

## FUTURE DATES

**The Asylum Seeker & Refugee Support Group** will meet on Monday 13 August at 3pm in the Dempster Room

**The Pastoral Care Support Team** will meet on Tuesday 14 August at 9.30am in Dempster Room

**The Illawarra Study Group** will meet on Tuesday 14 August at 8pm in Keith's home

**Working Bee prior to Induction:** Saturday 18 August from 9am, to ensure the church is sparkling for the Induction Service. See notice p3

**Induction of Fr John Baldock** by Bp Gieve Blackwell—7pm Tuesday 21 August.

## THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

*Morning (9.30am) and Evening Prayer (5pm)  
Tuesdays to Fridays unless mentioned below.*

**TUESDAY 7 August**

**12 noon** Eucharist in the Chapel

**WEDNESDAY 8 August (No Evening Prayer)**

**7.00pm** Eucharist

**7.30pm** Parish Council meets in Dempster Room

**MISSION HOUSE:** Thank you for your continued support of our appeal for food. Breakfast cereals are required and also tinned vegetables, e.g. peas, corn, (not tomatoes or salad vegies).

**NOTICES FOR CONTACT** should be in the office by 1pm on Wednesdays.



# CONTACT

**ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, CAMBERWELL**  
**The Transfiguration of our Lord—5 August 2018**

From the beginning of my time as Locum Vicar on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of October 2017 I received a very warm welcome and I have enjoyed the ongoing experience of worshipping with you at St. John's. On my first Sunday at St. John's I spoke about my understanding of an interim ministry and published the comments that were made.

*As I begin as locum vicar of this church community I expect there will be mixed feelings about how things might turn out and about how helpful an interim ministry will be for the community. This faith community has a long and impressive history and together we are called to know the story of the past while at the same time ensuring faithfulness in the present and hope for the future. Together we share a stewardship of what exists and the challenge to nurture and grow in seeking for truth for ourselves as individuals and together as a church community. As seekers of truth we strive to be sensitive and caring towards each other, listening and conversing while valuing each other in the common pursuit of place in the Christian church for those who claim exclusiveness concerning who is in and who is out of the community. Seekers of truth are able to form communities of faith that are loving, caring, respectful, joyful and inclusive of all who are taking steps, however tentative, towards holiness and Christ likeness. My hope and prayer is that together we will use this interim time as an opportunity to deepen our commitment to God and to each other as we enjoy the many blessings that we have received and will receive as we look towards the future with hope.*

Now we are at the end of the interim ministry and about to begin a promising new period in the history of this community of faith. Thank you for your support and encouragement and for the opportunity to join in the life of this community during the last 10 months. I have enjoyed being with you as your locum vicar and will miss the life of the community at St. John's. I will move back into retirement as you welcome your new vicar and step forward in the life of this community to proclaim the message of the gospel.

May you all be richly blessed.

Ken

**2018 BARRY MARSHALL LECTURE : Women's Leadership in the Anglican Church of Australia.** On Wednesday 22 August at 7.30pm in the Craig Auditorium, Gateway Building, Trinity College, **The Most Reverend Kay Goldsworthy AO, Archbishop of Perth** will present the 48th Annual Barry Marshall Lecture, which will include consideration of the impact of same-sex marriage being legalised in Australia, the global #metoo movement, and explore the implications and challenges such large-scale social change can present within the Anglican Church. This is a free event. Light refreshments will be served following the lecture. RSVP <https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=339972&> - Enquiries Sarah Cooke 9348 7527, Email: [events@trinity.unimelb.edu.au](mailto:events@trinity.unimelb.edu.au)

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**WELCOME!** 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 after the 10am liturgy in the Rutherford Room and the Farewell lunch for Father Ken Hewlett.

## SERVICES TODAY

### 8am EUCHARIST

**Presider:** Ken Hewlett  
**Preacher:** Ken Hewlett  
**Reader:** Bruce Sanderson  
**Intercessor:** Hans Ferdinands  
**Server:** Hans Ferdinands  
**Euch. Asst.:** Hans Ferdinands

### 10am SUNG EUCHARIST

**Presider:** Ken Hewlett  
**Preacher:** Ken Hewlett  
**Deacon:** Richard Wilson  
**Sub-Deacon:** Cynthia Nyholm  
**Readers:** Kerry Pratt, Georgina Porter  
**Intercessor:** Andrew Porter  
**Cantor:** Eleanor Forwood  
**Servers:** Ross Smith (MC), Sue Banting, Geoff Vincent, Janice Wong  
**Euch. Assts.:** Sub-Deacon, Janice Wong  
**For children:** Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

*After 10am Liturgy—Morning Tea followed by Farewell Lunch for Father Ken Hewlett*

### 6.00pm: EVENING WORSHIP

#### LECTIONS FOR THE DAY

*Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 97;  
2 Peter 1:16-19; Mark 9:2-10*

**St John's 'Parish Covenant'** is the basis for all relationships, social interactions, and patterns of behaviour within and concerning the Parish. It is on display in the narthex and available on the parish website. All parishioners are encouraged to sign the Covenant, demonstrating their public commitment to a safe and healthy parish community.

### CHILD SAFETY REQUIREMENTS:

Thank you to the many parishioners – more than 70! – who have completed their child safety requirements. With our 1 August deadline now past, we are relieved that there are just one or two people still to be followed up. They will need to step aside from their ministry roles now until the requirements are met. Our heartfelt gratitude to Dawn and Laura in the Parish Office for seeing this complex matter through so expeditiously and so graciously.

**THANK YOU, ANNE:** We have been very grateful for the ministry of the Reverend Anne Kennedy over these past months. Anne has assisted Father Ken by providing ministry on Wednesday mornings and Fridays, including ministry to nursing homes. Anne has now concluded her time with us. Thank you, Anne!

**AUGUST-SEPTEMBER JOURNAL:** The Journal of Scripture & Prayer for August-September is available today. Please take your copy.

**EFM BOOKS:** Two parishioners still have to return copies of the EFM text, *And God Spoke*. Please do so as soon as possible as they have to be returned to Father Greg Davies.

### PHOTOGRAPHY DURING WORSHIP:

Please note that in response to diocesan privacy requirements, photographs during any of our public worship services may be taken only with the prior permission of the Locum Vicar. This is particularly important whenever children are present. According to the Diocesan Child Safety Code of Conduct, children can be photographed only with the permission of their parents.

## PARISH CHANGEOVER

**THANK YOU, FATHER KEN:** Today the parish farewells our long-term Locum Vicar, Father Ken Hewlett, who has been with us since last October. We will be able to offer our thanks in person during the parish lunch today, but we also want to place on record here the parish's immense debt of gratitude to Father Ken for his exemplary ministry over these past 10 months. We are enormously grateful, Ken, that you agreed to come to us during this troubled time for the parish, and thank you particularly for your superb preaching, your liturgical leadership, your wise counsel and generous pastoral care. It has been wonderful to have Bev worshipping with us as well. We wish you both well. *The churchwardens*

**FAREWELL LUNCH FOR FATHER KEN TODAY:** Today, following the Sung Eucharist, we will thank Father Ken for his ministry to us in a parish lunch. All are welcome.

**WELCOME TO THE LOCUM'S LOCUM:** From tomorrow, Father Richard will step back into a locum role, until the Induction of Father John Baldock. Thank you, Richard.

**INDUCTION OF FATHER JOHN BALDOCK:** A form is enclosed with these notices inviting you to let us know if you will be attending Father John's Induction on Tuesday 21 August at 7pm. There are extra forms on the narthex table. This will be a great help with catering planning, so please ensure you complete the form and place it in the marked box in the narthex no later than **next Sunday**.

**WORKING BEE FOR INDUCTION—**All hands and tools are needed on **Saturday 18 August from 9am** to ensure the church is sparkling to welcome our new vicar and all our guests at the Induction Service on Tuesday August 21. Please come for some or all of the time and share this task together as a parish. Many hands make light work! Ross Smith.

## NEXT SUNDAY —12 August 2018

### *Mary, Mother of our Lord*

*Isaiah 61:10-62:3; Song of Mary;  
Galatians 4:4-7; Luke 2:1-7*

### 8.00am EUCHARIST

**Presider:** Richard Wilson  
**Preacher:** Muriel Porter  
**Reader:** Penny Galbraith  
**Intercessor:** Geoff Vincent  
**Server:** Hans Ferdinands  
**Euch. Asst.:** Penny Galbraith

### 9.00am BREAKFAST

### 10am SUNG EUCHARIST

**Presider:** Richard Wilson  
**Preacher:** Muriel Porter  
**Deacon:** Muriel Porter  
**Sub-Deacon:** Neil Nyholm  
**Readers:** Sue Banting, Brian Porter  
**Intercessor:** Neil Nyholm  
**Servers:** Ross Smith (MC), Sue Banting, Jenny Cook, Geoff Vincent  
**Euch. Assts.:** Sub-Deacon, Verona Lea  
**For children:** Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

### 6.00pm EVENING WORSHIP

**MAD HATTERS' WINTER DINNER :** Thankyou to all who worked for and supported the Winter Dinner, the proceeds of which will go to benefit The Aboriginal Reconciliation Ministry, a project of ABM. The progressive proceeds are \$1520.50. Some monies is still outstanding. The raffle was won by Keith Dempster.

**WELCOME HAMPER FOR THE VICARAGE:** From next Sunday there will a basket in the church to receive your contributions of high quality food items for the Vicarage pantry as a welcome to our new Vicar and his wife. Let's make it a great 'welcome' from the parish.

**YEAR'S MIND:** We remember before God, Stuart Morriss, Gwen Mattingley, Nancy Room, Scott Strachan, Graham Brook, John Van Der Straaten, and Frederick Doidge, whose anniversaries occur at this time.