



**Welcome to
Christ Church Cathedral
Weekly News Sunday 26 March 2017
FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT**

Services Today

7.00am Eucharist

Presider: The Dean

Preacher: Canon Julia Perry

8.00am Eucharist

Presider & Preacher: Canon Julia Perry

9.30am Sung Eucharist

Presider: The Dean

Preacher: Canon Julia Perry

6.00pm Lenten Evening Prayer

Officiant: The Dean

Preacher: The Reverend Sally Gero

Readers:

8.00am B Ravenscroft & P Ravenscroft

9.30am J Thomson & S Williams

6.00pm R Murree-Allen [*Matthew 5.1-12,17-20*]

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.

Lenten Movies at the Cathedral
7.30pm this Wednesday 29 March
“Jesus of Montreal”



For children 0-5years and parents or care givers at the Cathedral 10am – 11.30am every Thursday in School terms. See the flyer at the back of the church for further details.

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Monday 27 March

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

9.30am MU Lady Day

Tuesday 28 March

10.30am Eucharist [*No other morning services*]

Wednesday 29 March *John Keble, priest*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

** Evening Prayer is usually at
5.30pm Monday-Thursday
and 5pm on Friday*

Thursday 30 March

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

Friday 31 March

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

Saturday 1 April

7.30am Morning Prayer

8.00am Eucharist

5.00pm Family Eucharist

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Saturday 1 April: 5.00pm Family Eucharist

Sunday 2 April: FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

7.00am Eucharist *Presider & Preacher:* Fr Paul

8.00am Eucharist *Presider:* The Dean *Preacher:* Fr Paul

9.30am Sung Eucharist *Presider & Preacher:* Fr Paul

6.00pm Lenten Evening Prayer

***Officiant:* Fr Paul *Preacher:* The Reverend Roger Zohrab**

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.

Lenten Study groups Christ Church Cathedral 2017

When the going gets tough, the tough get praying!

Lent is a time which calls us to repentance – i.e. to turn again to God – and there are familiar patterns of encouragement: giving something up, or taking disciplines on or almsgiving, fasting and prayer. This lent the sessions are focusing upon prayer and the many diverse ways there are for us to explore. **7pm – 8.30pm Mondays 20 & 27 March and 3 April.** See the flyer at the back of the church for more details.

Missions: ABM Project Lent:

In Lent, ABM provides envelopes for each Sunday. **Today's envelope supports *ABM Church Growth in the Philippines.*** Copies of the 2017 ABM Prayer Diary 2017 are at the back of the church, please take one.



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LENT 2017

Please support Church Growth in the Philippines

The Episcopal Church in the Philippines proclaims the good news of salvation through preaching, liturgical celebrations and action.

The support program of the Church, a new integrated program, aims to grow the Church and strengthen its activities on social transformation. The shortage of clergy or ordained ministers has been a reoccurring issue, so the new program will help empower lay people. A Lay Pastors' Course will enable students to help the clergy maintain existing liturgical services throughout all congregations on Sundays.

Please support this project and help build vibrant congregations through training and development.

Restoration of St Alphege Church. Wilnor Flores with Fr Claudio Bagano, priest in-charge and some members of the St. Alphege congregation. © Wilnor Flores/ABM 2016.



Donations for Flowers are invited for **23 April, 11, 18 & 25 June** and **1 July**. If you would like to donate flowers in memory of a loved one or as a thank-offering please advise Suzanne Evans, ph: 4955 9170 and place your donation in an envelope, listing the date for display together with a message and place in the wall safe. Likewise, please contact Suzanne if you would like to donate flowers as a Memorial or Thank-Offering for **Easter Day**.

Shop News: Easter cards are now available at \$1.00 each, plus a lovely new range of prayer cards at 50 cents each, including some featuring words from our best loved hymns.

Samaritans – Thank you all very much for your most generous food donations over the last few weeks. As always, your gifts are very much appreciated by the Samaritans staff and in turn, by those in greatest need. Please help to restock the shelves by donating items such as **CHUNKY SOUPS, CANNED MEALS, PASTA AND SAUCES, PORRIDGE/CEREALS, LONG-LIFE MILK, TEA, COFFEE, TINS/JARS of BABY FOOD & DISPOSABLE NAPPIES.**

Bible Study - the next Bible Study will be held on **Wednesday 26 April**, at **7pm** in the **home of Peter & Beth Ravenscroft**. For further information contact Peter Ravenscroft Ph: 49631720.

Dinners & Lunches of Eight 2017 - Everyone is invited to join in the Dinners & Lunches of Eight which will be held again this year on the following dates: *Dinners - Fridays 2 June & 4 August; Lunches - Saturdays 8 July & 2 September.* Mark these dates in your diaries so you are able to participate. More details will be available later. For further information contact Beth Ravenscroft Ph: 49631720.

Holy Week, Easter & ANZAC services – please see the flyer at the back of the church for dates and details of services.

Newcastle Fringe Festival – Africa Entsha here tonight at 7.30pm
Tickets \$20 each – www.stickytickets.com.au/48764/africa_entsha.aspx

Reminders: *1. Daylight Saving ends 2am next Sunday 2 April – change your clocks back 1 hour.*
2. It is also recommended to test home smoke alarms at this time.

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.

Music Today

<p>8am Hymns 275, 548(332), 499, 447 Organist Peter Guy</p> <p>9.30am Introit Oculi omnium (Wood) Setting Mass for five voices (Byrd) Anthem Loving Shepherd of thy sheep (Ledger) Psalm 23 (Chant: Camidge) Postlude The King's Majesty (Matthew Corl) Hymns 275, 548(332), 499, 447 Organist Callum Close</p>	<p>6.00pm Canticles Anthem Psalm Postlude Hymns Organist</p>	<p>Lenten Evening Prayer Christus Rex (Wilson) Blessed are you (Matthias) Let my prayer (Matthias) The beatitudes (Rachmaninoff) 107: 1-3, 17-22 (Chant: Booth) Naiades (Vierne) 448, 223, 601 Peter Guy</p>
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Organist and Master of the Choristers: **Mr Peter Guy**
Assistant Organist: **Dr Keith Murree-Allen**
Organ Scholar: **Callum Close**

- 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.*

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