

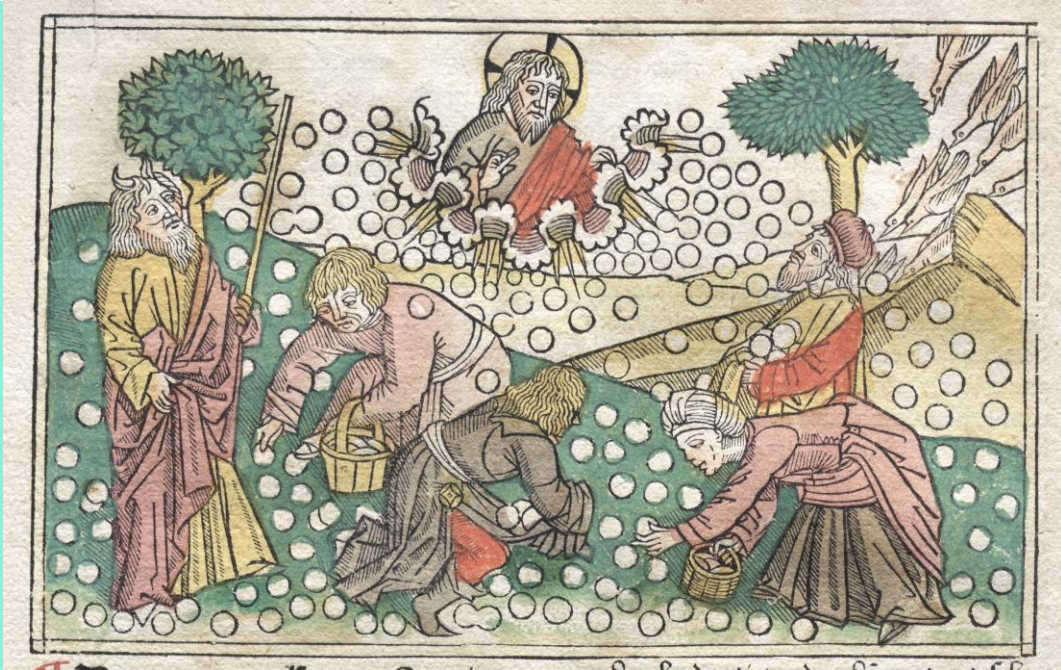


# Christ Church Cathedral and St Peter's Hamilton

52 Church Street, Newcastle  
148 Denison Street, Hamilton



*Welcome to worship today, especially all who are visiting*  
***Weekly News Sunday 24th September 2023***  
**Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost**



## **Services Today**

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Preacher: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

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

## ***Dear Parish Family***

It has been a very busy few days in the Cathedral, and I am extremely thankful to everyone who has helped, made last minute changes, and generally ensured that all was well!

Our Saint Nicholas Choir sang beautifully last Sunday, and we're looking forward to seeing them more often. Thanks to all the families who support them too.

On Friday, we hosted the Year 12 Valedictory Service for Newcastle Grammar School. As a parish, and Cathedral, we have a very special relationship with Newcastle Grammar. Please pray for all Year 12 students over these next weeks.

Next Friday (29<sup>th</sup> September) is the Feast of St Michael. St Michael is the patron saint of the police, and we will host the annual Police Remembrance Day Service at 11.00am. This service is open to the public, and I encourage you to come along and pray for all who work in this service to the community.

Our media continues to be dominated by talk about the forthcoming referendum. As a Diocese, we have twice affirmed our support for The Voice. As a Parish Community we are committed to the ongoing work of being a safe, welcoming, inclusive, and affirming place for all. We are committed to the journey of *Makarrata* – reconciliation with First Nations peoples. Thank you also for your ongoing prayers for our LGBTQIA+ community, at this time when their validity and identity continues to be challenged and questioned.

### **WHAT'S HAPPENING...**

**NEWS:** This is our parish pewslip. If you have news, or items for the pewslip, please send them to the parish office. We love contributions!

**THE OFFICE:** Sharon is currently enjoying some well deserved leave. If you're coming in to the office, please call beforehand to ensure someone is in the office.

**LIVESTREAM:** The Livestream is back! The easiest way to connect to the livestream is through the cathedral YouTube channel:

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

**CONCERTS:** We could often take for granted the wonderful opportunities we have at the Cathedral to hear beautiful music. I am thankful that we welcome a diversity of performers to our stunning building. There are some marvellous concerts involving local artists coming up – please support them and invite others to come with you.

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

***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 Malcolm Guite, priest and poet. I have included Guite's poetry on numerous occasions. Guite has the wonderful gift of drawing our liturgical, scriptural, and experienced life into a whole, and express it in poetry which takes our minds deeper into the

### ***Exalted Manna***

I love to lift you in the Eucharist,  
For you descended to the depth for me,  
You stooped beneath the whole weight of the world,  
And held it as the nails drove through each wrist,  
You Held us all through your long agony,  
Held all the taunts and curses that we hurled  
Held all our hurts deep in your heart for healing  
And when we lifted you onto your cross  
You lifted all of us up to the Father  
And made your outspread arms a sign, revealing  
God's all-sustaining love, that bears our loss,  
Becomes our daily bread, calls as to gather  
Each love, as manna in the wilderness.  
So lift me as I lift you, lift and bless.

*Malcolm Guite 1957-*

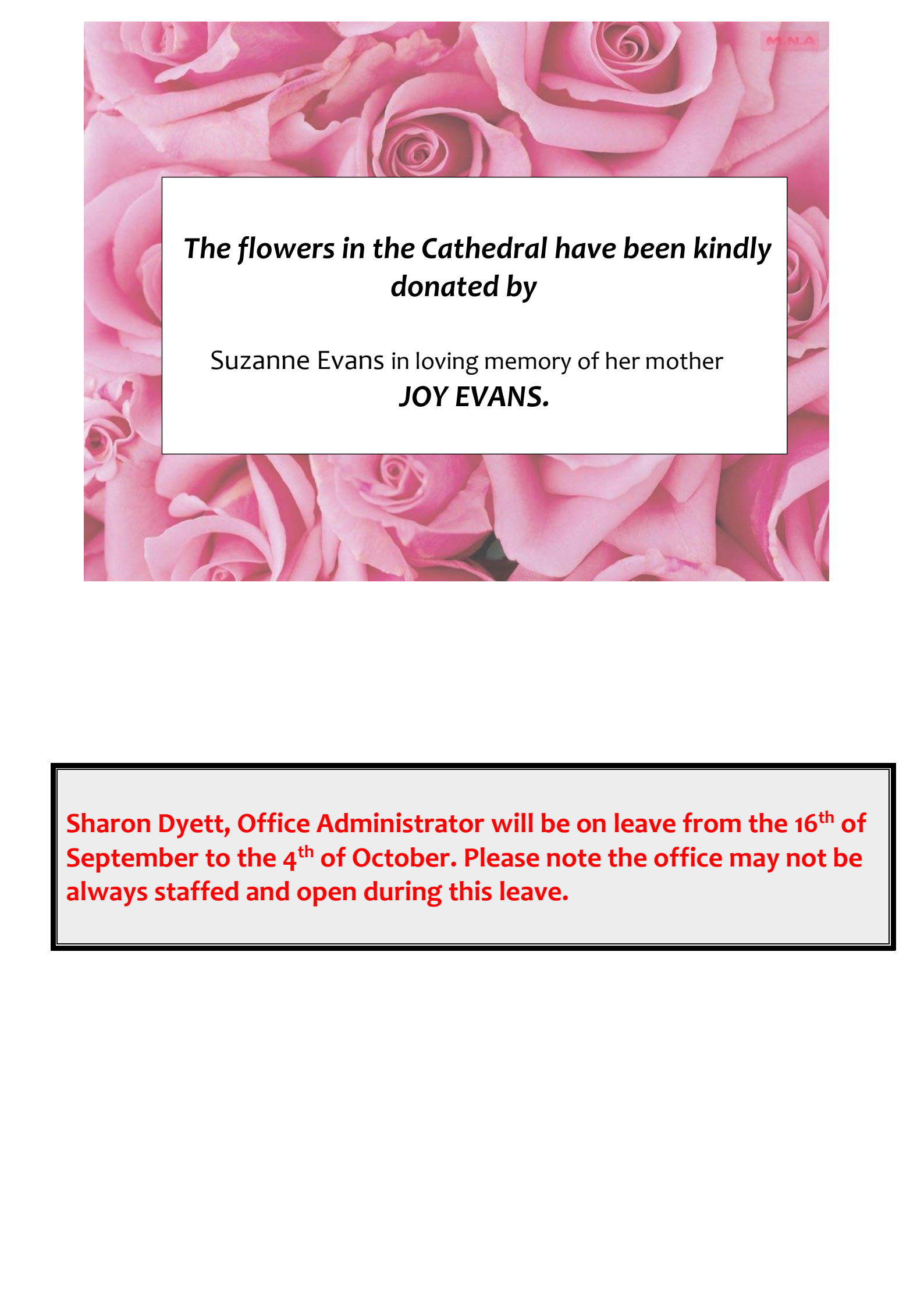
**With my thanks and prayers,**

**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](mailto:cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au) to be placed on the email or mail out list.*

A close-up photograph of numerous pink roses, filling the entire frame. The petals are in various stages of bloom, creating a dense, textured pattern of soft pink and white. In the top right corner, there is a small, faint red rectangular stamp with the letters "M.N.A." in white.

***The flowers in the Cathedral have been kindly  
donated by***

Suzanne Evans in loving memory of her mother  
**JOY EVANS.**

**Sharon Dyett, Office Administrator will be on leave from the 16<sup>th</sup> of September to the 4<sup>th</sup> of October. Please note the office may not be always staffed and open during this leave.**

# *Music this Sunday*

## **8am – Eucharist**

David Drury (organ)

Hymns - 111, 153, 497, 134

## **10am - Choral Eucharist**

David Drury (organ)

Setting - Missa Monti Regalis (Archer) - Sanctus, Agnus Dei

Gloria from Newcastle Mass (Guy)

Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45 (Ley)

Anthem – Agnus Dei from Missa O quam gloriosum  
(Victoria)

Hymns - 111, 153, 497, 134

## **6pm - Evensong**

David Drury (organ)

Preces and Responses - Neary

Magnificat - Aston in F, Nunc dimittis for Marie (Banney)

Anthem - Da ispravitsya (Tchaikowsky)

Psalm 145: 14-21 (Hanforth)

Hymns – 100, 668, 585



**Let Justice  
and Peace Flow**

Season of Creation 2023

A Mighty River  
Amos 5: 24

Prophet Amos cries out: “But let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!” (Amos 5: 24) and so we are called to join the river of justice and peace, to take up climate and ecological justice, and to speak out with and for communities most impacted by climate injustice and the loss of biodiversity.

As the people of God, we must work together on behalf of all Creation, as part of that mighty river of peace and justice.

Join us at Evensong through September to celebrate the Season of Creation.



**CHOIR**  
**TRIVIA**  
**NIGHT**

**UK Tour**  
**Fundraiser**



**Saturday,**  
**Dec 9**  
**6:00pm**

**\$20**  
per person  
on tables of 8

For registration & further information

Cathedral Office 4929 2052  
[cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au](mailto:cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au)



**BYO**

bribes in cash or card form  
dessert or main dish for pot luck dinner  
drinks - tea and coffee provided

Horbury Hunt Hall, Church St, Newcastle



Australian Religious Response to Climate Change

# ARRCC



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## **ARRCC Hunter Launch** **Celebrating the Season of Creation**

**23 September 2023**

**Hunter Wetlands Centre, Shortland**

**12:30PM - official launch, followed by a period of  
reflection and prayer, and a time to enjoy the  
wetlands together.**

Please join the newly established ARRCC Hunter chapter for an interfaith gathering, celebrating and reflecting on our place in creation.

This event is part of the global movement for Season of Creation, an annual month-long season where Christian communities pray and act to protect creation.

All are welcome!

[www.newcastlecathedral.org.au](http://www.newcastlecathedral.org.au)

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# Blessing of **THE ANIMALS**








**6.00PM SUNDAY OCTOBER 15**

Bring your pets to  
**Christ Church Cathedral  
Newcastle**



for a special service to  
give thanks for all that  
they are to you!



# Top End Music Tour

**Concerts, school workshops,  
Community engagement**

**Bamaga, Thursday Island  
Oct 16–20, 2023**

Under the umbrella of Christ Church Cathedral, Newcastle, and supported by the Northern Peninsula Arts Centre, David Banney will be joined by Rosemary Ponnekanti and Bianca Ponnekanti in this very exciting tour, which will give a rare opportunity for collaboration with First Nations children and musicians in concerts, classes and workshops, and we hope that it will be the beginning of a long and rich musical relationship.

The tour has been made possible through the generous financial support of the Cathedral and numerous individuals. We still need a small amount of funding to get us over the line in paying for airfares and accomodation, and we would be very grateful if you could support us in this very exciting project.



## How to donate:

1. Simply scan the QR code and donate at our GoFundMe page OR
2. Make your deposit into the Cathedral Music Fund. Please label your deposit 'Topend23 yourname' (Or just Topend23 if you wish to remain anonymous). BSB: 062822 Account No: 28003759





## ***Chamber Music at the Cathedral***

**2:30pm, Sunday 8 October - Christ Church Cathedral**

Enjoy a Spring concert of chamber music for flute, strings and piano. Played by members of Christ Church Camerata, the program features music by Tchaikovsky & Gliere, Piazzolla & Villa-Lobos, Schneider & Schumann. With an assortment of duos, trios and a quartet, the concert is full of contrast and variety.

Jennifer StGeorge (flute)

James Ferguson (violin)

Elizabeth Holowell (viola)

Anthea Scott-Mitchell (cello)

Anita Zielonka (piano)

Adults \$20: at StickyTickets & at the door. School students free.

[Purchase Tickets Here - Sticky Tickets](#)



# HEALTH PROFESSIONALS PRAYER MORNING

**SATURDAY 14TH OCTOBER**  
**8-10am | 7.45am for worship**  
**Grace Evangelical**  
344/348 Lake Road, Glendale

**RSVP: 6th October** <https://chpn.com.au/events>

**ENQUIRIES:** [hunterchpn@gmail.com](mailto:hunterchpn@gmail.com)

## **A CALL TO ALL KNITTERS AND CRAFT PEOPLE**

As mentioned in the notices on Sunday, we have been extremely fortunate that a group known as Warm Blankets for Everyone have kindly included the Cathedral Outreach Programme as one of their charities. This group create beautiful rugs etc., from off cuts of fabric and left over balls of wool for the needy. If you have off cuts of non-shiny fabric, non-stretch, old school uniforms, cotton, denim etc. old blankets, polar fleece and balls of wool you no longer require the Community Lunch team would greatly appreciate these items.



**A box can be found near our sock box in the Narthex of the Cathedral or at St Peter's or we can collect from you and these items will be delivered to Belmont for this valuable service.**

## **Electronic Giving**

If you are one of the very generous people who donate electronically to the Cathedral, sometimes this needs to be “reset” with your financial institute. Several people have dropped off not knowing there was an issue with their bank.



## **Restoration Walk Pavers**

*There is still space available if you would like to place a “memorial” paver in the Restoration Walk.*

*Maybe for an anniversary, to celebrate a birth or to remember your beloved furry friend. Pavers are \$330 and you can order through the office on 49292052.*



## 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 1, 15, 22 and 29.*

## CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY LUNCHES

The Cathedral Community Lunches Program continues 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 24 September***

**With winter and these very cold nights it is a great time to donate a pair of socks to the homeless!**

**Please donate your  
NEW SOCKS where you see this sign.**



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

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

**CATHEDRAL**

**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 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.**

## **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.

# Introducing a new aid to devotions

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Prayer beads offer a non-denominational, personal and simple aid to daily devotions. A short string of 5 beads easily fit into pocket or purse, ready for any spare moment or moment of need.

Available from Cathedral Shop \$5.50

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Place the tassel into the palm of your hand, gathering the threads of your life into your prayers:

Say prayer one phrase at a time:

Holy God,  
Holy and mighty,  
Holy and immortal  
Hear my prayer

*First Bead*

Tell me what you want me to hear

*Second bead*

Show me what you want me to see

*Third Bead*

Teach me what you want me to learn

*Fourth bead*

Lead me where you want me to go

*Fifth bead*

Take me and make me one of your own

*Holding the cross*

Holy God  
Holy and mighty  
Holy and immortal  
Hear my prayer

As you say each line, slide the bead along the string.

When you end all the beads and the cross are held in your hand, as you meditate.

*An alternate prayer set on the beads:*

*First Bead*

God Be in my head, and in my understanding

*Second bead*

God be in mine eyes and in my looking

*Third Bead*

God be in my mouth and in my speaking

*Fourth bead*

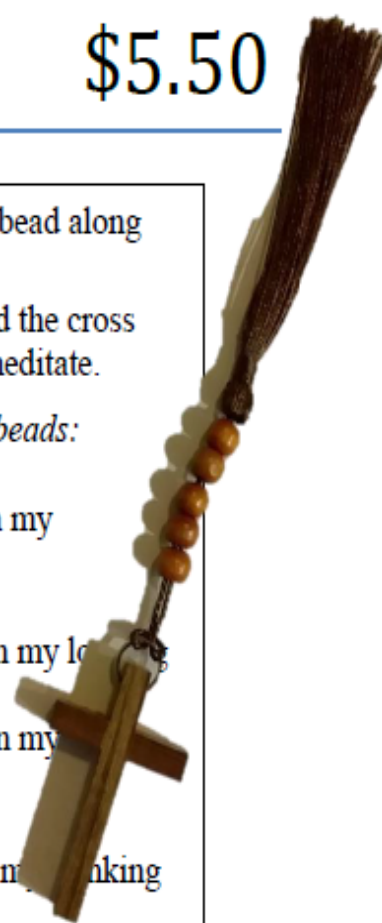
God be in my heart and in my thinking

*Fifth bead*

God be at mine end and at my departing.

*An alternate prayer holding the cross:*

Lord Jesus Christ,  
Son of the living God,  
have mercy on me, a sinner.



## SERVICES DURING THE WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

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

Monday 25 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am – Eucharist	The Rev'd Gary Atherton
Tuesday 26 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Rev'd Dr Julia Perry
Wednesday 27 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Bishop
Thursday 28 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Rev'd Mel Nelson
Friday 29 September	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am – Eucharist	The Dean

## SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 1 October 2023

### AT THE CATHEDRAL

### Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

**8.00am:** Eucharist

Presider: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

Preacher: *The Reverend Gary Atherton*

**10.00am:** Sung Eucharist

Presider: *The Reverend Gary Atherton*

Preacher: *The Reverend Gary Atherton*

**6.00pm:** Choral Evensong

Officiant: *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

Preacher: *Season of Creation*

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

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

Monday 25 September <i>Sergius of Moscow</i>	6.00am	The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer
Tuesday 26 September <i>Lancelot Andrewes</i>	6.00am	The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer
Wednesday 27 September	6.00am	Archdeacon Arthur Copeman
Thursday 28 September	6.00am	The Reverend Canon Garry Dodd
Friday 29 September <b>MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS</b>	6.00am	The Reverend Janet Killen
Saturday 30 September	6.00am	The Reverend Nicole Baldwin

***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](mailto:dps@newcastleanglican.org.au) or [survivorsupport@newcastleanglican.org.au](mailto:survivorsupport@newcastleanglican.org.au)**



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