



# Christ Church Cathedral

52 Church Street, Newcastle

## and St Peter's Hamilton

148 Denison Street, Hamilton



*Welcome to worship today, especially all who are visiting*  
*Weekly News Sunday 14 July 2024*

## Pentecost VIII



### Services Today

**8.00am: Eucharist**

**Presider:** Archdeacon Rod Bower

**Preacher:** Archdeacon Rod Bower

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**6.00pm: Evensong**

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## Dear Parish Family

**There is no pastoral this week as Dean Katherine and family are still recovering from covid.**

As advertised in the pewslip, the Annual General Meeting of the Cathedral Parish will be on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2024, at 5.00pm in Christ Church Cathedral Newcastle. Papers will be available at the Cathedral this Sunday July 14.

**The office will be closed next Thursday and Friday 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> July.**

The cooler weather makes us more aware of the needs of our community, especially those rough sleeping or needing food. Thank you for your support of the Community Lunch, Parish Pantry, and the Samaritans Winter Appeal.

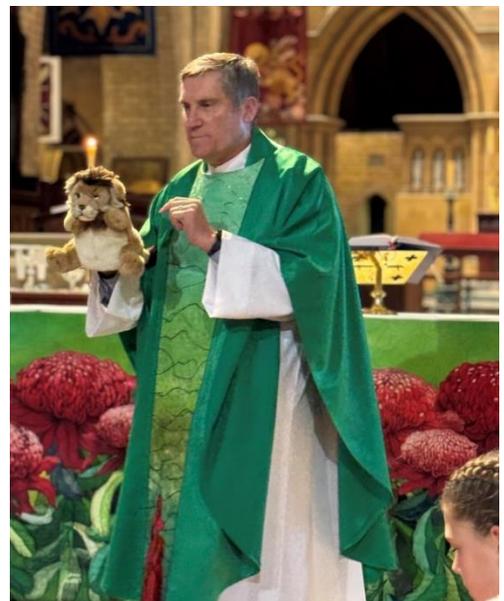
**COVID AND ATTENDING WORSHIP:** The impact of ongoing COVID is evident in our parish family. Please continue to be mindful of COVIDSafe practices as we gather, and to be mindful of our own health and vulnerabilities as well as those in our community. Please strongly consider wearing a mask in places, 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.**

**LIVESTREAM:** We've been having some problems with our livestream – mostly, the equipment doesn't like being damp – and who can blame it! We aim to livestream at least one Sunday service each week. If technology lets us down, then I will post an update on the Cathedral Facebook page. The easiest way to connect to the livestream is through the cathedral YouTube channel:

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

### Fr Gary with Families @ Five



# *Music this Week*

**July 14 – Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Music list and notes**

**8am Eucharist**

Hymns – 207, 235, 497, 547  
Keith Murree-Allan (organ)

**10am Eucharist**

Setting – Dudman  
Hymns – 207, 235, 497, 547  
Keith Murree-Allan (organ)

**6pm Evensong**

Hymns – 202, 572 (ii), 585  
Keith Murree-Allan (organ)

*The flowers in the Cathedral are kindly donated by-*

Ann Taylor in loving memory  
of her son **ZACK SAUL.**



# NEWCASTLE MUSIC FESTIVAL

[Christ Church Cathedral is the proud sponsor of the following events, get your tickets now.](#)

## [Fanfare – Organ and Trumpet](#)

Friday August 9 @ 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Distinguished organist David Drury and the exceptionally talented Andy Fiddes on trumpet combine these noble sounds showcasing them in this lunchtime concert.



Tickets: <https://www.newcastlemusicfestival.org.au/event/fanfare-organ-and-trumpet/>

## [Festival Choir in Concert](#)

Sunday August 11 @ 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

The Festival Choir, under the direction of Christopher Allan, perform choral works in the beautiful acoustic of Christ Church Cathedral. Erin Sweetman and Peter Guy will perform four hand works for piano as collaborating artists.

Tickets: <https://www.newcastlemusicfestival.org.au/event/festival-choir-in-concert/>



# NEWCASTLE MUSIC FESTIVAL

## Rachmaninoff Meets Paganini

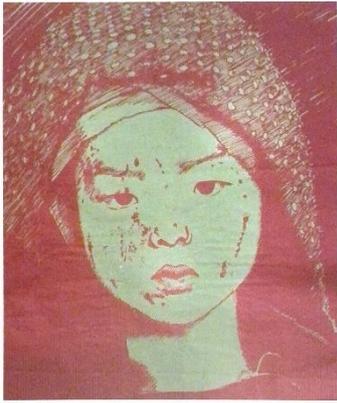
Sunday August 18 @ 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm



Erin Sweetman joins the Camerata in the 'Rach-Pag' – one of the epics of the piano repertoire. Numerous composers have made sets of variations on Paganini's original melody, including Paganini himself, but none are more popular than Rachmaninoff's brilliant work, which includes one of the greatest tunes of all time in the 18th Variation. The colour of Eastern European music continues in Kilar's marvellous 'Orawa', an evocation of folk fiddlers on the Polish mountains. Also on the program, arrangements by our Principal Violist, Paul Groh, of delightful works by the German Baroque composer, Johann Groh, and a new work by Artistic Director, David Banney.

Tickets: <https://www.newcastlemusicfestival.org.au/event/rachmaninoff-meets-paganini/>

# HUNTER PEACE GROUP



**Hiroshima.  
Nagasaki.  
NEVER AGAIN!**

## Peace Justice Friendship

On Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2024, Hunter Peace will be holding our commemoration the 79<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

We would love you to join us for a couple of hours – starting at 11a.m – at the Peace Park at Tighes Hill, Maitland Road (opp the TAFE).

We have topical speakers in Greens Clr Charlotte McCabe, Student Encampment Organiser at Newcastle Uni – Jean-Louise Olivier; and Deputy Lord Mayor Clr Declan Clausen

The Newcastle Peoples' Chorus will entertain us. And a BBQ will be happening.



There are 9 countries in the world that own nuclear weapons. In 2023, collectively, they spent over \$91.4 billion renewing or upgrading their nuclear weapons.

Across the world the people rally in protest against the appalling slaughter that is being inflicted by the Israeli troops on the Palestinian people – approximately 40,000 Palestinians, human-aid workers, doctors, nurses journalists and more have been unnecessarily killed in this cruel and inhumane conflict. Across the world people are calling for a ceasefire and for Palestinians to have their own State with the right to govern for themselves free from the Israeli occupation.

Here in Australia we have a Federal Government hell-bent on achieving an extremely aggressive militarised defence policy with all the insidious machinery, weaponry, star-wars, under-sea technology, chemical technology to go with it.

Billions of dollars are being spent and will continue to be spent across the ensuing decades to enable this to come to fruition; including, the acceptance of UK and USA nuclear-ready submarines entering some of our ports, which includes one of our Ports on the eastern seaboard being turned into a nuclear submarine base.

Shame on the Coalition government of the day that started this dreadful journey with PM Turnbull's wish for Australia to be in the top 10 countries in the world producing armaments, followed by PM Morrison's secret AUKUS PACT deal.

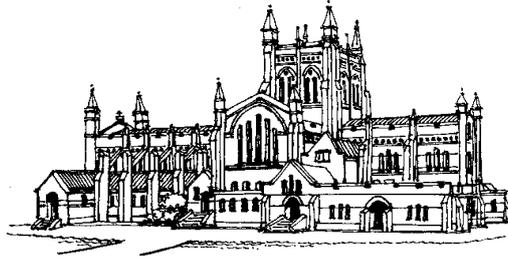
Double shame on our current ALP government for embracing all of this with such vigour – creating manufacturing jobs that kill and maim people, instead of peaceful manufacturing jobs that enhance peoples' lives; and for encouraging the militarisation of our education system. Shame on Dutton and his opposition members for choosing nuclear power as the way to transition from coal, oil and gas.



Authorised: Hunter Peace Group - contact Lynda Forbes Email: [hunterpeacegroup.2016@gmail.com](mailto:hunterpeacegroup.2016@gmail.com)

# Hiroshima Day Commemoration

**6.00 pm Sunday 4 August 2024**



**Christ Church Cathedral**

**Church St, Newcastle**

## **Prayers for Peace at Choral Evensong**

A commemoration of Hiroshima Day will be held at Choral Evensong **at 6.00pm on Sunday 4 August 2024 at Christ Church Cathedral**

The Guest Preacher on this special occasion will be the **Rev'd Nicholas Edwards, St James Anglican Church, Morpeth**

People of all faiths are warmly invited to share in this annual service of commemoration as we remember all those who have suffered as a result of war, and join together in prayers for peace in the world.



On behalf of Christians for Peace Newcastle

**Contacts: George Garnsey 4934 2658 or Doug Hewitt 0431 935 097**

**Lead us from Death to Life, from Falsehood to Truth  
Lead us from Despair to Hope, from Fear to Trust  
Lead us from Hate to Love, from War to Peace  
Let Peace fill our Heart, our World, our Universe**



Common Grace is partnering this year with the Anglican Church of Australia's Family and Culture Commission to invite you to their 'Faith, Hope, Love' National Conference.

From 2-3 September you can join with Christians and churches from across the breadth of the Australian Church to listen and learn about preventing domestic and family violence.

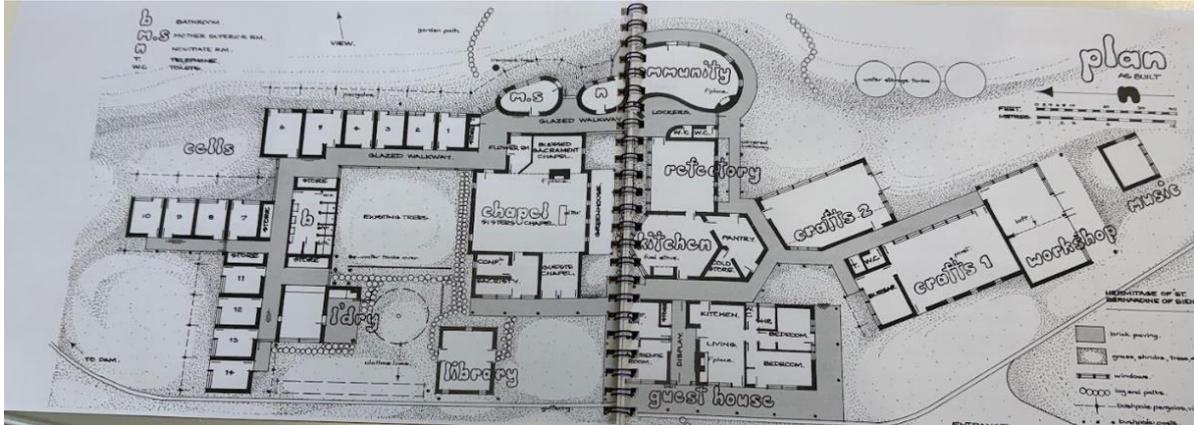
This conference is for anyone who wants to play a bigger part in their faith or ministry to create a future free from violence against women.

Register Here:

<https://www.tencommitments.org.au/conference>

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| <h1>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING</h1>  |  |
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| <p>THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE<br/>CATHEDRAL PARISH WILL BE ON<br/>THURSDAY 18TH JULY 2024 AT 5.00PM<br/>IN CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL NEWCASTLE.</p> |  |

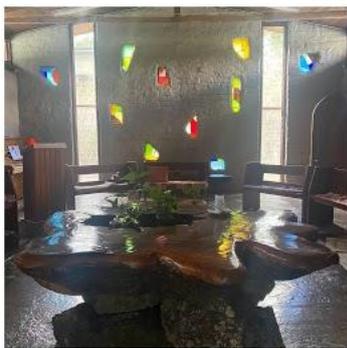
## The History of The Monastery of the Blessed Virgin Mary and The Hermitage of St Bernardine of Siena, Stroud



Recently some parishioners visited this Anglican retreat which other parishioners helped build with mudbricks in the 70s and 80s. **THE COMMUNITY OF ST CLARE** is an order of **ANGLICAN FRANCISCAN SISTERS** dedicated to the life of prayer and solitude. Early in 1975, Sister Angela and other Sisters of St Clare were invited to Australia from England by the Bishop of Newcastle. Shortly after their arrival, they settled in at the historic St John's Rectory at Stroud and when the Order began to grow, larger facilities became necessary. Nearby land was found and purchased, and architects and builders were consulted. A local builder, Kevin Osmond, suggested 'adobe' as a simple and economic way of building and it was not long before some experimental **mudbricks** were made. The first structure was **THE BROTHER'S HERMITAGE** built for the **ANGLICAN FRANCISCAN BROTHERS**. Volunteer groups from all over Australia began to come at weekends. They became known as "The Muddies". Much of the construction took place over a period of two years from January 1979. The land was consecrated, and buildings were blessed and dedicated on July 12, 1980.



*Sister Angela*



For Sr Angela, who was a renowned sculptor from her early years, the building of the monastery was a work of sculpture. "We built a mudbrick monastery and people come to it and pick up something that is imparted to them from the place. It has got nothing to do with bricks and mortar...it was made from the earth...this place will live on whatever happens because love formed it. I long to see writers and theologians, artists and students coming to spend time at Stroud to study and work and to join in the rhythm of prayer and worship." (Sculptor of Spirit: Angela of Stroud – Faith Read)

By 2000 for various reasons there were no more Sisters of St Clare in occupation of the monastery and so The Friends of the Monastery was formed.

(J.Wotton)



## SAMARITANS WINTER APPEAL

**Samaritans has been proudly supporting our community for 40 years.**

With cost-of-living pressure and a rental crisis impacting many people's ability to keep food on the table and a roof over their heads, your generosity has never been more important.

Your contribution will help support Samaritans Student Accommodation in Wickham.

This service provides safe and secure housing for young people at risk of homelessness within our region.

Over the past decade, the student accommodation has supported almost 200 young people as they continue their education journey.

Nearly 90% of students have completed their studies or apprenticeships during their stay. Samaritans Student Accommodation receives no government funding.

It can only continue to operate with donations from our local community. Donate today:

A poster for the Samaritans Winter Appeal. It features the Samaritans logo at the top left. The main text reads 'Help us change lives' in a large, white, handwritten-style font. To the right of this text, it says 'Samaritans Winter Appeal'. Below the main text is a yellow button that says 'Donate now'. Underneath the button is a QR code. The background of the poster is a dark green with a pattern of white icons representing people and community. At the bottom of the poster, there is a white bar with the website address 'www.samaritans.org.au/donate' and the Samaritans logo with the word 'Newcastle' next to it.

[https://shoutforgood.com/embed/lightbox?client\\_token=728ed9c2-85ca-4ca7-a387-24a696360117](https://shoutforgood.com/embed/lightbox?client_token=728ed9c2-85ca-4ca7-a387-24a696360117)

## **Cathedral things to remember...**

**The nights are now so cold, imagine not having a warm pair of socks! Please donate new socks for the homeless. Find the tub at the back of the Cathedral. Many thanks.**



**We are still collecting suitable material for the wonderful team who make beautiful blankets to comfort the homeless. Please leave material if you have any, (non-shiny) in the container at the back of the Cathedral. Thank you.**

**Donate to the Cathedral's restoration, buy and lay a paver for your furry friend.**

**Contact the office for details.**



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



## 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 July 28, August 4,11 and 25 and September 1,8,15 and 29.*

## CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY LUNCHESES

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 14 July 2024.***

## 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.

## SUPPORTING THE MINISTRY OF THE PARISH



Thank you for your ongoing faithful financial support of the parish. Your regular offering enables and supports our ministries, as well as the essential work of maintenance. New packs of offertory envelopes are available at St Peter's and the Cathedral for those who would like to use them. Electronic offering (details in the pewslip) ensures that your support continues, even if you are away. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like more information, 49292052.

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

**CATHEDRAL**

**Sunday - 8.00am and 10.00am**

**Monday – Friday 8.30am**

**ST PETER'S**

**11.00am Tuesday and Thursday**

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.

## **SERVICES DURING THE WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL**

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

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| Monday 15 July    | 8.00am - Morning Prayer<br>8.30am – Eucharist | Fr Gary Atherton            |
| Tuesday 16 July   | 8.00am - Morning Prayer<br>8.30am – Eucharist | The Reverend Dr Julia Perry |
| Wednesday 17 July | 8.00am - Morning Prayer<br>8.30am - Eucharist | The Bishop                  |
| Thursday 18 July  | 8.00am - Morning Prayer<br>8.30am - Eucharist | The Dean                    |
| Friday 19 July    | 8.00am - Morning Prayer<br>8.30am - Eucharist | The Dean                    |

## **SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 21 July 2024 AT THE CATHEDRAL**

### **Mary Magdalene**

#### **8.00am: Eucharist**

**Presider:** *The Reverend Gary Atherton*

**Preacher:** *The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer*

#### **10.00am: Choral Eucharist**

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#### **6.00pm: Choral Evensong**

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## **ONLINE SERVICES THIS WEEK**

The Weekly and mid-week Eucharists and the Morning office continue to be distributed online via **You Tube** and **Facebook**

We encourage you to share these resources widely during this time.

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| Monday 15 July    | 6.00am | The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer |
| Tuesday 16 July   | 6.00am | The Reverend Canon Garry Dodd      |
| Wednesday 17 July | 6.00am | The Reverend Angela Peverell       |
| Thursday 18 July  | 6.00am | The Reverend Canon Andrew Eaton    |
| Friday 19 July    | 6.00am | The Reverend Amanda Brockwell      |
| Saturday 20 July  | 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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