

The Anglican Church in Dubbo

Including Holy Trinity, Coboco, Emmagool, Walkabout Ministries and Westside Chapel

2020 "I will
build my
Church"
Jesus

Parish Bulletin 13 September 2020

Welcome!

Thank you for joining us as we worship our God and Saviour Jesus Christ! We worship on the traditional lands of the Wiradjuri people and we honour and pay our respects to elders past and present. We pray that you may know the presence of Gods Spirit as we gather together in Jesus name. We invite you to journey with us as we share the love of God, in Christ, to this city and the world.

From the Rector, Solomon's Mission 2021

With the Covid – 19 travel restrictions, this year's mission trip to the Solomon Islands was cancelled. Even so, preparation for next year's trip is underway. This weekend we will receive an update from Amy Watterson and Emilie Taylor to encourage and inspire us in this month's mission giving.



Playgroup Helpers

We have been greatly blessed with a great number of parents, gran-parents and children attending our Thursday morning Trinity Kid's Playgroup. We are very appreciative of the help that has already been offered to assist with the plating of the morning tea and wash up. **We are now on the lookout for others who may be able to assist. The time involved is one hour, from 10.30-11.30am.**

Synod 2020

This year's Diocesan Synod is meeting electronically with a pre-recorded service and Synod Charge (Presidential Address) and the meeting taking place on Zoom. The date of the meeting is Saturday 19 September. The meeting will have a quite different format then to meeting in person but given the circumstances of COVID-19 at least we will be able to still conduct the more urgent matters of business. Please pray for Bishop Mark as he prepares for his first Diocesan Synod and for our Synod members as they prepare for the meeting.

COVID Safe

As a COVID Safe organisation we continue to follow the government guidelines of hygiene, so that we have a safe place in which to meet and worship.

Your brother in Jesus,
Brett.



Mission Focus: Solomon Islands

Prayers and Readings for the Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sentence

If you, O Lord, should note what we do wrong, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

Psalm 130.3–4

Prayer of the Day

O God,
you call your Church to witness that in Christ
we are reconciled to you:
help us so to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may turn to you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First reading

A reading from the book of Exodus Chapter 14 verses 19-31

¹⁹ Then the angel of God, who had been traveling in front of Israel's army, withdrew and went behind them. The pillar of cloud also moved from in front and stood behind them, ²⁰ coming between the armies of Egypt and Israel. Throughout the night the cloud brought darkness to the one side and light to the other side; so neither went near the other all night long.

²¹ Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the LORD drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land. The waters were divided, ²² and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left.

²³ The Egyptians pursued them, and all Pharaoh's horses and chariots and horsemen followed them into the sea. ²⁴ During the last watch of the night the LORD looked down from the pillar of fire and cloud at the Egyptian army and threw it into confusion. ²⁵ He jammed the wheels of their chariots so that they had difficulty driving. And the Egyptians said, "Let's get away from the Israelites! The LORD is fighting for them against Egypt."

²⁶ Then the LORD said to Moses, "Stretch out your hand over the sea so that the waters may flow back over the Egyptians and their chariots and horsemen." ²⁷ Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and at daybreak the sea went back to its place. The Egyptians were fleeing toward it, and the LORD swept them into the sea. ²⁸ The water flowed back and covered the chariots and horsemen—the entire army of Pharaoh that had followed the Israelites into the sea. Not one of them survived.

²⁹ But the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left. ³⁰ That day the LORD saved Israel from the hands of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians lying dead on the shore. ³¹ And when the Israelites saw the mighty hand of the LORD displayed against the Egyptians, the people feared the LORD and put their trust in him and in Moses his servant.

Psalm 114

- ¹ When Israel came out of Egypt:
and the house of Jacob from among a people
of an alien tongue,
- ² **Judah became his sanctuary:
and Israel his dominion.**
- ³ The sea saw that, and fled:
Jordan was driven back.
- ⁴ **The mountains skipped like rams:
and the little hills like young sheep.**
- ⁵ What ailed you, O sea, that you fled:
O Jordan, that you were driven back?
- ⁶ **You mountains, that you skipped like rams:
and you little hills like young sheep?**
- ⁷ Tremble, O earth, at the presence of the Lord:
at the presence of the God of Jacob,
- ⁸ **Who turned the rock into a pool of water:
and the flint-stone into a welling spring.**

Second Reading:

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans Chapter 14, verses 1-14

14 Accept the one whose faith is weak, without quarrelling over disputable matters. ² One person's faith allows them to eat anything, but another, whose faith is weak, eats only vegetables. ³ The one who eats everything must not treat with contempt the one who does not, and the one who does not eat everything must not judge the one who does, for God has accepted them. ⁴ Who are you to judge someone else's servant? To their own master, servants stand or fall. And they will stand, for the Lord is able to make them stand.

⁵ One person considers one day more sacred than another; another considers every day alike. Each of them should be fully convinced in their own mind. ⁶ Whoever regards one day as special does so to the Lord. Whoever eats meat does so to the Lord, for they give thanks to God; and whoever abstains does so to the Lord and gives thanks to God. ⁷ For none of us lives for ourselves alone, and none of us dies for ourselves alone. ⁸ If we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord. So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord. ⁹ For this very reason, Christ died and returned to life so that he might be the Lord of both the dead and the living.

¹⁰ You, then, why do you judge your brother or sister? Or why do you treat them with contempt? For we will all stand before God's judgment seat. ¹¹ It is written:

“As surely as I live,” says the Lord,
‘every knee will bow before me;
every tongue will acknowledge God.’”

¹² So then, each of us will give an account of ourselves to God.

¹³ Therefore let us stop passing judgment on one another. Instead, make up your mind not to put any stumbling block or obstacle in the way of a brother or sister. ¹⁴ I am convinced, being fully persuaded in the Lord Jesus, that nothing is unclean in itself. But if anyone regards something as unclean, then for that person it is unclean.

Hear the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

**The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew chapter 18,
verses 21-35** *Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.*

²¹ Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, “Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother or sister who sins against me? Up to seven times?”

²² Jesus answered, “I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times.

²³ “Therefore, the kingdom of heaven is like a king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. ²⁴ As he began the settlement, a man who owed him ten thousand bags of gold was brought to him. ²⁵ Since he was not able to pay, the master ordered that he and his wife and his children and all that he had be sold to repay the debt.

²⁶ “At this the servant fell on his knees before him. ‘Be patient with me,’ he begged, ‘and I will pay back everything.’ ²⁷ The servant’s master took pity on him, cancelled the debt and let him go.

²⁸ “But when that servant went out, he found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred silver coins. He grabbed him and began to choke him. ‘Pay back what you owe me!’ he demanded.

²⁹ “His fellow servant fell to his knees and begged him, ‘Be patient with me, and I will pay it back.’

³⁰ “But he refused. Instead, he went off and had the man thrown into prison until he could pay the debt. ³¹ When the other servants saw what had happened, they were outraged and went and told their master everything that had happened.

³² “Then the master called the servant in. ‘You wicked servant,’ he said, ‘I cancelled all that debt of yours because you begged me to. ³³ Shouldn’t you have had mercy on your fellow servant just as I had on you?’ ³⁴ In anger his master handed him over to the jailers to be tortured, until he should pay back all he owed.

³⁵ “This is how my heavenly Father will treat each of you unless you forgive your brother or sister from your heart.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



You are invited to join us

on Saturday 10th October 2020 at 1.30pm

for a discussion on the *Women of the Bible*

Who are they? How do they relate to our lives today?

in Holy Trinity Anglican Church hall

(COVID safe venue)

ALL ARE WELCOME

RSVP Friday 2nd October to

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FRIDAY LUNCH AND PRAYER HOUR

When: 1-2pm, from 4 September and every Friday ongoing

Where: Church grounds

What: bring your lunch

If you cannot attend but would like to support prayerfully please send a text to Erika

0407 988 747 to receive reminders and share requests.

Please pray for Friday Lunch and Prayer Hour.

PRAYER POINTS FOR YOUR THANKS, PRAISE & PRAYERS THIS WEEK:-

Our Diocese and Parish and people ...Praise/thank/pray...

- **Bishop Mark, Diocesan Archdeacon Brett & all Parish Clergy & families, & all Parish Ministry Teams-** praise/thank/pray for their daily walk with Jesus
- **Focus Parish/Areas, Clergy & People – Coonamble – Rev. Jeff Tym & Wendy; Grenfell & West Wyalong – Rev. Ross Craven**
- **Rev. Kevin & Karen Flanagan** – that all with whom they work & fellowship will continue to grow in their knowledge, love & faith in Jesus & their zeal in discipling & evangelising others; for continued protection from COVID-19.
- **Diocesan Synod via Zoom, 19th September-** for all who will be attending; for Bishop Mark at his first Bathurst Diocesan Synod; for Archdeacon Brett, Michelle Lyons & Therese Garnsey representing Dubbo; for the various implications involved in delivering Synod via Zoom; for Holy Spirit's presence & guidance to be over all decisions

Our Parish...Praise/thank/pray...

- **As God's People** – to be full of joy in Jesus, rejoicing in Jesus' presence, love & His eternal reality as we bloom where God has placed us *Philippians 4:4; Psalm 102:27*
- **Seasonal Weather** – continue to pray/praise/thank for the abundant season at the moment; that all thanks & glory will be given to our awesome God who is sovereign over & loves all of His creation; that crops will be protected from late frosts; that harvest will deliver abundantly; for rain for those still in drought
- **D N A Youth Group** – praise/thank/pray for the blessings received from the visit by Corey & Peta from Soul Survivor; praise /thanks for the zeal for Jesus demonstrated by DNA Group
- **Anglicare** – pray for all who support/care under this banner & for all who receive this support; praise/thanks for Therese & Noelle in Dubbo office
- **Parish Council Meeting, 15th September** – for Holy Spirit's guidance in preparation for same & decisions at the meeting

Further Afield...Praise/thank/pray...

- **Natural Disasters Worldwide**, remembering those affected by the devastating wildfires in the USA
- **Ministry with Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islands People; the work of NATSIAC** with Rev. Gloria Shipp (Chair) & Rev Daryl McCullough; National Bishop for Aboriginal Ministry, Chris McLeod
- **All Who Suffer Because of War, Religious & Ethnic Persecution, Man Made Disaster, Lack of COVID-19 Support, Famine & Plague (from Pakistan to East Africa), Those In Refugee Camps** – remembering esp. those in Yemen, Beirut, Myanmar Rohingya refugees in Bangladesh & Indonesia

Please pray for those who have asked for our Prayers

Brian Lovemore
Jessica Slavin
Albert & Nena Stevens
Bill Fisher
Amanda Gorton
Colin Fitzell
Janey Brown
Jo Fraser
Vicky Ottley
Scott Monaghan
Wayne Garnsey
Betty Shuttle

Robyn Gore
Leane Flynn
Kay Parker
Ian Henderson
Leigh Pearse
Cheryl Sharpe
Austin Jupp
Leah McDonald
John Tickle
Jan Gorrell
James Holden
Belinda Ingram

Katelin Shipp
Tracie Walsh
Shirley White
Brian Trethowan
John Lloyd
Wendy Holland
Sarah Dunn
John Hamilton
Philip Payne
Bishop Arthur Malcolm
Emily Garnsey
Brian Semmler

Pray for those mourning the loss of loved ones: Rita Higgins, Elva Macfarlane, Kerry Glasson

Those Remembering the Anniversaries of: Betty Teal, Neale Fullwood.

Please let the church office know of any changes to above prayer list.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**Happy Birthday to you
To Jesus be true
God bless you and keep you
Your whole lifetime through!**

Birthdays this month are:

*9th Tye Honey, 10th Wedding
Anniversary of Emma & Brian
Marchant, 12th Peter Apps, 17th Jean
Forrester, Elissa Seton, 21st Matilda
Marchant, 23rd Michelle Lyons.*

Readings for Next Sunday 20 September 2020, 16th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 16. 2-15, Psalm 105:1-6,37-45, Philippians 1:20-30, Matthew 20: 1-16

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday 13 Sept -

8 am Eucharist
10 am Family Eucharist and Trinity Kids
12md Baptism of William Farley
5 pm Coboco

Monday 14 Sept - Psalm 34; Habakkuk 1.1-11;
Matthew 4.23-5.12

Tuesday 15 Sept – Psalm 37:1-17;
Habakkuk 1.12-2.5; Acts 27.1-12

10 am Elders Group
6pm Parish Council

Wednesday 16 Sept – Psalm 38; Habakkuk
2:6-17, Matthew 5.13-26

Thursday 17 Sept - Psalm 40; Habakkuk 2.18-3.7;
Matthew 5.27-42

10 am Playgroup
7 pm DnA Youth Group

Friday 18 Sept - Psalms 41;44.1-9; Habakkuk 3.8-19;
Matthew 5.43-6.4

10 am Eucharist in Good Shepherd

Saturday 19 Sept – Psalm 45, Nahum 1.1-14;
Matthew 6.5-15 – **Diocesan Synod**

3.00pm Wedding of Thomas Hudson and
Annabelle Amos
6 pm Vigil Eucharist

Sunday 20 Sept -

8 am Eucharist
10 am Family Eucharist and Trinity Kids
12md Baptism of Edie Adams
1.00pm Baptism of Dixie and Kingsley
Bright

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Trinity KIDS Playgroup

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