession. This came to be called the "Pancake Bell" and is still rung today.

Shrove Tuesday always falls 47 days before Easter Sunday and was the last opportunity to use up eggs and fats before embarking on the Lenten fast and pancakes are the perfect way of using up these ingredients Shrove Tuesday falls on the 21<sup>st</sup> February this year.

A pancake is a thin flat cake, made of batter and fried in a frying pan. A traditional pancake is very thin and is served immediately. Golden Syrup or lemon juice and caster sugar are the usual toppings for pancakes.

The pancake has a very long history and featured in cookery books as far back as 1439. The tradition of tossing or "flipping" them is almost as old. "And every man and maide doe take their turne, And toss their Pancakes up for feare they burne" (Pasquil's Palin, 1619)



# BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

**PIZZA** AFTERWARDS

# 6.00PM SATURDAY 4TH FEBRUARY

Christ Church Cathedral Newcastle
 www.newcastlecathedral.org.au

· ph: 4929 2052

# **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 February 12 and EASTER DAY.



## **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.

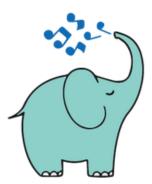
The next Community Lunch will be this Sunday, 29 January.



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

<u>CATHEDRAL</u> 8.00am and 10.00am Monday – Friday 8.30am

ST PETER'S Tuesday and Thursday 11.00am





Newcastle Cathedral mainly music is a fun group for children aged o 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.

## **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 theMusic 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.

# SERVICES DURING THE WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

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

Monday 30 January	8.00am - Morning Prayer NO MONDAYS in JANUARY		
	8.30am – Eucharist		
Tuesday 31 January	8.00am - Morning Prayer	The Rev'd Dr Julia Perry	
	8.30am - Eucharist	The nev a bi suitar erry	
Wednesday 1 February	8.00am - Morning Prayer		
	8.30am - Eucharist	The Bishop	
Thursday 2 February	8.00am - Morning Prayer	Fr Mel	
	8.30am - Eucharist		
Friday 3 February	8.00am - Morning Prayer	The Dean	
	8.30am - Eucharist	The Beam	

# SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 5 February 2023 AT THE CATHEDAL

## Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

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: Evensong

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

# **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** We encourage you to share these resources widely during this time. **You Tube:** <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXyas2uhJUNOnDetOpPdUOg</u> *Facebook:* <u>https://www.facebook.com/christchurchcathedralnewcastle/</u>

Monday 30 January Charles II	6.00am	The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer
Tuesday 31 January	6.00am	The Reverend Amanda Brockwell
Wednesday 1 February	6.00am	Archdeacon Arthur Copeman
Thursday 2 February PRESENTATION	6.00am	The Reverend Janet Killen
Friday 3 February	6.00am	The Reverend Angela Peverell
Saturday 4 February	6.00am	The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

#### ONLY MORNING PRAYER ONLINE UNTIL 6 FEBRUARY 2023

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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