



# Christ Church Cathedral and St Peter's Hamilton

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Welcome to worship today, especially all who are visiting

**Weekly News Sunday 17 July 2022**

**Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**



Diego Velazquez - Christ in the House of Martha and Mary [c.1618]

## **7am: Eucharist**

Presider: The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

Preacher: The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

## **8am: Eucharist**

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Preacher: The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

## **10.00am: Choral Eucharist**

Presider: The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

Preacher: The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

## **6.00pm: Choral Evensong – Sea Sunday**

Officiant: The Very Reverend Katherine Bowyer

Preacher: The Right Reverend Dr Peter Stuart

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Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/christchurchcathedralnewcastle/>

# *Dear Parish Family*

As I'm writing this letter, it's nice to see the sun out – though I know come summer, we'll be wishing for cooler weather and rain again! Please continue to pray for all affected by flood and storm, and for those in the northern hemisphere affected by heatwave conditions.

Thank you to all who have shared their memories of Fr John Southerden and Sharon Wright with me. Fr John's Memorial Service will be at the cathedral on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 11.30am. Please continue to hold all who mourn in your prayers.

This Sunday evening we conclude our intentional week of prayer for all whose life is connected to the sea, with the Sea Sunday Evensong. As I wrote last week, this will also be Bishop Peter Stuart's last Sunday in the Diocese before he travels to the Lambeth Conference, and he will be the preacher at this Evensong. Information on how to support the work of the Mission to Seafarers is in the pewslip.

## **A little bit of what else is in the pewslip:**

**LAMBETH CONFERENCE:** The Lambeth Conference begins on 26<sup>th</sup> July. Please contact the office if you would like a printed copy of the daily prayer guide. Bishop Peter has written to the Diocese about the Lambeth Conference. You can read the letter here: [https://www.newcastleanglican.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/Lambeth-Letter-to-Diocese\\_220627.pdf](https://www.newcastleanglican.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/Lambeth-Letter-to-Diocese_220627.pdf)

**SUPPORTING MISSION TO SEAFARERS:** There's lots of information in the pewslip about how to support the invaluable work of the Mission to Seafarers. Our mission giving for the rest of July is to support the work of the Mission to Seafarers.

**DEANS CONFERENCE:** Each year, the Anglican Deans of cathedrals gather for a time of prayer and mutual support. COVID has prevented our in person gatherings the last two years, but this year we are finally (!) gathering in Bunbury Western Australia. I will be away from Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July to Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> August inclusive, as I attend the conference and take some annual leave.

**LIVESTREAM:** The easiest way to connect to the livestream is through the cathedral YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXyas2uhJUNOnDetOpPdUOg>

**CHOIR:** Our choir blogger's final blog – in this format – was last Sunday. You can read it here, <https://newcastlecathedralchoir.wordpress.com/> where you can also sign up to read the blogger's new blog, **Lectio**. You can sign up to Lectio here: <https://lectioandlight.wordpress.com/>

**ATTENDING WORSHIP:** Please worship how you are most comfortable. Please be mindful of COVIDSafe practices as we gather, and be mindful of our own health and vulnerabilities as well as those in our community. Whilst it is no longer mandatory to wear facemasks at worship, you may wish to continue to wear a mask, or wear a mask in certain settings. 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.

Finally, this week's poem, is by U A Fanthorpe. I've cited her work before, and find it always challenging and bringing of insight. This poem, written later in life, is, as the title announces, an 'unauthorised version'<sup>1</sup> on the Gospel reading we hear this weekend. I've written and spoken before how I was greatly influenced by two sisters who shared a home with their brother, whom I have come to treasure as my own 'Mary, Martha, and Lazarus'. This poem, from Mary's perspective, speaks of that bond that siblings know – or in this case particularly – sisters. You may find the poem challenging or disrespectful. I find in it however, the resonances of my bond with my sister, whom I love fiercely, and would likewise defend.

### ***Unauthorised version***

Of course he meant it kindly. I know that.  
I know Josh—as well as anyone can know  
The Son of God. All the same, he slipped up  
Over this one. After all, a Son is only a son  
When you come to think about it. And this  
Was between sisters. Marty and me,  
We understand each other. For instance, when Lazzie died,  
We didn't need to spell it out between us,  
Just knew how to fix the scenario  
So Josh could do his bit—raising Lazzie, I mean,  
From the dead. He has his own way of doing things,  
Has to muddle people first, so then the miracle  
Comes as a miracle. If he'd just walked in  
When Lazzie was ill, and said OK, Lazzie,  
You're off the sick list now — that'd have lacked impact.  
But all this weeping, and groaning, and moving of stones,  
And praying in public, and Mart saying I believe, etcetera,  
Then Lazarus, come forth! and out comes Lazzie  
In his shroud. Well, even a halfwit could see  
Something out of the ordinary was going on.  
But this was just ordinary. A lot of company,  
A lot of hungry men, not many helpers,  
And Mart had a go at me in front of Josh,  
Saying I'm all on my own out there. Can't you  
Tell that sister of mine to take her finger out,  
And lend a hand? Well, the thing about men is,  
They don't realise how temperamental good cooks are.  
And Mart is very good. Believe you me.

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<sup>1</sup> Also a play on 'The Authorised Version'.

She was just blowing her top. No harm in it.  
I knew that. But then Josh gives her  
This monumental dressing-down, and really,  
It wasn't fair. The trouble with theology is, it features  
Too much miraculous catering. Those ravens feeding Elijah,  
For instance. I ask you! They'd have been far more likely  
To eat him. And all those heaven-sent fast-food take-aways—  
Quail, and manna, and that. And Josh himself  
The famous fish-buttie picnic, and that miraculous  
Draught of fishes. What poor old Mart could have done with  
Was a miraculous draught of coffee and sandwiches  
Instead of a ticking-off. And the men weren't much help.  
Not a thank you among them, and never a thought  
Of help with the washing-up.  
Don't get me wrong. Of course I love Josh,  
Wonder, admire, believe. He knows I do.  
But to give Marty such a rocket  
As if she was a Pharisee, or that sort of type,  
The ones he has it in for. It wasn't right.  
Still, Josh himself, as I said—well, he is only  
The Son of God, not the Daughter; so how could he know?  
And when it comes to the truth, I'm Marty's sister.  
I was there; I heard what was said, and  
I knew what was meant. The men will write it up later  
From their angle, of course. But this is me, Mary,  
Setting the record straight.

U.A.Fanthorpe1929-2009

**With my thanks and prayers,**  
**Dean Katherine**

*Ps: Please share this email with others who would like to hear news of the parish.  
To receive our weekly mailings, please contact the Cathedral Office  
[cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au](mailto:cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au) to be placed on the email or mail out list.*



# Music this Sunday

**8am**

Keith Murree-Allen (organist)

Hymns: 132, 143, 525, 596

**10am**

Christopher Allan (conductor)

Keith Murree-Allen (organist)

Hymns: 132, 143, 525, 596

Psalm 52:1-13

Setting: Darke in F

Anthem: Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (JS Bach)

Gospel Alleluias



**6pm**

Kim Sutherland (conductor)

Members of Christ Church Camerata

Jenny Pickering (piano)

Keith Murree-Allen (organist)

Hymns - 658, 609, 138

Processional - Air from the Water Music (Handel)

Canticles - 'Come now, praise the Lord' and *Magnificat* from St Nicholas  
Canticles (David Banney)

Psalm - 65:1-13

Anthem - The Lord Bless You and Keep You (John Rutter)

During the Seafarers Litany - *Gabriel's Oboe* from 'The Mission' (Ennio  
Morricone)

Postlude: Sailor's Hornpipe

## About the music

Our 10am Eucharist features two favourites - Harold Darke's colourful Communion Service in F, and Bach's exquisite 'Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring'. Our Evensong music commemorates the work of the Mission to Seafarers. The music for the opening Processional comes from Handel's Water Music, and the Postlude is the Sailor's Hornpipe. We welcome a wonderful oboist, Francesca Orchard-Hall, to play the haunting *Gabriel's Oboe* from 'The Mission' - a story of the perils and joys of carrying the gospel across the sea. The hymns include the 'Seafarers Hymn' - Eternal Father, strong to save.



**PINCHGUT OPERA**  
**IN NEWCASTLE**  
*Monteverdi Vespers*

Following performances in Sydney and Melbourne in 2021, Pinchgut Opera is thrilled to be taking Monteverdi's Vespers on tour to Newcastle.

To purchase tickets for Monteverdi's Vespers on Monday, 1 Aug, 7pm at Christ Church Cathedral, Newcastle, please click here:

<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=890538&%C2%A0>

Pinchgut Opera is Australia's only company dedicated to presenting operatic masterpieces from the Baroque period. Pinchgut Opera celebrates the beauty and the breadth of emotions through music and the human voice.

## Assets Register - Ciborium

This is the ancient Greek word for the cup-shaped seed vessel of the Egyptian water lily "nelumbium speciosum" and came to describe a drinking cup made from that seed casing. These vessels were particularly common in ancient Egypt and the Greek East. The word "ciborium" was also used in classical Latin to describe such cups.

In medieval Latin, and in English, "Ciborium" more commonly refers to a covered container used in Roman Catholic, Anglican, Lutheran and related churches **to store** the consecrated hosts of the sacrament of Holy Communion. It resembles the shape of a chalice but its bowl is more round than conical and takes its name from its cover, surmounted by a cross or other sacred design.



McNaughton Ciborium

## Reservation of the Sacrament

Following ancient custom, the Book of Common Prayer provides that the consecrated bread and wine may be reserved for the communion of the sick or others who for "weighty cause" could not be present at the celebration or for administration of communion by a deacon to a congregation when a priest is unavailable. The sacrament may also be reserved on Maundy Thursday for communion on Good Friday. **It is customary to keep the consecrated elements** in a tabernacle or an **aumbry** or covered with a veil on a table or altar. A lamp or candle burns nearby to announce the presence of the reserved sacrament. This light is known as **a sanctuary lamp** if the reservation is near the altar.

### The Sanctuary Lamp and Aumbry in St Michael Chapel





## **Do you have a spare couple of \$\$ this week?**

Are you able to donate those couple of dollars towards the Samaritans Winter Appeal? This year Samaritans will support the homelessness that our youth are facing here in Newcastle.

With the cold nights and weather setting in this week, the thought of these kids being on the street is worrying. Your generous donation of even just a couple of dollars will go towards accommodation, food and allowing them to continue their studies.

<https://chuffed.org/project/samaritans-winter-appeal-2022>

**Please remember if you can spare a little, we are still asking for donations to our FREE FOOD PANTRY at the Cathedral and also collecting for the Samaritans. Any long life non-perishable items will be very thankfully received.**



HUNTER PEACE GROUP

**Peace Justice Friendship**



CHRISTIANS FOR PEACE

## **Annual Hiroshima Day Commemoration**

**Saturday 6 August 2022 at 11.00 am**

**Peace Park, Maitland Road, Tighes Hill**

**(opposite Tighes Hill TAFE College)**

**Speakers: Ms Lee Rhiannon, former Greens Senator and NSW MLC**

**Father Rod Bower, Anglican Diocese of Newcastle**

**Celebrate the designation of the Peace Park by the City of Newcastle**

**and share a picnic lunch with barbecue provided or BYO lunch**



**City of Newcastle Peace Park, Maitland Rd, Tighes Hill  
Parking available off Tighes Terrace**

Further information from [hunterpeacegroup.2016@gmail.com](mailto:hunterpeacegroup.2016@gmail.com) or phone 0476 884 200  
and from Christians for Peace at [doug.isabel35@gmail.com](mailto:doug.isabel35@gmail.com) or phone 0431 935 097  
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# Without Seafarers, Newcastle stops. Let's give back.

Seafarers continually sustain every Australian with the goods we need and enjoy. As a worldwide charity, the Mission to Seafarers stands alongside these 1.6 million men and women in 260 ports around the world.

MTS Newcastle is one of 27 Australian centres giving those isolated at sea a chance to:

- connect with their loved ones and children, often for the first time;
  - mentally and spiritually recharge for the next leg of their voyage; and
  - access medical, welfare, and chaplaincy services.

We actively respond with loving care to the many challenges and dangers faced by seafarers. We work closely with Australian Government agencies and Newcastle port users to improve the treatment of seafarers and shipping practices in Australian waters. Shipping is human-powered. Let's give back. [mtsnewcastle.org.au](http://mtsnewcastle.org.au)



We are supporting The Mission to Seafarers for July

*Envelopes available at back of the Cathedral or in Service Sheet*

## On-line giving –

## Name: Missions Account

**BSB: 705-077 Account: 00041087**



Caring for seafarers  
around the world

An invitation to

# SEA SUNDAY

Blessing of the  
Port of Newcastle

17 JULY 2022 @ 6PM

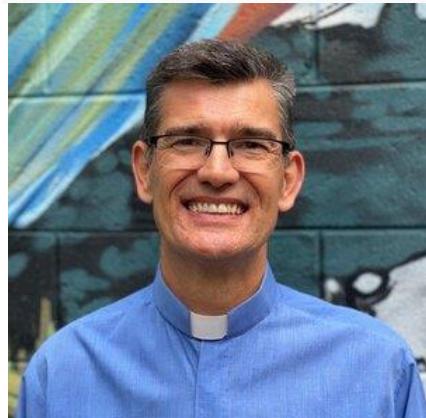
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Enquiries: admin@mtsnewcastle.org.au

The Rev'd Canon Garry Dodd is the Senior Chaplain to The Mission to Seafarers. Listen to his 2 minute video below.

<https://youtu.be/jcY6VWg1Ja4>



# Lismore Regional Gallery Fundraiser



ADFA has asked for our help! ADFA has committed to support the restoration of art works owned by the flood ravaged Lismore Art Gallery. This is being done through an online lecture by Leigh Capel on 'The Value of Art'. The cost of this lecture is \$25 and support of this lecture and help the Lismore Gallery restore some of its precious art works. It should also be an interesting lecture. The online lecture is Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July at 5.30pm. Below are the links containing information about the lecture and how to make a booking. Information about the lecture and the need to assist the Lismore Art Gallery:- (<https://mailchi.mp/584214dacco8/lismore-regional-gallery-flood-fundraiser-the-value-of-art-online-lecture-by-leigh-capel?e=8ccc33ba66>)

This is the direct Trybooking link (<https://www.trybooking.com/CAUXB>).

Please share this information widely, to encourage support for this event and help the Gallery restore its artworks.

**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](mailto:cathedral@newcastlecathedral.org.au)

*Emails are checked outside these office hours.*



## 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 24, 31, August 7, 14 and September 4 and 11.**

## 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 this Sunday July 17, 2022.**

**EUCARISTS 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 and Thursday 11.00am**

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

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

Monday 18 July	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am – Eucharist	Canon Garry Dodd
Tuesday 19 July	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Rev'd Dr Julia Perry
Wednesday 20 July	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Bishop
Thursday 21 July	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	Fr Melbourne Nelson
Friday 22 July	8.00am - Morning Prayer 8.30am - Eucharist	The Dean

## ***SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 24 July***

### ***AT THE CATHEDRAL***

### ***Seventh Sunday after Pentecost***

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## 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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Friday 22 July <i>MARY MAGDALENE</i>	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Kate Heath The Reverend Canon Andrew Eaton
Saturday 23 July	6.00am 5.30pm	The Reverend Melanie Whalley 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**

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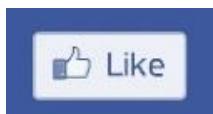
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