



Welcome to
Christ Church Cathedral
Weekly News Sunday 12 November 2017
TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Services Today

7.00am Eucharist

Presider & Preacher:

Dean Katherine

8.00am Eucharist

Presider: Canon Julia Perry

Preacher: Dean Katherine

9.30am Choral Eucharist with Holy Baptism

Presider & Preacher: Dean Katherine

11.30am Holy Baptism: Dean Katherine

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Officiant: Dean Katherine

Preacher: The Reverend Julie Turnbull

Readers:

8.00am J Southerden & R Southerden

9.30am D Chapman & K Redpath

6.00pm P Goodshaw [*Judges 2.7-19*]

D Bowyer [*Matthew 24.21-35*]

Welcome to worship at the Cathedral today, especially all who are visiting.

Sunday School – Children should meet in the **St Christopher Chapel** just before the sermon.

At the **9.30am** service today, we welcome twins, *Walter Alexander Mills* and *Rowan Geoffrey Mills* to the church family through **Holy Baptism**.

At **11.30am** today, we welcome *Nicole Sayers* to the church family through **Holy Baptism**.

Welcome also to parents, godparents and others joining us.

Today's Flowers have been kindly donated by the family in loving memory of their parents, *Margaret and Keith Noake*.

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Monday 13 November

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

Tuesday 14 November

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

10.30am Eucharist

5.00pm Evening Prayer

Wednesday 15 November

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.00pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 16 November *Margaret of Scotland, Queen, helper of the poor*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.00pm Evening Prayer

Friday 17 November *Hilda of Whitby, abbess; Hugh bishop of Lincoln*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.00pm Evening Prayer

Saturday 18 November

3.30pm Wedding

5.00pm Family Eucharist

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Saturday 18 November: 5.00pm Family Eucharist

Sunday 19 November: TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

7.00am Eucharist *Presider & Preacher:* Dean Katherine

8.00am Eucharist *Presider & Preacher:* Dean Katherine

9.30am Choral Eucharist *Presider & Preacher:* Dean Katherine

6.00pm Domestic Violence Awareness (*White Ribbon*) Choral Evensong

***Officiant:* Dean Katherine *Preacher:* The Reverend Canon 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.

Community Lunch 12.30pm today in the Horbury Hunt Hall.

At **6pm Evensong**, we bid a special welcome to the **GFS Townsend Group** worshipping with us **this evening**.

On **Friday 17 November at 7:30pm**, The Cathedral welcomes “home” former Head Chorister Anna Sandstrom as she is joined by The Muffat Collective in presenting works from Naples, Italy. Also featuring work by Vivaldi and his contemporaries. Tickets available at the door (\$40 Adult; \$15 Children under 16 and full time students; Family \$95).

Diocesan Ultreya – 9am for 9.30am next Saturday 18 November. Bring your lunch and mug for a cuppa and catch up with old friends throughout the Diocese for our final get together for 2017. Join in the prayers, meditations and singing. ALL WELCOME. For any further information please contact Kevin or Cathy Claydon, 4969 8368.

Changes to the following Service times on the weekend of the Supercars race.

- **Saturday 25 November** – there is **No 5pm Family Eucharist**.
- **Sunday 26 November** - there will be **only one morning service at the Cathedral** at **8am** and **Evensong** will be at the **Sacred Heart Cathedral** at **5pm**.

Welcoming is an important Ministry!

Welcomers/Sidespersons required for **9.30am Service 4th Sunday of the month**.

Please contact the office if you can assist or for further information.

Bible Study Group – meets on the **2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month at 7pm**.

For further information contact Peter Ravenscroft Ph: 4963 1720. Everyone is welcome!

Shop News: A range of Advent readers is now available starting at \$2.00. We also have children's advent calendars starting at \$1.50 plus an advent activity book, and a good range Christmas activity books for children and the whole family is now on display. Christmas puddings have arrived, prices are a little higher this year after several years of absorbing cost increases. Christmas cards are also available now.



Newcastle Cathedral's **Mainly Music group** is up and running and places are still available. Mainly Music is a fun group for children aged 0 to 5 years and their parents or carers incorporating action songs and games that help to develop gross and fine motor skills, language and creativity. The cost is \$5 per family *but your first session is free*. 10:00am to 11:30am every Thursday during school term in the Cathedral.

ABM Missions November Project: Melanesia

Church Capacity Building for Development

In July 2016, a Capacity Building workshop was held with the Anglican Church of Melanesia (ACOM), ABM's partner in the Solomon Islands. The workshop was for ACOM's Heads of Department, Treasurers and Commercial Holdings Managers to further enhance their



existing knowledge and skills. From the dioceses of Malaita, Isabel, Temotu, Makira, Guadalcanal and Honiara. This investment allows the Church in the Solomon Islands to continue its community development work effectively and efficiently.

Envelopes are available at the back of the church.

Message from the Samaritans: Our Christmas Appeal aims to raise \$120,000 to support and bring hope to families living in the shadow of disadvantage, and also to offer joy and dignity to those who are without friends and family at Christmas time. Please consider **donating** either at www.samaritans.org.au/donate or by filling in one of the flyers at the back of the cathedral. Please remember your **Christmas gift** need not necessarily be for young children but consider a gift for teenagers and parents; many families in this diocese are finding it very difficult to make ends meet particularly following the retrenchment or redundancy of the main breadwinner.

Donations for Flowers are invited for **19 November, 3 & 10 December** and of course *flowers for Christmas*. If you would like 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 - please include a message and place in the wall safe.

2018 Lenten Silent Retreats for Women – Rathmines. Retreat Conductor is Fr Mel Nelson. *Weekend* – Friday 16 to Sunday 18 February or *Midweek* - Tuesday 20 to Thursday 22 February... For bookings or further information, please see the flyers at the back of the church.

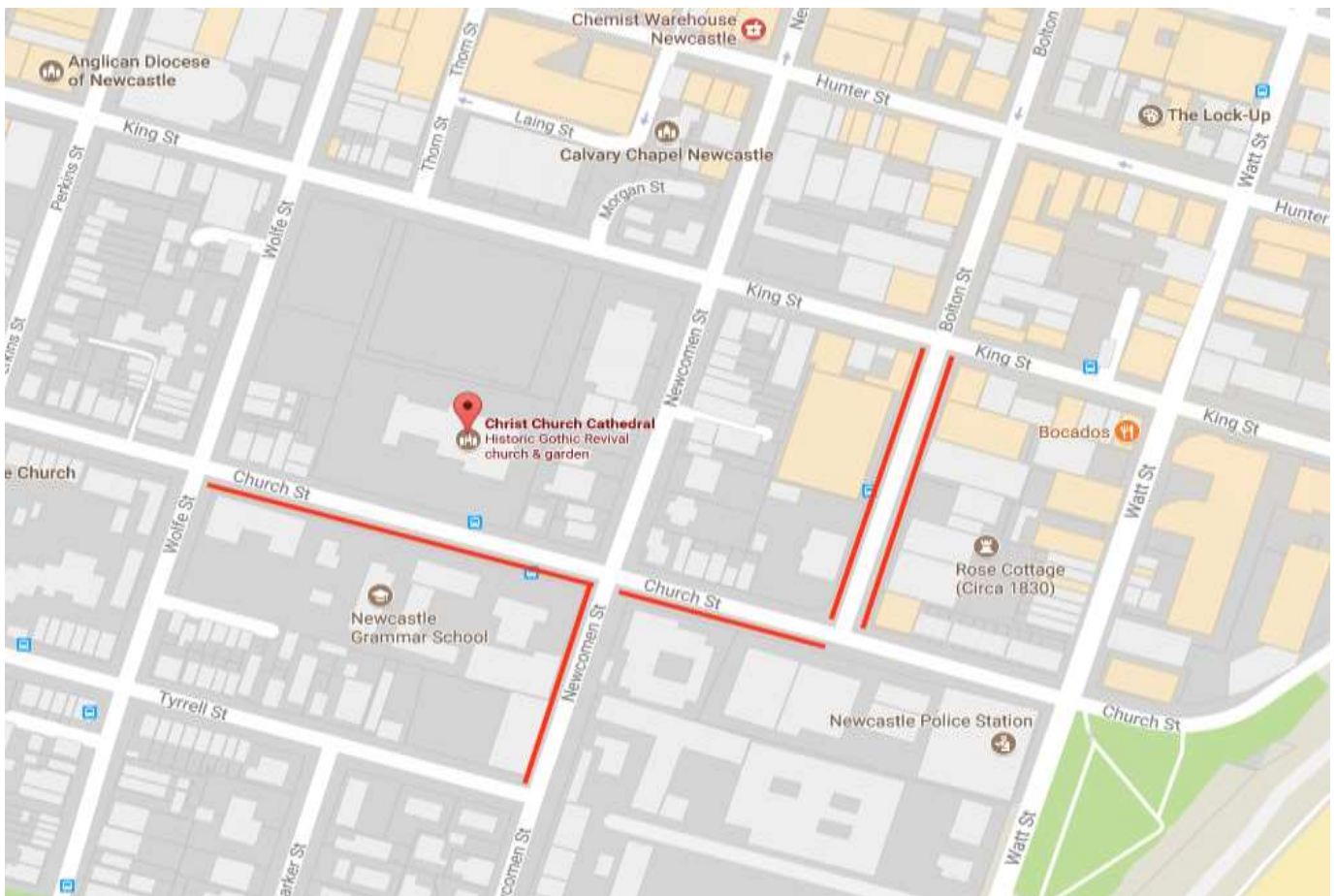
Clearway Signage

From 7am Monday 13 November through until 7pm Thursday 30 November

- Bolton Street between King Street and Church Street (eastern side - authorised Route Buses excepted)
- Bolton Street between King Street and Church Street (western side - authorised Route Buses excepted)
- Church Street between Bolton Street and the pedestrian crossing (southern side - authorised Route Buses excepted)
- Newcomen Street between Tyrell Street and Church Street (western side)

From 9:30am to 2:30pm and From 4pm to 8am Daily from Monday 13 November to Thursday 30 November 2017

- Church Street between Wolfe Street and the pedestrian crossing (southern side - authorised Route Buses excepted)



CATHEDRAL SERVICES, SPECIAL EVENTS & CONCERTS

5pm Sunday 26 November – Evensong at Sacred Heart Cathedral

10am Saturday 9 December – Diocesan Ordinations to the Priesthood

2pm Sunday 17 December

Please see insert for Christmas Eve, Carols and Christmas Day Services



Caring for seafarers
around the world

Each year we at the **Mission to Seafarers** prepare **Christmas Care Packs** for each crew member visiting the Port of Newcastle at Christmas time. This means so much to seafarers who are away from home at Christmas time and missing their loved ones. This year we are aiming to prepare 1000 Christmas Care packs. Donations can be delivered to the Mission any day of the week, and we would appreciate delivery by 6th December so that we can begin putting the care packs together. Some parishes or groups 'adopt' a vessel and provide enough Christmas packs for everyone onboard. Most vessels have around 25 crew.

Suggested items for a care pack include:

Prayer cards	Words of encouragement
Small Bibles	Religious tracts or booklets
Pictures of Australia	Toothpaste
Tooth brushes	Hair combs
Nail clippers	Razors
Shaving cream	Deodorant
Soap	Aftershave
Lip balm	Antiseptic cream
Sunblock	New Socks
New men's underwear	Magnetic photo frame
Fun toys - stress balls, puzzles	Decks of playing cards
Batteries	Little torches
Beanies	Small head phones
Sealed lollies – nothing that melts or attract ants	

Let your imagination take over and have fun.

**Some groups or individuals donate presents
for the whole vessel crew, such as:**

Basketballs	Dart board and darts	Jigsaw puzzles
Christmas cake	Religious Icons	

For your prayers...

"Let us approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need." (Hebrews 4:6).

Let us pray... For our outreach to visitors, giving thanks for all volunteers who enable the broad ministry of our Cathedral.

IDEAS FOR GIFTS

While many people enjoy giving the traditional soft fluffy toy at Christmas time, the desperate need is for all types of gifts for all ages!



Please remember that many of our clients can not necessarily afford battery operated items.

PLEASE DON'T WRAP GIFTS. THE GIFTS ARE WRAPPED ONCE THE GIFT HAS BEEN CHOSEN.

A SMALL DONATION OF FOOD OR CASH THIS CHRISTMAS CAN MAKE A MASSIVE DIFFERENCE!

Samaritans is always in need of non-perishable food reserves and they **need your help** to restock the shelves, especially at Christmas Time.



CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

- Christmas Puddings
- Bon Bons
- Tin Ham
- Lollies
- Shortbread
- Fruit Cake
- Chocolates
- Mince Pies
- Serviettes
- Long-life Custard

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD SUGGESTIONS

- Cereal
- Long-life milk
- Pasta
- Pasta sauce
- Rice
- Tinned meals
- Soup (packet and tin)
- Baked beans
- Spaghetti
- Tea
- Coffee
- Children's lunchbox snacks
- Tinned fruit
- Tinned vegetables
- Spreads (jam, vegemite)
- Tinned tuna/salmon
- Pet food

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

- Nappies
- Baby wipes
- Toilet paper
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrush
- Soap
- Deodorant
- Shampoo/conditioner
- Shaving gear (cream/razors)
- Toiletry bags
- Moisturiser
- Hand towel/washer
- Washing powder
- Bathroom or Kitchen cleaning products

Please help today your donation is so important

Phone - 1300 656 336

Or visit www.samaritans.org.au



Samaritans

Emergency Relief

Music Today

<p>8.00am Eucharist Hymns 560(i), 601, 499, 136 Organist Peter Guy</p> <p>9.30am Choral Eucharist Introit Oculi omnium (Wood) Setting Short Service in the Phrygian Mode (Wood) Anthem Adoramus Te (Noake) Psalm 78: 1-7 (Chant: Mann) Postlude Introduction, Pastorale and Fugue on <i>Leoni</i> (Noake) Hymns 560(i), 601, 499, 136 Organist Peter Guy</p>	<p>6.00pm Choral Evensong Rite APBA Responses Ferial Canticles Short Service in the Dorian Mode (Tallis) Anthem Exsultate Justi (Viadana) Psalm 63 (Chant: Wilton) Postlude Larghetto (JS Bach) Hymns 562, 407, 558 Organist Keith Murree-Allen</p>
<p>Organist and Master of the Choristers: Mr Peter Guy Assistant Organist: Dr Keith Murree-Allen Organ Scholar: Callum Close</p>	

- The hearing loop covers the front six pews on the South side of the Cathedral. Please switch your hearing aid to the 'T' setting to benefit.
- An access ramp is situated on the harbour side of the Cathedral.
- Toilets are on the South side of the Cathedral, through the doors under the organ loft
- You may sit with your children in the St Christopher Chapel on the right-hand aisle if you wish. There is also a children's activity sheet available from the sidespersons.
- Please do **not** leave handbags and other valuables unattended in the pews at any time, their security cannot be guaranteed.
- Parishioners and visitors are welcome to park in the Cathedral car park. On Sunday, extra parking available at the rear of the Newcastle Club, please enter from Newcomen Street.
- *The steps and areas in front of the doorways to the Cathedral must be left clear at all times.*

<p>CATHEDRAL CLERGY DEAN OF NEWCASTLE The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer katherinebowyer@newcastleanglican.org.au 0407 201 693</p> <p>CATHEDRAL WARDENS People's: Bob Price & Graham Vimpani Dean's: Ann Taylor</p>	<p>CATHEDRAL OFFICE OFFICE MANAGER Lisa Cater Mon-Thurs 9.30am–4.00pm, Fri 9.30am-1.00pm</p> <p>CONTACT PO Box 221 NEWCASTLE NSW 2300 Ph: 4929 2052 Email: cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au Website: www.newcastlecathedral.org.au</p>
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Please send any notices for inclusion in the pew sheet to
cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au by 9am on Tuesday

