



Christ Church Cathedral and St Peter's Hamilton

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Welcome to worship today, especially all who are visiting

Weekly News Sunday 15 May 2022

Fifth Sunday of Easter



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7am: Eucharist CANCELLED

Presider:

Preacher:

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Preacher: *The Reverend Ruth Brand*

6.00pm: Evensong

Officiant: *The Reverend Stephen Williams*

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Dear Parish Family

As you are aware, I have been attending the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Australia. The General Synod has considered many important matters, such as climate change, gambling, family and domestic violence, and human sexuality. There has been much prayer, vulnerability, and grace-filled space.

Our Diocesan representatives have engaged, spoken, and been involved in conversations inside and outside the Synod Hall. Dr Di Rayson, a member of the Cathedral family, lead our Bible Study on Wednesday.

On a personal note, my General Synod journey started in an unexpected way, as I suffered a major fall down some stairs before our opening Eucharist, leading to a significant head injury, a trip to hospital, and concussion. I am deeply thankful for the wonderful care from our Diocesan and national church family.

Consequently, I have been advised to have some sick leave, and I won't be at the Cathedral on Sunday. I am thankful for the livestream which will enable me to worship from home.

Finally, for the first time in over two years since I started writing a weekly pastoral, there is no poem this week. Instead, I ask that you might send me your favourite poem!

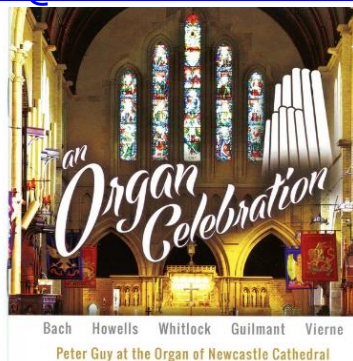
With my prayers for you,
Dean Katherine

This Sunday's 7am Eucharist is CANCELLED due to the Dean's health.

'Parish Farewell' - Tuesday 31 May 2022 at 6 pm

This will be catered for by 'Billy Goat' Catering at \$35 a head to be held in the cathedral. It will comprise of served canapes and 'grazing tables' including gluten free food and drinks. We will need to know numbers by **Friday 20 May 2022**. Payment can be made on the night and please **RSVP** to the Sharon Dyett in cathedral office at -

cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au



Peter Guy has many other hats associated with our Cathedral and the community, so please forward this information to others.

Music this Sunday

Sunday, 15th May

5th Sunday of Easter

8am Eucharist

Hymns

387, 382, 521, 231

Organist

David Drury

10am Choral Eucharist

Introit

A new commandment (Shepherd)

Setting

Communion Service in e (Darke)

Anthem

Ubi Caritas (Gjeilo)

Psalm

48 (Chant: Davy)

Postlude

Sortie-Improvisation (Drury)

Hymns

387, 382, 521, 231

Organist

David Drury

6pm Evensong

Rite

APBA

Responses

Guy

Canticles

Evening Service in C (Stanford)

Anthem

Evening Hymn (Balfour Gardiner)

Psalm

107: 1-3, 10-16 (Chant: Attwood)

Postlude

Evocation-Improvisation (Drury)

Hymns

601, 596, 609

Organist

David Drury

*Today's flowers in the Cathedral have
been kindly donated by*

Geoff and Jenny Lambert in loving memory
of their parents

JOHN and FRANCES LAMBERT

and

PETER and SHIRLEY SHAW

2022 CONCERT SERIES - CONCERT #1
SUNDAY MAY 22, 2.30PM
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

SERENADES FOR STRINGS

David Banney (conductor) **James Ferguson & Sandra Fitzgerald** (violins) **Gavin Clark** (cello)
Paul Groh & David Banney (violas)

Christ Church Camerata returns from another Covid-imposed silence with a programme to showcase the talent of Newcastle's leading string ensemble, including the world premiere of Serenade in G by our principal violist, Paul Groh.

Antonio Vivaldi - Concerto Grosso in D minor
David Banney - Concerto for two violas
Edward Elgar - Serenade for Strings Paul Groh - Serenade in G

TICKETS:

\$35 Adult, \$25 Concession, \$80 Family

Use code "2022discount" for 10% off ticket price before midday, Friday 20 May

Available from www.cccamerata.com.au

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NEWCASTLE

EUCCHARISTS 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 (no service May 10th and 17th)
and Thursday 11.00am**



Organ Recital Monday 16 May 6pm

Hear the exhilarating cathedral organ under the expert fingers and feet of American organist Colin Andrews, performing Bach's mighty *Passacaglia in C minor*, two evocative Psalm Preludes of Herbert Howells, and Joseph Bonnet's monumental *Variations du Concert*.

Entry is by note donation.



Peter Guy departs as Director of Music

After nearly fifteen years as Director of Music, Peter Guy completes his tenure at the Cathedral on Sunday, 22 May. Join us for a feast of music at the Choral Eucharist at 10am, or join us for Choral Evensong at 6pm followed by light refreshments, wine/soft drink, and an opportunity for informal conversation and reminiscing!

If you would like to contribute food for this supper, please contact
Justina Gabriel 0435585857
or **Judy Wotton 0404833773**

Please remember: Cathedral Office Hours

Should you wish to speak with someone in the office-

Tuesday 9.30am – 4pm

Wednesday 9.30am – 4pm

Thursday 9.30am – 4pm

Friday 9.30am – 1pm

At other times please leave a message and we will return your call ASAP.

For pastoral issues outside these times please call Dean Katherine 0407 201 693.

Email: cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au

Emails are checked outside these office hours.

SERVICES DURING THE WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL

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

Monday 16 May	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am – Eucharist	TBC
Tuesday 17 May	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Reverend Dr Julia Perry
Wednesday 18 May	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	Bishop Charlie Murry
Thursday 19 May	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	Fr Melbourne Nelson
Friday 20 May	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Reverend Sally Malfroy

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 22 May AT THE CATHEDRAL Sixth Sunday of Easter

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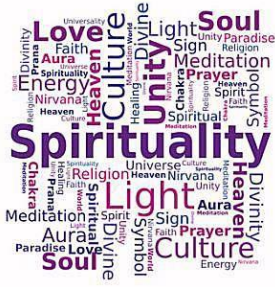
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CCC SPIRITUALITY GROUP



This Tuesday April 12 is our final study using the ABM Book, “Repairing the Breach”. We are having a few weeks break, and then resuming Tuesday May 3 at 4pm, using Professor Dorothy Lee’s “A Friendly Guide to Matthew” on Matthews Gospel. Please contact the Cathedral Office to order a copy.

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.

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 Sunday, May 22.**

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 June 5, 12, 19 and 26.



Assets Register

What is the assets register team aiming for? The team is nearing the end of recording the textiles which includes, vestments, frontals, altar clothes, burses, veils and other items. We hope to display many of the copes that are in the cathedral's collection given by clergy and parishioners over the years.

This cope was made for the coronation of Charles II in the Abbey in 1661. Made from crimson velvet embroidered with five-petalled flowers and stars, it's the oldest cope in the Abbey's collection.

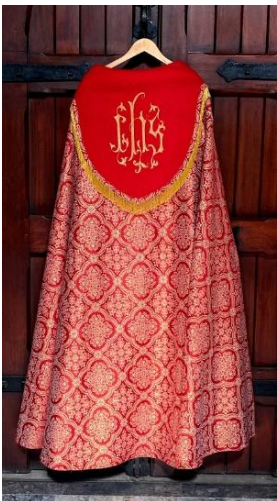
'Thy scarlet robes' - Henry VI, Part I (Act

I, Scene 3)



The one below is from the cathedral's collection. A recording of each cope can take

a couple of hours as detailed descriptions of all aspects of the vestment need to be documented. This includes measurements, material, the correct description of each part of the cope and each design, the donor and the date when made and by whom.



Our red copes are all old except for this beautiful one. It has a matching stole and they were given by the Noake/Murree-Allen family in memory their mother Margaret Noake in 2015.

Not much has changed since 1661! One of the problems with copes is that wearers may have different statures and therefore they are too long or too short for the wearer. They are never 'one fits all' as they are full length.

If anyone has a display cabinet (or knows where we can secure one) that would be appropriate to house all our beautiful copes please contact Dean Katherine or Judy Wotton (judy.wotton@gmail.com).

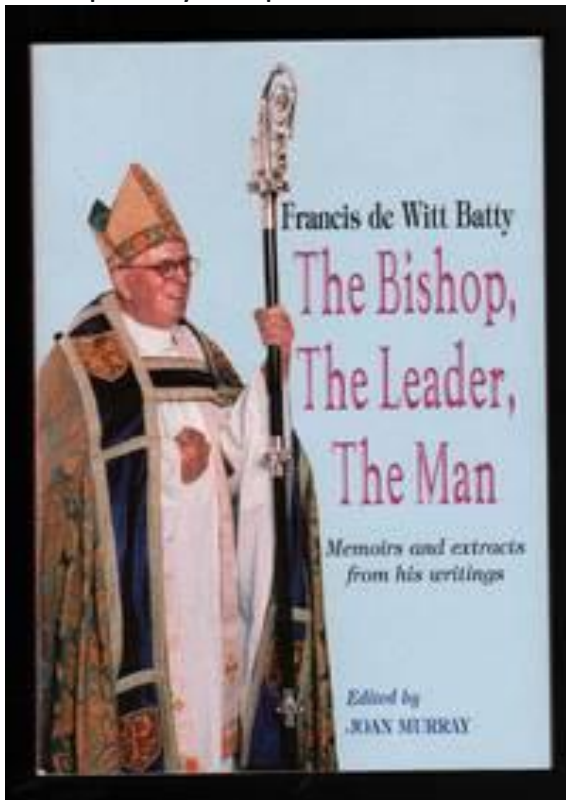
In 2020 in Westminster Abbey this gift (left) from the Queen, five blue and gold silk copes, embroidered with a lion and a unicorn, were made for the Dean and Chapter of Westminster to wear at the ceremony. The four Canons wore their copes at the service, **whilst the Dean wore a cope made for Charles II's coronation.**



Below is our oldest cope that we know of in our collection.



It is **Bishop de Witt Batty's cope** (1931-1958) as seen on the cover of the book by Joan Murray, a librarian and loyal parishioner of the Cathedral. The Diocese of Newcastle Crossier is featured in the photograph of Bishop de Witt Batty. Not much is recorded in Bronwyn Orrock's research however it was restored in 2009 and features a gothic cathedral building representing Christ Church Cathedral. Bishop Batty's cope needs restoration too!





STAMPS

One of ABM's fundraisers is used stamps. This week we received for ABM a collection of over **261 302 stamps** from Mr Geoff Liddell! This very valuable collection was his father's and is contained in **14 boxes**, all catagorised and dating back to the last century with some pre decimal currency stamps.

A big thank you to Mr Liddell. 



On-line giving –
Name: Missions Account BSB: 705-077
Account: 00041087

*Thank you everyone who continues to contribute used stamps.
The following information comes from ABM.*



Yes! ABM still wants your used stamps!

Collect Stamps for ABM

For many, many years ABM has been accepting used postage stamps as part of our fundraising. Today this practice continues with our loyal supporters from the different dioceses around Australia sending us stamps on a regular basis. This represents millions of stamps and many, many hours of effort from a large number of Friends of ABM who collect, cut, sort and sell.

We also sometimes receive whole collections from stamp collectors and some of these collections prove to be very valuable when sold – a generous gift to ABM! In fact, if you wish to donate stamp albums, it's important to leave all the stamps in the album, and not to take them out (as some have assumed to be more helpful). Albums sold at auction can often fetch much more than stamps out of albums. Likewise, if you have stamps in perforated sheets, it's best to leave them in that format.

Most stamps are sold to stamp dealers to be used in 'mission mixture packs'.

Here are some more tips for getting stamps ready to send to ABM:

- Try to leave about 1cm of envelope or postcard on each side of used stamps.
- Do send your parish or individual address so that ABM can send a thank-you letter.
- Remember not to include stamps in the same envelope as other important mail or cheques.

ABM would like to say A BIG THANK YOU to all our collectors and helpers for this tremendous effort and to encourage you all to keep collecting used stamps as the money raised goes towards our work in mission.

Please send your stamps to:

ABM – Australia
Locked Bag Q4005
Queen Victoria Building
NSW 1230



COMMUNITY WALK WITH FORMER REFUGEES

SUNDAY 15 MAY
11AM - 2PM, MAITLAND

Connecting local Australians &
people with refugee experience
for a
community walk and talk.

Walk. Talk.
Connect. #
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Register now at [Eventbrite.com.au](https://www.eventbrite.com.au):
search "**OneStep Maitland**" for details



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A Litany for use during an election campaign

Lord of every time and place, God of integrity and truth,
we pray for wisdom as we prepare to vote in the Federal election.
Let us give thanks to God, saying, 'we thank you, Lord'.

For this land and the diversity of its peoples,
we thank you, Lord.
For all who work for peace and justice in this land,
we thank you, Lord.
For leaders who serve the common good,
we thank you, Lord.
For robust democracy and freedom to participate in public life,
we thank you, Lord.
For media scrutiny and open debate,
we thank you, Lord.

Let us pray to the Lord, saying, 'Hear us, good Lord'.

Bless those who administer the electoral process,
that they may uphold fairness, honesty and truth.
Hear us, good Lord.
Impart your wisdom to all who propose policy,
that their promises may serve those in greatest need.
Hear us, good Lord.
Give integrity to party leaders, candidates and campaign workers,
and keep them from deceit and corruption.
Hear us, good Lord.
Protect all engaged in public life, with their families, friends and colleagues,
that nothing may demean or do them harm.
Hear us, good Lord.
Direct those who influence opinion through the media,
that we may listen, speak and vote with sound minds.
Hear us, good Lord.

The Litany concludes with one or both of these prayers:

Lord of every time and place, God beyond our dreaming,
we pray for wisdom as we prepare to vote in the [Federal] election.
Give us a Parliament committed to the priorities of your kingdom,
so that peace, compassion, truth and justice may prevail among us,
and make us a blessing to all peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
God, bless Australia,
guard our people
guide our leaders
and give us peace;
for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.



A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

Replacing Single use Products with Reusables

There's more to it than keep cups and water bottles though it is assumed more and more people will be thoughtful enough to make those changes.

"Less Plastic UK has teamed up with the network partners at the International Waste Platform to launch another global multi-lingual campaign – this time to encourage the general public to use #reusable face masks to help reduce the single-use face mask waste caused by the Covid-19 pandemic.

The campaign is so far available in these languages: Burmese, Dutch, English, Ewe (Ghana), French, German, Indonesian, Italian, Khmer, Malay, Mandarin, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Tamil and Ukrainian.

If everyone wore a disposable mask every day for a year, we'd have 3 TRILLION masks to dispose of. Disposable masks take centuries to breakdown, and in the meantime when they inevitably escape into the environment, they can be lethal for any birds, mammals, turtles, and fish that get tangled in them.

Disposable masks are necessary for frontline medical staff, and vulnerable people – but the majority of people can keep themselves and their communities safe by wearing reusable facemasks – and therefore minimise the long-term environmental impact caused by Covid19."

<https://www.lessplastic.org.uk/global-campaign-to-reduce-covid-waste/>

Love your neighbour



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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Wednesday 18 May	6.00am 5.30pm	Archdeacon Arthur Copeman The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer
Thursday 19 May <i>Dunstan</i>	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Canon Andrew Eaton The Reverend Sarah Dulley
Friday 20 May	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Scott Dulley The Reverend Melanie Whalley
Saturday 21 May	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Nicole Baldwin The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

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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