

FUTURE DATES

Serving Christ Today—Sundays 21 & 28 August, 4 & 11 September—4pm-6pm in Dempster Room (Note changed date of commencement of sessions.)

The Anglicare Partnership Group (formerly Auxiliary) meets Monday August 22—AGM 1pm, Speaker: Deidre Farrell—2.15pm.

One Parish & Family Eucharist No. 3—Sunday 28 August at 12 noon.

Replacement of Electrical Switchboard—Monday 5 to Friday 9 September—No power to the church and church side of the building.

Book Sale No. 2: Saturday September 17 from 9am to 3pm in the Rutherford Room

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

A SECOND BOOK SALE?

YES, THERE IS! BOOK SALE No. 2

Saturday September 17 from 9am—3pm in the Rutherford Room. Proceeds again to Anglicare. Books are needed now and may be left in the boxes in the narthex.

Next Sunday flyers will be available for you to take to deliver to letterboxes.

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IN THE PARISH

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

TUESDAY 16 August

12 noon Eucharist in Chapel

12.35pm Staff meeting

WEDNESDAY 17 August

9.45am Little Seeds Playgroup—Note starting time.

11.00am Eucharist at Broughton Hall

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

THURSDAY 18 August

11.00am Funeral Service for Mr Scott Strachan in the church followed by refreshments in Rutherford Room

7.30pm Choir Practice

8.00pm Thursday Study Group at Ross' home

FRIDAY 19 August

2.00pm Funeral Service in the church for Mr Graham Brooke AM

SATURDAY 20 August

6.00pm ICCBand practice in Rutherford Rm.

COMMISSIONING—Michelle Trebilcock as Chaplain of Brotherhood of St Laurence—6pm 21 August at Christ Church South Yarra.



CONTACT WARTA JEMAAT

ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, CAMBERWELL
Mary Mother of our Lord—August 14 2016

Annunciation

'Hail, space for the uncontained God'
From the Agathistos Hymn, Greece

We know the scene: the room, variously furnished, almost always a lectern, a book; always the tall lily.

Arrived on solemn grandeur of great wings, the angelic ambassador, standing or hovering, whom she acknowledges, a guest.

But we are told of meek obedience. No one mentions courage.

The engendering Spirit did not enter her without consent.

God waited.

She was free to accept or to refuse, choice integral to humanness.

Aren't there annunciations of one sort or another in most lives?

Some unwillingly undertake great destinies, enact them in sullen pride, uncomprehending.

More often those moments

when roads of light and storm

open from darkness in a man or woman,

are turned away from

in dread, in a wave of weakness, in despair and with relief.

Ordinary lives continue.

God does not smite them.

But the gates close, the pathway vanishes....

Called to a destiny more momentous

than any in all of Time,

she did not quail,

only asked

a simple, 'How can this be?'

and gravely, courteously,

took to heart the angel's reply,

the astounding ministry she was offered:

to bear in her womb

Infinite weight and lightness; to carry

in hidden, finite inwardness,

nine months of Eternity; to contain

in slender vase of being,

the sum of power—

in narrow flesh,

the sum of light.

Then bring to birth,

push out into air, a Man-child

needing, like any other,

milk and love—

but who was God.

This was the moment no one speaks of, when she could still refuse....

She did not cry, 'I cannot. I am not worthy,'

Nor, 'I have not the strength.'

She did not submit with gritted teeth,

raging, coerced.

Bravest of all humans,

consent illumined her.

The room filled with its light,

the lily glowed in it,

and the iridescent wings.

Consent,

courage unparalleled

opened her utterly

*Denise Levertov, English-born American poet,
1923-1997*

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: Kuncoro Rusman
Preacher: Muriel Porter
Readers: Penny Galbraith
Intercessor: Peter Forwood
Server: Hans Ferdinands
Euch. Asst: Penny Galbraith

9.00am BREAKFAST

10am SUNG EUCHARIST

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Preacher: Muriel Porter
Deacon: Muriel Porter
Sub-Deacon: John Manton
Readers: Noel and Margaret Anderson
Intercessor: Adrienne Bolch

Cantor:
Servers: Ross Smith (MC), Sue Banting, James Moorhouse, Alison Asquith
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, Keith Dempster
Kidz@Church: Clare Tomasov, Verona Lea

3.00pm EUCHARIST

Bahasa Indonesia

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Liturgis: Kuncoro Rusman
Pengkotbah: Muriel Porter
Pembaca Mazmur: Christian Mundung
Pembaca P Baru: Rein Rumayar
Pembaca Firman: Julia Sutanto
Pemain Musik: Darius Hetharia
Setup PA Sys: Radit Gunawan
Usher: Albert Lengkong
Sekolah Minggu: Helena Hutajulu
Konsumsi: Iesje and Tetty
Petugas kebersihan: Luci, Christian, Tetty & Aris

6pm CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICE- Keith Dempster

TODAY'S LECTIONS

Isaiah 61.10-62.3; Song of Mary; Galatians 4.4-7; Luke 2.1-7

TRINITY APPEAL: If you have not yet made your contribution to the appeal for Trinity College Theological School via the special envelopes, please do so either today or next Sunday. Spare envelopes are on the narthex table. **This appeal is vital for Trinity's future – and for the future of parishes such as ours.** The Theological School depends on the support of parishes to educate catholic Anglican clergy to cherish and build on our tradition in the years to come.

TRINITY APPEAL DINNER: Today is the last day to indicate if you will be part of a parish table at the Archbishop's 'Faith in our Future' Appeal dinner, to be held at Trinity College on 31 August. The cost is \$100 a person. Please speak to Kuncoro or Muriel if you would like to come.

WARTA JEMAAT

1. Bagi yang pertama kali hadir beribadah disini, mohon berdiri dan memperkenalkan diri.
2. Kami ucapkan banyak terimakasih kepada Dr Muriel Porter atas pelayanannya hari ini. (We are very grateful for the preaching of Dr Muriel Porter today). Tuhan memberkati.
3. Hari Minggu tanggal 28 Agustus, jam 12 siang akan diadakan Kebaktian Bersama (Whole-of-parish Eucharist). Tidak ada kebaktian jam 10 pagi dan jam 3 sore. Setelah kebaktian semua jemaat diundang untuk makan siang bersama.
4. Setelah kebaktian selesai, kami mengundang seluruh jemaat, terutama yang baru pertama kali hadir, berkumpul beramah tamah dan menikmati makan bersama di Rutherford Room.

'SERVING CHRIST TODAY' CHANGE OF DATES: The four-week course 'Serving Christ Today' **STARTS NEXT SUNDAY 21 August** in the Dempster Room, then on Sundays 28 August, 4 and 11 September.

THE ANGLICARE PARTNERSHIP GROUP, formerly known as the Anglicare Auxiliary, will meet on Monday, August 22 in the Rutherford Room. **The AGM will take place at 1.00 pm** and at 2.15pm the speaker, Deidre Farrell, will give a talk entitled, "Early nursing at the Alfred Hospital." Afternoon tea will follow. All are welcome.

ONE-PARISH FAMILY EUCHARIST 12 NOON SUNDAY 28 AUGUST

followed by lunch

No 10am or 3pm Services

Please bring food to share for lunch.

FRIENDS OF ST JOHN'S— Volunteers are needed to help with the following support :

- Cards – playing 500 on a Monday afternoon with residents at Mary MacKillop to fill in for Robin Carter whilst she is away for 4 weeks (Sept. 8 – Oct. 8).
 - New card group Thursdays 2pm – playing Solo with residents at Mary MacKillop.
 - Visiting four ladies who attend the Anglican Eucharist at Shenley Manor.
 - A volunteer, interested in knitting, to start a group at Shenley Manor.
 - Volunteers for the bread run for Camcare on Thursday afternoons.
- If you are able to help in any way with the above please contact Liz Pratt.

CONGRATULATIONS to Neil & Cynthia on the birth of a granddaughter, Evie Mae, born 13 weeks early to Cherie and Damian, weighing 1.072 kg. Doing well. Sister for Milla.

NEXT SUNDAY, 21 August 2016

Pentecost 14

Isaiah 58.9b-14; Psalm 103.1-8; Hebrews 12.18-29; Luke 13. 10-17

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Intercessor: Geoff Vincent
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10am SUNG EUCHARIST

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Deacon: Muriel Porter
Sub-Deacon: Ross Smith
Readers: Verona Lea & Brian Porter
Intercessor: Barbara Fary
Servers: Jenny Cook (MC), Robin Carter, Sue Banting, Alison Asquith
Euch. Assts. Sub-Deacon, Janice Wong
Kidz@Church: Andrew & Georgina Porter

3pm LITURGY OF THE WORD

Bahasa Indonesia

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Liturgis: Kuncoro Rusman
Pengkotbah: Kuncoro Rusman
Pembaca Mazmur: Indra Karmawan
Pembaca P Baru:
Pembaca Firman: Ben Kalla
Pemain Musik: ICCBand
Setup PA Sys: ICCBand
Usher: Norma Philippe
Sekolah Minggu: Eva
Konsumsi: Norma
Petugas kebersihan: Evie, Nora, Sue, Glen

4.00pm 'SERVING CHRIST TODAY'

1st Session. Dempster Room

6.00pm CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICE

Keith Dempster

YEAR'S MIND: We remember before God, George Saunders, Colin Sanderson, Susan Baker, Gladys Garner, Tom Albrecht, Eve Curtis, Robert Patterson, Stephen Nickson, Dorothy Goodenough, Doreen Davies, and Monica Wilkins, whose anniversaries occur at this time.