



**Christ Church Cathedral
Newcastle**
***UPCOMING SERVICES,
CONCERTS AND EVENTS***

**Australian Army Band Concert
with Cathedral Choir and Organ**
1-3pm Saturday 24 September. *FREE Entry*
(Donations to Samaritans Foundation)

Police Remembrance Service
10am Thursday 29 September

Blessing of the Pets
6pm Sunday 2 October

Breast Cancer Awareness Service
6pm Sunday 16 October

Mental Health Candlelight Vigil
7pm Sunday 30 October

All Souls Eucharist
6pm Wednesday 2 November

Song Company Concert
7pm Thursday 10 November

Advent Carols
7pm Sunday 27 November

Message from the Samaritans: Samaritans retail stores are urgently seeking donations such as clothes, manchester, collectibles or bric-a-brac to donate.

The stores are at:

19 Beaumont Street, Hamilton

131 Maitland Road, Mayfield

145 Nelson Street, Wallsend

For further information contact Pauline on 0409 074 412.

We thank you for the many food items donated each Sunday here at the Cathedral which are always gratefully received.

**Missions – our last week for New Guinea Project:
The Martyrs of New Guinea Day - 2 September.**
Anglican missionaries, Fr Albert McLaren and Fr Copland King, began work in New Guinea on St Lawrence's Day 10th August 1891 arriving on the north coast of eastern New Guinea, at a place near Dogura. Teaching and medical missions were gradually established along the north coast and in the inland mountain villages. (*“Albert McLaren was on the Feast of the Conversion of S. Paul, 25th January, 1884, inducted to take temporary charge of S. Paul's, West Maitland for three years. In West Maitland he is chiefly remembered for his work amongst young men and children, amongst the prisoners in the East Maitland gaol, and amongst the poorest of his parishioners.”* Albert MacLaren – *A Pioneer Missionary in New Guinea – Frances M Synge 1908*).

Almighty God, we remember before you this day the blessed martyrs of New Guinea, who, following the example of their Saviour, laid down their lives for their friends; and we pray that we who honour their memory may imitate their loyalty and faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**

[Envelopes are at the back of the church.]