

FUTURE DATES

Winter Dinner—Friday 29 July—7.00 for 7.30pm.

Refugee & Asylum Seeker Support Group meets in Dempster Room Monday 1 August 4pm.

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.

VACUUMING ON SUNDAYS AFTER MORNING TEA:

We have three willing volunteers to vacuum the Rutherford Room after morning tea on the first three Sundays of the month. Another willing volunteer is required for the fourth Sunday of the month.

Please consider whether you are able to join the team and lighten the load for the other volunteers. Equal opportunity applies. Enquiries to the wardens or Vicar.

OPEN FORUM

NEXT SUNDAY

11.30AM

IN THE PARISH

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

MONDAY 18 July

12 noon Friends of St John's Community Support Group meets—BYO lunch
7.30pm Children's Ministry Meeting in the Dempster Room

TUESDAY 19 July

12 noon Eucharist in Chapel
12.35pm Staff meeting
3.00pm Liturgy Meeting in Dempster Room

WEDNESDAY 20 July

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 21 July

10.00am Anglicare Church Service here at St John's followed by morning tea
7.30pm Choir practice
8.00pm Thursday Study group at Ross' home

SATURDAY 23 July

10.00am Spring Series Planning Group meets in Dempster Room
5.00pm Peace Prayer followed by conversation



CONTACT WARTA JEMAAT

ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, CAMBERWELL
Pentecost 9—JULY 17 2016

Dear Friends,

Today's memorable Genesis story of the three 'angels' who visit Abraham 'under the oaks of Mamre' inspired the development of the Trinity icon. The fifteenth century CE iconographer Andrei Rublev developed the earlier traditions of the image into what is now its classical representation. Sometimes referred to as the 'Old Testament Trinity', or by its Eastern name 'The Hospitality of Abraham', this icon is set before our nave altar and at the east wall in the chapel. Archbishop Rowan Williams' chapter on this icon in his little book 'The Dwelling of the Light' is well worth reading – and is quoted here.

Though in the reproductions we have the detail is sketchy, nevertheless there are still visible markers of its Genesis origins: the tree, and the dwelling of the patriarch (a tent has become a house!) But it's the astonishing arrangement of the three figures that has inspired so much reflection and devotion.

The central figure is unmistakably Christ. But though central, he gestures with his eyes to the figure on the left, the Father, whose right hand indicates the source from whence all blessing flows; and whose eye gesture is to the figure on the right, the Spirit. "The life of the Father is only to be understood as wholly directed to that breathing of the Spirit which makes the Son alive and real." As in life (and in liturgy!), we learn a great deal from following where hands and eyes lead us. And what we see here is an almost mesmeric dance of movement. That movement is crucial:

"In this image there is no place to stop; the movement circles around and around. And this immediately says something crucial for our understanding of both Jesus and the Holy Trinity. To look at Jesus is not to enter into a simple one-to-one relation. It is right to think of Jesus as my personal Lord and Saviour. But to understand Jesus and to relate rightly to Jesus is to be with him in his movement towards the ultimate source of divine life, the completely self-emptying love that generates this eternal answer of total attention and devotion." Both icon and doctrine are the antidote to Jesus-olatry.

Finally, look at Christ's left hand, extended over the chalice. "It is as though the real substance of what the Word of God teaches is in the chalice on the table itself. What has God to say in Christ? That the creation is invited to share the table; that this invitation is only made at the cost of sacrifice and suffering; that our yes to this welcome commits us to the self-giving economy of God the Trinity and so to a sharing of the cross, and that in this alone is our life."

With my love, David.

SPRING SERIES: Contact of Pentecost 7 was accompanied by a copy of the booklet 'Our Worship, Our Faith, Our Mission', a follow-up resource from last year's Series. Copies are available in the narthex, the church, and the parish office. The booklet is offered as a resource to stimulate our reflection and discussion, and to assist us as we prepare for this year's Series 'Prayer in Daily Life'. The Spring Series is Parish Council's number 1 priority for adult education and formation for 2016. Everyone is encouraged to participate in this whole-of-parish event. 4 Sundays in October (2, 9, 16, 23) 11.30am - 1pm. Questions? Please do ask me. *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
Readers: Liz & Graham Pratt
Intercessor: Geoff Vincent
Server: Geoff Vincent
Euch. Asst: Graham Pratt

10am SUNG EUCHARIST

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Preacher: David Moore
Deacon: David Moore
Sub-Deacon: Cynthia Nyholm
Readers: Jonathan & Wendy Way
Intercessor: Noela Manton
Cantor:
Servers: Ross Smith (MC), Robin Carter, Neil Nyholm, Sue Banting
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, Jonathan Way
Kidz@Church: Andrew & Georgina Porter

11.30am Fundraising Committee meets in Dempster Room

3.00pm LITURGY OF THE WORD

Bahasa Indonesia

Presider: Kuncoro Rusman
Liturgis: Kuncoro Rusman
Pengkotbah: Kuncoro Rusman
Deacon: David Moore
Pembaca Mazmur: Roy Rotty
Pembaca P Baru: Julia Sutanto
Pembaca Firman: Vini Rotty
Pemain Musik: ICC2Band
Setup PA Sys: ICC2Band
Usher: Norma Philippe
Sekolah Minggu: Lucinda
Konsumsi: Yolanda & Christine
Petugas kebersihan: Christine, Helena, Norma

6pm CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICE- Keith Dempster

TODAY'S LECTIONS

*Genesis 18.1-10a; Psalm 15;
Colossians 1.15-29; Luke 10.38-42*

THE VICAR'S REPORT from Parish Council for July is enclosed with these notices.

WARTA JEMAAT

1. Bagi yang pertama kali hadir beribadah disini, mohon berdiri dan memperkenalkan diri.

2. TATA CARA UNTUK MENERIMA COMMUNION (Perjamuan Kudus): Archbishop mengingatkan bahwa 'Tata cara untuk meminum dari cawan di Perjamuan Kudus, yang diterbitkan pada bulan November 2014, foto copy-nya tersedia hari ini. Yang perlu diketahui bahwa praktek 'intinction' (mencelupkan roti ke dalam anggur) tidak dianjurkan - ini termasuk untuk anak-anak. Kalau tidak melakukan minum anggur dari cawan, maka dianjurkan untuk 'Perjamuan Kudus satu cara' (yaitu makan roti saja tanpa mencelupkan) itu sudah dianggap sebagai Perjamuan yang penuh. Bila ada pertanyaan, silakan berbicara dengan Fr David.

RECEIVING COMMUNION: A reminder of the Archbishop's Protocol for the Use of the Common Cup at Holy Communion, published in November 2014, further copies of which are available today. Most importantly, please note that the practice of 'intinction' (dipping the bread into the wine) is discouraged - this includes children. 'Communion in one kind' (i.e. bread only) is considered full Communion. If you have questions, please speak with Fr David.

3. Setelah kebaktian selesai, kami mengundang seluruh jemaat, terutama yang baru pertama kali hadir, berkumpul beramah tamah dan menikmati makan bersama di Rutherford Room.

THE FRIENDS OF ST JOHN'S Community Support Group mid year meeting is on TOMORROW, Monday. Gather in the Chapel for a short service at 12 pm before the BYO lunch meeting in Dempster Room. *Liz Pratt.*

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY meeting - Monday 18 July 7.30pm in Dempster Room.

ANGLICARE VICTORIA invites you to a Thanksgiving service and launch of the new Anglicare Victoria Partnership Group to be held here in the church at St John's Camberwell on Thursday July 21 commencing at 10am. Morning tea will follow. All are very welcome.

PEACE PRAYER: 5pm Saturday 23 July. Last week's Contact contained a flier with information about an opportunity to deepen our life of prayer. Everyone is invited—Please share the fliers. Questions? Please do speak with me. *David*

ANGLICARE CHRISTMAS CARDS will be packed on Monday 25 July from 10.00am in Rutherford Room. If you can help with packaging that would be appreciated. BYO lunch if you wish—tea and coffee provided. This is our regular meeting day.

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. Speak to Muriel Porter.

LITTLE SEEDS PLAYGROUP—in future Playgroup will commence at 9.45am.

THE BLACK & WHITE WINTER DINNER—FRIDAY 29 JULY—7 for 7.30pm—\$40p.h. incl. wine—Sorry, no BYO. TICKETS are available on Sundays. Proceeds to Nungalinya College Darwin. **NB 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.

NEXT SUNDAY, 24 JULY 2016

Feast of Mary Magdalene

*Song of Solomon 3. 1-4a; Psalm 63;
2 Corinthians 5. 14-21; John 20.1-18*

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Intercessor: Andrew Porter
Servers: Jenny Cook (MC), Geoff Vincent, Alison Asquith, James Moorhouse
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11.30am OPEN FORUM 3 in the Rutherford Room after 10am Eucharist

3pm EUCHARIST

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Pembaca Mazmur: Christian Mundung
Pembaca P Baru: Nikki Milner
Pembaca Firman: Albert Lengkong
Pemain Musik: Darius Hetharia
Setup PA Sys: Cliff Ohello
Usher: Rama Rusman
Sekolah Minggu:
Konsumsi: Helena & Nora
Petugas kebersihan: Radit, Indra, Ronald

6.00pm CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICE
Keith Dempster

YEAR'S MIND: We remember before God, Leonard Lumsden, Gladys Nethercote, Ella Honeybone, Ivor Obeyesekere, Eileen Jackson, Alan Brownell, Millie Anderson, Reginald Livsey, Nellie Barker, Ian Schumack, James Paterson, Russell Clark (Priest), Ivor Ferdinands, Geoffrey Moorhouse (Priest), and Marion Parsons, whose anniversaries occur at this time.