

# Christ Church Cathedral Newcastle

Weekly News 20 January 2013, Second Sunday after Epiphany

## Our Vision

### Who we are:

An inclusive group of prayerful Christian people committed to using their gifts for transforming lives and communities for Christ.

The stewards of an iconic building serving the people of Newcastle and beyond.

The Cathedral is the seat of the Bishop of Newcastle and the place where the Diocesan family meet for worship.

## Services

7.00am Eucharist

*Celebrant & preacher: Bishop Peter Stuart*

8.00am Eucharist

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9.30am Sung Eucharist

*Celebrant & preacher: Bishop Peter Stuart*

6.00pm Sung Evensong

*Officiant: Fr Mark Watson*

*Preacher: Bishop Peter Stuart*

*The Choir is on holiday today and next Sunday.*

Welcome to worship at the Cathedral today.

A special welcome to **the Rt Revd Dr Peter Stuart**, Assistant Bishop of Newcastle and Diocesan Administrator.

We also welcome **Ryan Anthony Foate** into the Body of Christ through Holy Baptism at 11.30am.

Sunday School meets during the sermon at the 9.30am service. Please come to the St Christopher Chapel before the sermon.

Please join us for tea or coffee in the south west porch after the 9.30am Service.

## Services this week

**Monday 21 January** *Agnes, martyr & virgin*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.30pm Evening Prayer

**Tuesday 22 January** *Vincent, deacon martyr*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

10.30am Eucharist

5.30pm Evening Prayer

**Wednesday 23 January**

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.30pm Evening Prayer

**Thursday 24 January** *Companions of Paul*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.30pm Evening Prayer

**Friday 25 January** *Conversion of Paul*

7.00am Morning Prayer

7.30am Eucharist

5.00pm Evening Prayer

**Saturday 26 January** *Australia Day*

7.30am Morning Prayer

8.00am Eucharist

4.00pm Wedding

**Sunday 27 January**

7.00am Eucharist

*Celebrant & preacher: Fr Mark Watson*

8.00am Eucharist

*Celebrant & preacher: Fr Mark Watson*

9.30am Sung Eucharist

*Celebrant: Fr George Mainprize Preacher: Fr Mark Watson*

6.00pm Sung Evensong

*Officiant & preacher: Fr Mark Watson*

**Readers: 8am** Fr M Nelson & A Price

**9.30am** D Chapman & R Murree-Allen

**6pm** Joy Kelly

## **Cathedral Administration Officer**

We are pleased to announce that Mrs Lisa Cater has been appointed Cathedral Administration Officer as from last Tuesday. Lisa will work Mondays to Fridays 9.30am to 1.30pm. She will be located in the McKensy Building (administration building for Newcastle Grammar School) opposite the Cathedral Close in Newcomen Street. Lisa will be preparing the weekly pew sheet and is the contact person for Cathedral bookings. Lisa can be contacted during work hours on 0401 083 547. Please pray for Lisa as she takes up this new responsibility. Please continue to send news items for the pew sheet to Fr Mark (email address on the back of the pew sheet).

## **Appointment of a Sub Dean**

The Reverend Dr David Cole is to be the Sub Dean of the Cathedral from Saturday 2 February 2013. Please pray for Father David as he prepares to take up this role. Contact details for Father David will be available from 2 February in the pew sheet and on the website.

## **Thank you from the Dean and his Family**

Father James, Anna, Cressida and Leath would like to thank everyone for their kind wishes and generous gift at their farewell on Sunday 13 January. Their new contact details from 1 February are: c/- St John's College, University of Queensland, St Lucia QLD 4067. Tel: (61) 7 3842 6600, Mobile 0411 447 083, email: [warden@stjohns.uq.edu.au](mailto:warden@stjohns.uq.edu.au).

## **A Growing Community of Ministry Lent Study Groups (13 February-24 March)**

Father David and Father Mark will be running study groups during Lent which begins with Ash Wednesday 13 February 2013. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the Cathedral, indicating your interest and preferred day and time to meet.

## **Adult Baptism, Confirmation and Reception to the Anglican Church**

If you or someone you know would like to be baptised, confirmed or received at the Easter Eve Vigil Sat 30 March 2013 at 7pm, please contact Father Mark Watson to arrange preparation.

## **Cathedral Prayer Collection**

The cathedral prayer collection *Prayers from Christ Church Cathedral* is available from today from the Cathedral Shop priced at \$5. All proceeds to the National Trust of Australia (NSW) Christ Church Cathedral Restoration Fund. Thank you to all who contributed to this project.

**For your prayers** For those who have recently joined our congregation; for those preparing for baptism, confirmation and marriage; Ryan, Jess, Steven, Shauni, Michael; please pray for our outreach to visitors, giving thanks for all volunteers who enable the broad ministry of our Cathedral. Please pray for Father James, Anna, Cressida and Leath as they prepare to move.

## **Prayers for the sick**

When you give names to the clergy, please indicate whether these are **immediate** or **long-term** sick. Names on the **immediate** list will be moved to the **long-term** list after 3 weeks. Please also advise the clergy when someone for whom we have been praying recovers so that thanks for healing can be given in our prayers. *Please ask permission from the person to be prayed for before giving their name to the clergy.*

## **Presentation of Christ in the Temple - Sunday 3 February 2013**

Sunday 3 February will be the first Sunday **the Revd Dr David Cole** will be with us as **Sub Dean**. We will be celebrating the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas) transferred from 2 February, marking forty days after Christmas. The Choir will be returning to sing at services that Sunday.

## **Shrove Tuesday**

Shrove Tuesday this year is 12 February. Please keep this date free for our **Pancake Night**. Further details will come later.

## **Caring for our Heritage**

### **Homemade jam, marmalade and chutney**

We have many marmalades and chutneys available today from Shop: *Limited edition (lemon and mandarine), Sweet lemon; Sweet lemon with orange; Three fruit; Grapefruit with orange; Grapefruit; Nectarine chutney; Spicy Green tomato chutney; Beetroot & Orange relish*. Please leave requests for *Passionfruit* or *Lemon Butter* at Shop (during the warmer weather, these must be refrigerated). If the flavour you would like isn't at Shop, please leave a request with the staff. We have all flavours available, but perhaps not on the shelf. All proceeds to the National Trust of Australia (NSW) Christ Church Cathedral Restoration Fund.

## **A message from the Cathedral Shop**

Please support the Shop and have a look at our range of cards and reading materials. 2013 Lectionaries are in stock at \$12.50 each. This is an essential purchase for everyone involved in reading the lessons at services, and for those who say the daily office. 'Day by Day' has finally arrived – with several weeks of readings still valid, reduced cost \$1.00 per copy.

## **A Growing Community of Gospel Outreach and Mission**

### **Food donations for Samaritans**

Donations of tinned vegetables, tinned fish, milk, cereal, rice, pasta and pasta sauce would be appreciated. If you prefer to donate cash, please place this in an envelope marked *Food for Samaritans* and we will purchase the food and dispatch to the Samaritans. Contact: Gordon Griffiths (please leave a message for Gordon at the Shop).

## **Flowers memorial**

The flowers in the Cathedral today are in loving memory of John Roberts.

## Music Today

### 8am Eucharist

Hymns 143, 452, 503 (vv 1, 2,5,6), 545  
Organist Sharon Sandstrom

### 9.30am Sung Eucharist

Setting Newcastle Mass (Guy)  
Psalm 36:5-10  
Postlude Concerto No. 10, 2<sup>nd</sup> movt (Handel)  
Hymns 143, 452, 503 (vv 1,2,5,6), 545  
Organist Keith Murree-Allen

### 6pm Sung Evensong

Responses Ferial  
Canticles To chant  
Psalm 47  
Postlude Concerto No. 1, 4<sup>th</sup> movt (Handel)  
Hymns 448, 609, 136, 458  
Organist Keith Murree-Allen

Organist and Master of the Choristers **Mr Peter Guy**  
Assistant Organist **Dr Keith Murree-Allen**  
Organ Scholar **Callum Close**

## Information

- 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 is available at the rear of the Newcastle Club: please enter from Newcomen St. *The steps and areas in front of the doorways to the Cathedral must be left clear at all times.*

### Cathedral Clergy

The Bishop Administrator  
Bishop Peter Stuart

The Dean

The Very Reverend Dr James Rigney  
*Fr James Rigney was farewelled on  
13 January and is currently on leave prior  
to taking up his new position*

SubDean (*commencing 3 February 2013*)  
The Reverend Dr David Cole

Canon Pastor

The Reverend Canon Mark Watson  
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[canonpastor@newcastlecathedral.org.au](mailto:canonpastor@newcastlecathedral.org.au)  
*Day off this week: Friday*

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### Web Site

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### Cathedral Wardens

People's Wardens: Alan Green, Greg Hansen  
Dean's Warden: Lynette Streete

**Please send any notices for inclusion in the pew sheet to  
[canonpastor@newcastlecathedral.org.au](mailto:canonpastor@newcastlecathedral.org.au) by 9am on Tuesday.**