

FUTURE DATES

Anglicare Partnership Group—next meeting is on **Monday May 28** at 2.15pm—“*Japan in Cherry Blossom time.*” *Graham Pratt.* (Note the correct date—**Monday May 28**)

Corpus Christi—Thursday 31 May—6.30pm
Eucharist followed by annual Corpus Christi Lecture. See notice on page 2.

Asylum Seeker and Refugee Support Group will next meet on Monday 4 June at 3pm. This meeting will be brought forward a week due to the Queen’s Birthday holiday in June.

Winter Dinner—Friday July 27 in the evening. More details to come later, but please mark the date in your diary.

KEEP UP TO DATE with information by using the St John’s Camberwell website. Contact and the weekly sermons are uploaded promptly . If you do not have access to the internet and would like print-outs of the sermons, please phone the parish office.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

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

TUESDAY 22 May

12 noon Eucharist in the Chapel

WEDNESDAY 23 May

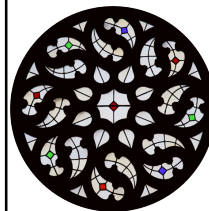
9.45am Education Committee meets in Dempster Room

SUNDAY 27 May

From 1pm—Private function in Rutherford Room and kitchen.

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.



CONTACT

ST JOHN’S ANGLICAN CHURCH, CAMBERWELL
Feast of Pentecost—20 May 2018

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Christians from every background and tradition celebrate this day as the feast of God the Holy Spirit and it speaks to us of our common mission and our common task. On this day we know God as revealed in Jesus Christ, we open our hearts and minds to the Holy Spirit, to follow his example and act in his Spirit and we begin here and now to live the new life of the Reign of God.

How do we define the Holy Spirit? Look to Jesus Christ—he was accused of being a man possessed. He did not deny it. Because the fire of love burned within him and many were warmed by that fire’s affection and brushed by its holiness. Just like Jesus those who possess the Holy Spirit do not hoard it. They give it away a fruit tree drops its fruit for our nourishment. These fruits are many and varied things like gentleness and goodness, love and joy and peace.

Where is the evidence of the Holy Spirit? The evidence is clearly and irrefutably real, in the lives of women and men of every generation who follow Christ so closely that the Spirit has formed them in his likeness. One of the great and loveliest tributes in the whole of the New Testament is the description of one of the first disciples, Barnabas: ‘He was a good man and full of the Holy Spirit.’

We learn to form ourselves in the likeness of Christ, and to be open to the Holy Spirit, not in lonely isolation but in the daily experience of belonging to the Church of God; the Body of Christ. We learn it in community—the community of believers spread throughout the world who worship, study and break bread together. We look to Jesus as our Lord and speak with many different tongues sharing a common language that is more powerful than words as we live lives that forgive and experience the joy of receiving forgiveness.

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

10am SUNG EUCHARIST

with Holy Baptism

President: Ken Hewlett
Preacher: Ken Hewlett
Deacon: Richard Wilson
Sub-Deacon: Cynthia Nyholm
Reader: Louise Keogh
Cantor: Kerry Pratt
Servers: Ross Smith (MC), Annette Holland, Robin Carter, Neil Nyholm, Alison Asquith
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, John Manton
For children: Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

6.00pm: EVENING WORSHIP

LECTIONS FOR THE DAY

*Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:26-36;
Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15*

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.

WELCOME! A warm welcome this morning to Jasper Keogh, who is to be baptised during the 10am Pentecost Sung Eucharist. Jasper is the grandson of Parish Council member Sue Keogh, who will be one of his Godparents/sponsors. We welcome too Jasper's parents Joseph and Susan, his siblings Paddy and Lucy, and his other sponsor, Jack Beeck – Sue's nephew and Godson – who has travelled specially from Perth for the baptism.

THE ANNUAL CORPUS CHRISTI

LECTURE: Barney Zwartz – journalist, media commentator and senior fellow of the Centre for Public Christianity – will be our Corpus Christi lecturer this year. His topic is 'Christianity's forgotten contribution to Western society in general and Australia in particular'. The lecture, with cheese and wine, is on Thursday 31 May, following the 6.30pm Corpus Christi Eucharist. Entry to the lecture is \$10 (GST incl.).

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.

SMOKE DETECTORS INSTALLED: As required by our insurers, smoke detectors have been installed. They are connected to our alarm system.

FATHER DAVID MOORE'S SERMONS:

If you have not yet collected a copy of the booklet of Fr David Moore's sermons, they are now available from the parish office during the week.

THANK YOU to all who helped with the **CAKE & PRESERVES STALL**. The result is \$2,200 which will be shared equally between Camcare and Anglicare Victoria.

Japan In Cherry-Blossom Time

The Anglicare Partnership Group will next meet on Monday, May 28th at 2.15pm. **(Note the correct date—Monday May 28).** The guest speaker will be Graham Pratt and his topic will be the trip that Liz and Graham took to Japan recently. The meeting will be held in the Rutherford room and afternoon tea will be available.

UNCOVERING THE COVER-UPS: In conversation with Archbishop Philip Freier on Wednesday 23 May at 7.30am (note: morning) will be Margaret Simons (Award-winning journalist and academic), and David Harper AM (National Integrity Committee and former Supreme Court Judge). Deakin Edge, Federation Square—Admission free. See more details on noticeboard or on page 3 of the current issue of TMA.

OUR CAR PARK: Parishioners are asked to display on the dashboard a laminated parish authorisation (available from the office) or leave a note on the dashboard to clearly identify your car as a parish vehicle.

NEXT SUNDAY —27 May 2018

TRINITY SUNDAY

*Isaiah 6: 1-8; Psalm 29;
Romans 8:12-17; John 3:1-17*

EUCHARIST

President: Richard Wilson
Preacher: Richard Wilson
Readers: Hans Ferdinands, Keith Dempster
Intercessor: Hans Ferdinands
Server: Geoff Vincent
Euch. Asst.: Hans Ferdinands

10am SUNG EUCHARIST

President: Ken Hewlett
Preacher: Richard Wilson
Deacon: Richard Wilson
Sub-Deacon: Ross Smith
Readers: Rachael Lim, Brian Porter
Intercessor: Keith Dempster
Servers: Neil Nyholm (MC), Sue Banting, Jenny Cook, Alison Asquith
Euch. Assts.: Sub-Deacon, Verona Lea
For children: Please make use of activities at the back of the church.

6.00pm EVENING WORSHIP

ANGLICARE MISSION HOUSE:

Thank you for your ongoing support. There is need for packets of **CUP-A-SOUP**. Please put in the basket on Sunday mornings or bring to the office during office hours.

YEAR'S MIND: We remember before God, Gwen Goodisson, Lorraine O'Connor, Frederick Porter, Margery Parsons, Kenneth Lake, Sheila Hooper, and Phyllis Montague, whose anniversaries occur at this time.