



Dubbo Anglican Church

To know Jesus and to make Him known!

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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, Christmas Child Appeal

Thank you for taking a Shoe Box to fill as a gift for children this Christmas. It would be helpful to have the packed boxes returned ASAP so that they can be sent off! May God's Blessing be upon these gifts of love!

Cursillo this weekend at Parkes

This weekend a Cursillo for men and women is being held at Parkes. We have three people from our Sunday 10am congregation attending: Marthinus and Wiese Van Der Walt and Therese Ryan. Narelle Lloyd and Erika Chesworth are both on the ministry team. We pray for all who attend that they will be blessed as they spend time together in times of praise, teaching, prayer, and fellowship!

National Police Remembrance Service

This last Thursday a service for the National Police Remembrance Day was held in Holy Trinity. The service was well attended and a wonderful opportunity for serving and retired police and the community to give thanks to God for those who sacrificially serve for the protection of all.

Elders Mini Fete

The Tuesday Elder's group is holding a Mini Fete here at the church on Saturday 15th October beginning at 9am. There are many stores that the Elder's are providing, but if you would like to contribute a store, please let me or the Reverend Gloria Shipp know.

Halder Family Baptism

On Sunday 16th October at the 10am service, the children of Henry and Joanne Halder will be baptised. It will be a special celebration to share with the children: Ruth, Grace, Bethany, Mekhai and Lucy, and the church family. Please be praying for them as they prepare for this special occasion.

In Jesus,

Brett, Archdeacon Brett Watterson.

Prayers and Readings for Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sentence

'Who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? But I am among you,' says the Lord, 'as one who serves.' Luke 22.27

Prayer of the Day

Faithful God,
have mercy on us your unworthy servants,
and increase our faith,
that, trusting in your Spirit's power to work in us and through us,
we may never be ashamed to witness to our Lord
but may obediently serve him all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading

Lamentations 1.1-6

¹ How deserted lies the city, once so full of people! How like a widow is she, who once was great among the nations! She who was queen among the provinces has now become a slave. ² Bitterly she weeps at night, tears are on her cheeks. Among all her lovers there is no one to comfort her. All her friends have betrayed her; they have become her enemies. ³ After affliction and harsh labour, Judah has gone into exile. She dwells among the nations; she finds no resting place. All who pursue her have overtaken her in the midst of her distress. ⁴ The roads to Zion mourn, for no one comes to her appointed festivals. All her gateways are desolate, her priests groan, her young women grieve, and she is in bitter anguish. ⁵ Her foes have become her masters; her enemies are at ease. The Lord has brought her grief because of her many sins. Her children have gone into exile, captive before the foe. ⁶ All the splendour has departed from Daughter Zion. Her princes are like deer that find no pasture; in weakness they have fled before the pursuer.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 137

¹ By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept:

when we remembered Zion.

² As for our harps we hung them up:

upon the trees that are in that land.

³ For there those who led us away captive

required of us a song:

**and those who had despoiled us demanded mirth,
saying 'Sing us one of the songs of Zion.'**

(Together)

⁴ How can we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?

⁵ If I forget you, O Jerusalem:

let my right hand forget its mastery.

⁶ Let my tongue cling to the roof of my mouth:

if I do not remember you,

if I do not prefer Jerusalem above my chief joy.

⁷ Remember, O Lord, against the Edomites

the day of Jerusalem:

how they said 'Down with it, down with it,

raze it to its foundations.'

⁸ O daughter of Babylon, you that lay waste:

happy shall he be who serves you as you have served us;

⁹ Happy shall he be who takes your little ones:

and dashes them against the stones.]

Second Reading

2 Timothy 1.1-14

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, in keeping with the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, ² To Timothy, my dear son: Grace, mercy and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. ³ I thank God, whom I serve, as my ancestors did, with a clear conscience, as night and day I constantly remember you in my prayers. ⁴ Recalling your tears, I long to see you, so that I may be filled with joy. ⁵ I am reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also. ⁶ For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands. ⁷ For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline. ⁸ So do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner. Rather, join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God. ⁹ He has saved us and called us to a holy life – not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ And of this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher. ¹² That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet this is no cause for shame, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day. ¹³ What you heard from me, keep as the pattern of sound teaching, with faith and love in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you – guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.

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Gospel Reading – *The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Chapter 17 beginning at verse 5*

Response: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

⁵ The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' ⁶ He replied, 'If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea," and it will obey you. ⁷ 'Suppose one of you has a servant ploughing or looking after the sheep. Will he say to the servant when he comes in from the field, "Come along now and sit down to eat"? ⁸ Won't he rather say, "Prepare my supper, get yourself ready and wait on me while I eat and drink; after that you may eat and drink"? ⁹ Will he thank the servant because he did what he was told to do? ¹⁰ So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, "We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.'"

For the Gospel of the Lord

Response: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

CONDOLENCE

H M Queen Elizabeth 2

*A Book of Condolence is available for your signing and message on the passing of H M Queen Elizabeth II, at the back of the church when services are held as well as in Holy Trinity Office, Monday to Thursday, 9:30am to 12:30pm.
This Book will be sent to Buckingham Palace very soon.*



SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR THANKS, PRAISE & PRAYERS TODAY & THIS WEEK:-

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

- **For Bishop Mark & Susan, & ALL clergy + ALL LLMs + ALL People + Parishes Without Clergy –**
- **Coonamble Parish – For LLMs Robyn Hull & Val Waterford,** as they keep the Parish running; for the faithful who continue to worship our Saviour & witness for Him; for **Rev. Kaye Colwell CGS part-time & Rev. Jeff Tym, CGS, part-time;** pray God will raise up a minister with a heart for ministry to town & country people of the “bush”
- **Declining Communities Near & Far In Our Diocese –** praise/thank/pray for Christians in these communities to shine for Jesus like a city on a hill; may the populations see the hope Christians have in Jesus & long to know how & why! **Matthew 5:14,** “*You are the light of the world – like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden.*”

Our Parish...praise/thank/pray...

- **Our Parish –** praise/thank that each of us is so boundlessly & eternally loved by God; pray we can witness to the hope & assuredness of eternity with Jesus & live the life of grace He promises us as our Saviour! **Jeremiah 29:13,** “*If you look for Me wholeheartedly, you will find Me!*”
- **Anglicare –** praise/thank/pray for this service in our Parish & Diocese to be witness for Jesus & testimony to His love; for **Therese & Robyn** in Dubbo Office as they assist the needy; for donations to be generous
- **Cursillo, Mx1, this weekend** -praise/thank/pray for this first mixed Cursillo to be held in our Diocese; pray for 10 o'clockers, **Therese Ryan, Marty & Wiesie Van Der Walt,** new Cursillistas; for **Erika Chesworth & Narelle Lloyd,** on team; pray for Holy Spirit to speak into the hearts of **ALL** attendees
- **Our Community –** praise/thank/pray for all who work in local businesses, industry & offices, interacting with many people; pray Jesus to strengthen Christians in business to witness for Him by showing His love in their actions & dealings; to bloom where they're planted!
- **DNA, Trinity Kids & Play Group Children On Holidays–** praise/thank/pray they hold such a special place in our Parish family; pray for theirs & their leaders' protection; pray they remain in close contact with Jesus
- **Police In Our Community, Midwest Area Command, & Throughout Our Land –** praise/thank/pray for all who serve under this banner in any capacity; give thanks for all police who have given their lives in the line of duty & for those who've lost their lives because of the demands & implications of duty; pray for local Police Chaplain, Rev. Carl Palmer, St John's Wellington

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

- **Ukraine –** praise/thank/pray, pray, pray for peace in Ukraine; pray for refugees who continue to leave Ukraine in huge numbers
Prayer for Ukraine - *God of love, God of peace, God of justice & mercy, we join in prayer with our brothers & sisters in Ukraine & around the world that those who are fearful will be comforted; that those who feel powerless will know that they are held; that those who have power will be wise & compassionate; that those who feel powerless will know they are held; that the churches of Ukraine might be places of safety & sanctuary; that we might all be lights that shine in the darkness we ask in the Name of the Prince of Peace, that peace & love will reign in Ukraine & in the hearts of its people.*

Please pray for those who have asked for our Prayers

Brian Lovemore
Jessica Slavin
Nena Stevens
Bill Fisher
Leigh Pearse
Merv Bishop
Jo Fraser
Leah McDonald
John Tickle
Jan Gorrell

Brian Semmler
Leane Flynn
Kay Parker
Ian Henderson
Colin Fitzell
Christine Peters
Anne Neville
Steve Honey
Philip Payne
Judy Emmett

Will Gardner
Janice McMahon
Shirley White
Amanda Gorton
Janey Brown
Sarah Dunn
Elizabeth & Keith Job
Connie Burns
Scott Monaghan

Pray for those mourning the loss of loved ones: Colin Maunder, Margaret Currey.

Those Remembering the Anniversaries of Edward Fisher, Heather Beddie, Thelma Clarke, Beryl Gore.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays this month are:

**Happy Birthday to you
To Jesus be true
God bless you and keep you
Your whole lifetime through!**
*10th Oct Judy Haling,
19th Sandra & Maurice Campbell
Wedding anniversary,
21st Christine Apps,
25th Brett Watterson,
28th Des Dunn,
30th Ross Graham,
31st Ross & Lesley Graham Wedding
anniversary.*



Samaritan's Purse Christmas Boxes.
Thanks to those who have taken Christmas Boxes ready to fill to give deserving children joy this Christmas as we celebrate Christ's birth. It is now time to return Boxes by mid-October at the latest please as time is needed send the boxes to the central distribution point in Sydney. You can leave them at the back of the church or drop them into the Parish Office. Thanks for your assistance with this.



Therese, Noelle and Robyn from Anglicare sincerely thank parishioners for your recent overwhelming support in the provision of food supplies for families in need in the region. We have helped many families in recent times, with demand for this service increasing. One story from last week was a woman, two little boys and a small dog fleeing domestic violence in Queensland and driving to Melbourne to be with family. They had managed to pack up and were prepared to flee when police came to their home. The family had very little and were sleeping in a tent.

We also help out many single people who are homeless, so it is important to provide supplies in small quantities suitable to these people eg. 1 litre long-life full cream milk, small packets of weetbix.

We are very grateful for your ongoing assistance.



ONE VOICE - CURSILLO NEWSLETTER

A copy of the current Cursillo Newsletter is available at the back of the Church for the enjoyment of all!

Also included in One Voice, are the names for your prayers, of the New Cursillistas and Team Members participating in the Mx1 Cursillo this weekend.

This Cursillo is the first mixed cursillo to be conducted in the Bathurst Diocese.



NEXT SERVICE
SUNDAY 16th October @3pm

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday 2 Oct- DAYLIGHT SAVING

Starts

- 8am** Holy Communion
10am Family HC
12md Baptism of Callirae
Brightman and Kinsela
Forbes

Monday 3 Oct - Office Closed

Psalm 78.16-38, Haggai 1.1-11, Colossians 3.1-11

Tuesday 4 Oct

Psalm 80, Haggai 1.12-2.9, Colossians 3.12-17

- 9am** Morning Prayer – Zoom
7.30pm Baptism Preparation

Wednesday 5 Oct

Psalm 82,84, Haggai 2.10-23, Colossians 3.18-4.6

- 9am** Morning Prayer – Zoom

Thursday 6 Oct

Psalm 86, Zechariah 1.1-17, Colossians 4.7-18

- 9am** Morning Prayer– Zoom

Friday 7 Oct

Psalm 90, Zechariah 1.18-2.13, Philemon 1-14

- 9am** Morning Prayer – Zoom
10am Holy Communion
in Good Shepherd Chapel
1pm Lunchtime Prayers

Saturday 8 Oct

Psalm 89.1-18, Zechariah 3.1-4.7, Philemon 15-25

- 6pm** Vigil service

Sunday 9 Oct

- 8am** Holy Communion
10am Family HC
5pm Coboco

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