

FUTURE DATES

The Anglicare Partnership Group will meet on Monday September 24 at 2.15pm in the Rutherford Room. "Estonia" - Glenis & Don Heath

This Year's Spring Series will take place on Sundays 7, 14, and 21 October at 11:30am following the Sung Eucharist

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

KEEP UP TO DATE with information by using the St John's Camberwell website. Contact is uploaded promptly. There is information about coming events and helpful links. www.stjohnscamberwell.org.au

MISSION HOUSE: Thank you for your continued support of our appeal for food. Presently, preferred goods are canned fruit and/or small tins of tuna or sardines, and spreads are always welcome.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

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

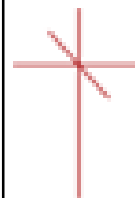
TUESDAY 18 September
12:00 noon Midweek Eucharist in Chapel

WEDNESDAY 19 September
11.00am Eucharist at Broughton Hall

THURSDAY 20 September
8.00pm Thursday Study Group at Ross's home

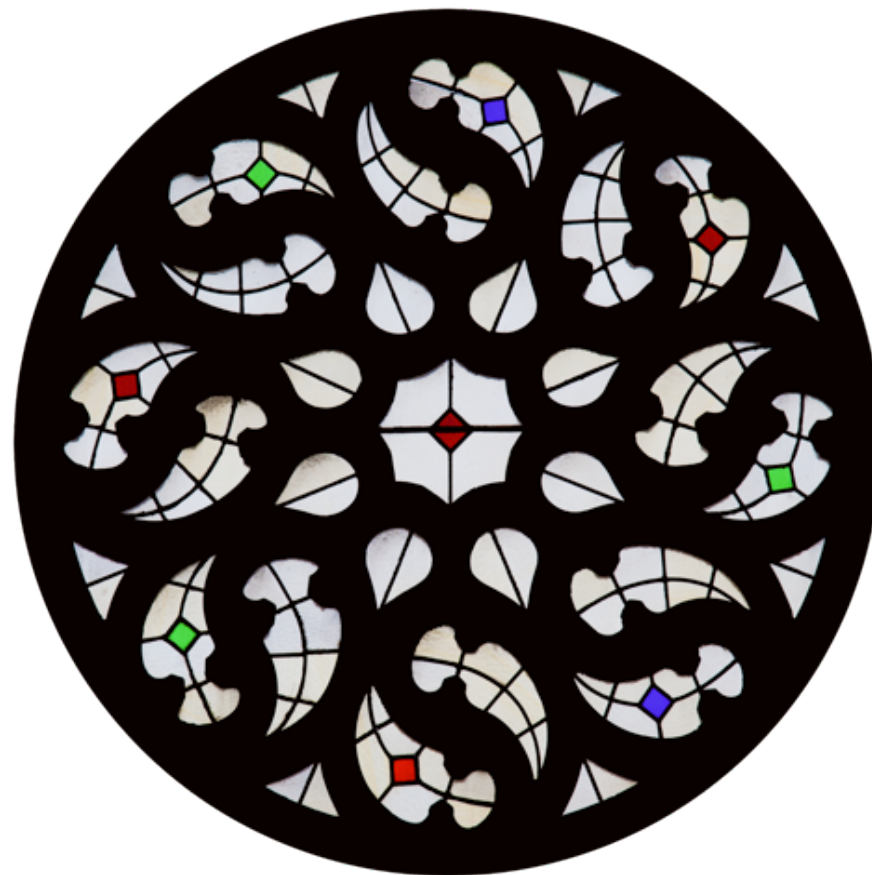
SATURDAY 22 September
10am-4pm Camberwell Camera Club function in the Rutherford Room

Saturday 22 September, 2018 — Christianity in the Public Sphere: Speakers Fr Rod Bower will be launching and signing his new book *Outspoken: Because all justice is social*; Dr Robyn Whitaker will talk on the topic "Are Christians Persecuted in Contemporary Australia"; and Dr Stephen Duckett will speak about the Assisted Dying Legislation in Victoria. \$20 admission for the symposium, including morning tea. The Seminar will be held in St Peter's Church, from 10.00 am - 12.30 pm.



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Pentecost 17 — 16 September 2018



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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.

SERVICES TODAY

8am EUCHARIST
President: John Baldock
Preacher: John Baldock
Reader: Liz Pratt, Graham Pratt
Intercessor: Hans Ferdinands
Server: Hans Ferdinands
Euch. Asst.: Keith Dempster

10am SUNG EUCHARIST
President: John Baldock
Preacher: John Baldock
Deacon: Muriel Porter
Sub-Deacon: Neil Nyholm
Readers: Brian Porter, Sue Banting
Intercessor: Adrienne Bolch
Cantor: Muriel Porter
Servers: Ross Smith (MC), Jenny Cook, Robin Carter, Geoff Vincent
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, Janice Wong
For children: Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

6.00pm: EVENING WORSHIP

LECTIONS FOR THE DAY

*Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 116;
James 2:18-26; Mark 8:27-38*

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.

THANK YOU KERRY: Kerry Pratt is our locum organist this morning

NEW VESTMENTS. New sub-deacon and deacon vestments to match a very fine parish chasuble were worn for the first time at the Induction service. If any parishioner would like to make a contribution towards the cost of the vestments, please speak either to Ross Smith or the churchwardens.

ESTONIA—THE LAST HUNDRED YEARS:

The next meeting of the Anglicare Partnership Group will be held on Monday, September 24 at 2.15pm in the Rutherford Room.

The guest speakers will be Glenis and Don Heath, and their topic will feature Estonia where their son has lived and worked over the last sixteen years. All are welcome.

BOOK SALE: The progressive total for the book sale is \$3003.40. Anglican Overseas Aid will receive the proceeds. A final total will be advised later. Thank you again to all who helped.

CHORAL FOUNDATION BROCHURES can be found at the back of the Church. This programme has been a joyous and significant innovation, raising the quality of our weekly worship and bringing young people into our faith community. To maintain the Foundation we need more people to contribute. Please speak to our Director of Music, David Byrne, if you would like to support the Foundation.

'FROM HERE TO ETERNITY'

This year's Spring Series, 'From here to Eternity – living, dying and grieving well', begins on Sunday 7 October, continuing on the following two Sundays, 14 and 21 October. The sessions, each lasting only about an hour, follow the Sung Eucharist at 11.30am.

We have some excellent speakers to help us reflect spiritually on the end-of-life issues we rarely speak about, as well as to offer some important practical information and resources.

The main speaker at the first session will be the Revd Canon Dr Colleen O'Reilly, the Vicar of St George's Malvern, and well-known to many in this parish. Her doctoral thesis looked at the ways in which Christian rites serve pastoral needs, as in the way the funeral service is an essential rite of passage for both the dead person, and the mourners if they are to live well with the loss. She teaches clergy how to make effective use of Anglican rites, and enables people to appreciate how the funeral service expresses faith in the God of transformed life and meets pastoral need in a confusing time.

For the second session, we are very fortunate to have secured as our main speaker Dr Barbara Hayes, a palliative care physician who is also involved in advanced care planning. Dr Hayes is an Anglican.

The third session will be led by the Vicar, who brings his many years as a parish priest ministering to people facing critical life issues. Fr John has also known the loss of a partner, when his wife died at the age of 30, from cancer – an experience that has shaped his life and ministry ever since.

All are welcome to these sessions – you might know some friends or neighbours who would find the series helpful.

NEXT SUNDAY —23 September 2018

Pentecost 18

*Jeremiah 11: 18-20; Psalm 1;
James 3: 1-12; Mark 9: 30-37.*

8.00am EUCHARIST
President: John Baldock
Preacher: John Baldock
Reader: Bruce Sanderson
Intercessor: Geoff Vincent
Server: Geoff Vincent
Euch. Asst.: Geoff Vincent

10am SUNG EUCHARIST
President: John Baldock
Preacher: John Baldock
Deacon: Muriel Porter
Sub-Deacon: Ross Smith
Readers: Verona Lea, Louise Keogh
Intercessor: Lyle Gurrin
Servers: Neil Nyholm, (MC), Sue Banting, Jenny Cook, Alison Asquith
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, Jenny Cook
For children: Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

6.00pm EVENING WORSHIP

YEAR'S MIND: We remember before God, Sibyl Brown, Suzanne Davidson, Erica Church, John Howells (Priest), May Albrecht, Jean Lenton, and Howard Young, whose anniversaries occur at this time.