

FUTURE DATES

Little Seeds Playgroup commences Term 3 on Wednesday 13 July at 9.30am.

Intercessors' Training—Saturday 9 July 10am. **NB Correct Date.**

Friends of St John's Community Support Group will meet for a BYO lunch time meeting at 12 pm on Monday 18 July in Dempster Room.

Winter Dinner—Friday 29 July—7.00 for 7.30pm.—See note page 3 of these notices.

Serving Christ Today—Sundays 14, 21 & 28 August and 4 September—4pm-6pm in Dempster Room

The Spring Series - Sundays 2, 9, 16 and 23 October from 11.30am to 1pm here at St John's.

KEEP UP TO DATE with the St John's Camberwell website online. www.stjohnscamberwell.org.au

BCA BOXES are now due. Please give to Carole Nicholls or hand in at the parish office.

IN THE PARISH

Morning & Evening Prayer will be prayed in the Chapel Monday to Friday—8.30am and 5pm

MONDAY 4 July

4.00pm Refugee & Asylum Seeker Support Group meets in Dempster Room

TUESDAY 5 July

9.30am Pastoral Care Support Group meets in Dempster Room

12 noon Eucharist in Chapel

12.35pm Staff meeting

3.00pm Liturgy Meeting in Dempster Room

WEDNESDAY 6 July

11.30am Eucharist in the Chapel followed by BYO lunch in Dempster Room

6.30pm Communion & Curry

THURSDAY 7 July

2.00pm Private Interment of the Ashes of Mrs Berra Harmer in the Memorial Garden

6.00pm Field Committee (Kuncoro Rusman) in the Dempster Room

7.30pm Choir Practice

8.00pm Thursday Night Study Group at Ross' home

SATURDAY 9 July

10.00am Intercessors' training in the Church



CONTACT WARTA JEMAAT

ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, CAMBERWELL
Pentecost 7—JULY 3 2016

Dear Friends,

Writing in 1915, as Europe was darkening with war, the sense of 'nation state' heightening, the English Anglican lay woman spiritual writer Evelyn Underhill's insights strike an uncanny note in this week of 'Brexit-Regrexit':

"No nation is truly defeated which retains its spiritual self-possession. No nation is truly victorious which does not emerge with soul unstained. If this be so, it becomes a part of true patriotism to keep the spiritual life, both of the individual citizen and of the social group, active and vigorous; its vision of realities unsullied by the tangled interests and passions of the time. This is a task in which all may do their part. The spiritual life is not a special career, involving abstraction from the world of things. It is a part of every man's [sic] life; and until he has realized it he is not a complete human being, has not entered into possession of all his powers."

The calling of the baptised will inevitably lead them into practical actions and tasks. But unless what Evelyn Underhill calls the 'spiritual life' – or what Bede Griffiths calls the 'Centre' - is the motivator, the engine room, the first priority, then all action, even the very best of good works, are at risk of being ensnared by 'tangled interests and passions of the time'. The spiritual life is not a special career – it is part of every person's life. As we learn best of all from the Jesus who consciously undergoes the 'path to Jerusalem', those who are spiritually self-possessed can never be truly defeated.

With this in mind the one thing I hope to impress upon us all today is to restate and reinforce what I have been saying, in a variety of ways, since I came to St John's. It seems so obvious that it might even seem that it doesn't need to be said. But the strange thing about the church in our time is that we've been conned into believing that the measure of a church is its busyness, its activities, programmes and so on. Wrong! Worship is our 'core business'. From our worship all else naturally flows – without our having to force it, invent it, strategise it, or hard-sell it.

Since last Christmas we have been advertising the dates of the Spring Series - as the one, whole-of-parish adult education-formation priority. This year's series is like the companion to last year's – the emphasis shifts from our communal prayer, to the daily prayer of each of us. I do hope we will all make every effort to participate in the whole series together, as one parish.

Prayer in Daily Life

4 Sundays in October (2, 19, 16, 23) 11.30am – 1pm

With my love, David.

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WELCOME! SELAMAT DATANG! WOMINJEKA!

We are glad to have you join us in the sacred liturgy. With generations of Christ's followers we are all welcomed around the banquet table of the Word made flesh—regardless of gender, race, colour, sexual orientation, social status or any other distinction. And you are warmly invited to join us for morning tea following the 10am liturgy in the Rutherford Room or for the evening meal following the 3pm liturgy.

8am EUCHARIST

Presider: David Moore
Preacher: David Moore
Reader: Neil Nyholm
Intercessor: Keith Dempster
Server: Neil Nyholm
Euch. Asst: Neil Nyholm

10am SUNG EUCHARIST

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Preacher: David Moore
Deacon: David Moore
Sub-Deacon: John Manton
Readers: Clare Tomasov, Sue Banting
Intercessor: Muriel Porter
Cantor: Janette Fly
Servers: Geoff Vincent (MC), Jenny Cook, Julian Rait, Clare Tomasov
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, Jenny Cook
Kidz@Church: In recess. Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

3.00pm LITURGY OF THE WORD

with Holy Baptism
Bahasa Indonesia

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Liturgis: Kuncoro Rusman
Pengkotbah: David Moore
Pembaca Mazmur: Rein Rumayar
Pembaca P Baru: Iesje Bakar-Tobing
Pembaca Firman: Inez Hetharia
Pemain Musik: ICCBand
Setup PA Sys: ICCBand
Usher: Rama Rusman
Sekolah Minggu: Yolanda Ohello
Konsumsi: Vini Rotty
Petugas Kebersihan: Aris, Nora, Sue

6pm CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICE- Keith Dempster

TODAY'S LECTIONS

Isaiah 66. 10-14; Psalm 66. 1-8
Galatians 6 (1-6),7-18, Luke 10. 1-12(13-16) 17-24

SPRING SERIES BOOKLET:

Accompanying today's Contact is the follow-up booklet from the 2015 series, for our further reflection, and to assist us as we prepare for this year's series.

THE KEBLE CELEBRATION MASS—

The Annual Commemoration of The Anglican Catholic Revival is on Thursday 14 July at 7.30 pm at St George's Malvern, 296 Glenferrie Road. The Preacher is The Rt Revd Alison Taylor, Bishop of the Southern Region, Anglican Church of Southern Queensland. The traditional warming supper will be served - All Welcome Enquiries 9380 2040—harrime@bigpond.com

WARTA JEMAAT

1. Bagi yang pertama kali hadir beribadah disini, mohon berdiri dan memperkenalkan diri.
2. Kami ucapkan selamat kepada Vinson atas baptisannya hari ini. Tuhan memberkati keluarga Roy and Vini.
3. Setelah kebaktian selesai, kami mengundang seluruh jemaat, terutama yang baru pertama kali hadir, berkumpul beramah tamah dan menikmati makan bersama di Rutherford Room.

REFUGEE & ASYLUM SEEKER

SUPPORT GROUP meets tomorrow, Monday 4 July at 4pm in the Dempster Room.

THE PASTORAL CARE SUPPORT

TEAM meets on Tuesday 5 July at 9.30am in the Dempster Room.

INTERCESSOR'S WORKSHOP

This workshop is open to anyone who may be interested in finding out more about the ministry of intercessor. 10am Saturday 9 July. Enquiries to David Moore.

SERVING CHRIST TODAY:

This four-week program about what it means to live the Christian life begins on Sunday 14 August at 4pm in the Dempster Room. It is the final unit in the Trinity Certificate, but all parishioners are most welcome. Please book by 24 July. More information on the noticeboard or speak to Muriel Porter.

FOUND PROPERTY:

A pair of black framed spectacles with blue backing which were left in the chapel on 26 June. And we still have a pair of red framed spectacles in a black case which were found in the kitchen. Please claim from the office.

THE BLACK & WHITE WINTER DINNER

FRIDAY 29 JULY—7 for 7.30pm

\$40p.h. incl. wine—Sorry, no BYO.

Proceeds to Nungalinya College Darwin

There will be no auction this year.

We seek donations for the

LUCKY BOTTLE STALL.

An **OIL PAINTING** by Keith Dempster will be raffled—it is on display on Sundays.

TICKETS are available on Sundays from today.

NEXT SUNDAY, 10 JULY 2016

PENTECOST 8

Deuteronomy 30. 9-14; Psalm 25;1-10;
Colossians 1.1-14; Luke 10.25-37

8am EUCHARIST

Presider: David Moore
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Reader: Penny Galbraith
Intercessor: Peter Forwood
Server: Hans Ferdinands
Euch. Asst. Penny Galbraith

9.00am BREAKFAST

10am SUNG EUCHARIST

Presider: David Moore
Preacher: David Moore
Deacon: Kuncoro Rusman
Sub-Deacon: John Manton
Readers: Noel Anderson, Margaret Anderson
Intercessor: Geoff Vincent
Servers: Ross Smith (MC), Alison Asquith, Sue Banting, James Moorhouse
Euch. Assts. Sub-Deacon, Neil Nyholm
Kidz@Church: In recess. Please make use of activities at the back of the church

3pm EUCHARIST

Bahasa Indonesia

Presider: David Moore
Liturgis: Kuncoro Rusman
Pengkotbah: Kuncoro Rusman

6pm CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICE

Keith Dempster

TMA : The July edition of The Melbourne Anglican is available today at the back of the church. Please take a copy.

THANK YOU for your ongoing support of the food basket for **MISSION HOUSE**.

YEAR'S MIND: We remember before God, Wilks Gordon Simmons, Florence Orr, Frank Baumgartner, Minnie Manderson, Philip Strong (Bishop), Reginald Fenwick-Brown (Priest), and Mary Cohn, whose anniversaries occur at this time.