The Tidings

Anglican Parish of WaterlooBay

Weekly Pew Bulletin

18th July 2021 - Pentecost 8

APWB CHURCH SERVICES

In-person services

St George's Church: Sunday 7:15am and 9.30am

Wednesday 8:30am

3rd Thursday (Friendship service): 10am

Messy Church is returning Sat 24th July 4 – 6pm

St James' Church: Sunday 9:30am

Online

St George's 9.30am Sunday service livestreamed via Zoom and Facebook

Link to the Facebook page

Link to Zoom service

It is now mandatory for churches to collect contact details for attendees through the <u>Check in Qld app</u>.

All volunteers are required to complete a <u>volunteer induction form</u> linked here.

Anyone involved in serving food/drinks are required to complete the <u>TAFE Queensland COVID SAFE Work Training for Dining In course</u> linked here.

PRAY DAILY

- The Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda
- The Diocese of North Queensland: †Keith Joseph; Clergy and People
- The Parish of Drayton: Rick Gummow, Dorothy Daniels, Richard Penny
- Clergy with Permission to Officiate in the Diocese
- The Springfield Anglican College, Springfield: Principal Steven Morris; Chaplain – Vacant; Chair of College Council – Tim Reid; members of College Council; staff & students

THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP— PENTECOST 8

St George's 7.15am and * 9.30am: Rev George Markotsis

St James 9.30am: Rev Neville Knott

Readings: 2 Samuel 7.1-14a; Psalm 89.21-38; * Ephesians 2.11-22;

* Mark 6.30-34, 6.53-56

SENTENCE

'My sheep hear my voice,' says the Lord. 'I know them and they follow me; and I give them eternal life.' John 10.27, 28

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Eternal God, author of our life and end of our pilgrimage: guide us by your word and Spirit amid all perils and temptations, that we may not wander from your way, but may run our course in safety until we come to our eternal rest in you; through the grace of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

PSALM 89.21-38

'I have found my servant David: and anointed him with my holy oil.

'My hand shall uphold him:

and my arm shall strengthen him.

'No enemy shall deceive him:

nor shall the wicked hurt him.

'I will crush his adversaries before him:

and strike down those that hate him.

'My faithfulness and loving-kindness shall be with him: and through my name his head shall be lifted high.

'I will set the hand of his dominion upon the Western Sea:

and his right hand shall stretch to the streams of Mesopotamia.

'He will call to me "You are my Father:

my God, and the Rock of my salvation."

'I will make him my first-born son:

and highest among the kings of the earth.

'I will ever maintain my loving-kindness toward him: and my covenant with him shall stand firm.

'I will establish his line for ever:

and his throne like the days of heaven.

'If his children forsake my law:

and will not walk in my judgements;

'If they profane my statutes:

and do not keep my commandments,

'Then I will punish their rebellion with the rod: and their iniquity with blows.

'But I will not cause my loving-kindness to cease from him: nor will I betray my faithfulness.

'I will not profane my covenant:

or alter what has passed from my lips.

'Once and for all I have sworn by my holiness:

I will not prove false to David.

'His posterity shall endure for ever:

and his throne be as the sun before me;

'Like the moon that is established for ever:

and stands in the heavens for evermore.'

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

O God,

you alone can order our unruly wills and affections:

teach us to love what you command, and to desire what you promise, that, among the changes and chances of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP - ST JAMES' DAY

St George's 7.15am: Rev George Markotsis; *9.30am: Bp Doug Stevens

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Readings: Jeremiah 45; Psalm 126; * Acts 11.27 - 12.3;

* Matthew 20.20-28

PASTORAL CARE

Pastoral Care: If you need assistance, or know of anyone who does, please

contact Lyn Kay on 3207 5048.

Parish Prayer Chain: Please contact the office with prayer chain requests.

HOME GROUPS

1st Tuesday each month: 2.00pm—Grace Group—*Lyn Kay: 3207 5048*

Remaining Tuesdays: 2:00pm—Faith Fellowship—*Tom Jordan*

Wednesdays: 9.30am—KYB (Know Your Bible) Yvonne Culhane: 0409 759 284

7.30pm—Pray School Group Ian Carr: 0434 526 600

7.00pm—Growth group *Rev. Scott Gunthorpe* 7:00pm—Thursday@7 *Neville & Tina Gardiner*

Thursdays: 7:00pm—Thursday@7 *Neville & Tina Ga* **Fridays:** 11.00am —Women's business on Zoom

OTHER GROUPS

1st Sunday each month: 10.30am—Who Moved My Cheese (St. James' hall) **Mon & Tues (during school term):** 9:30am— mainly music (St. George's hall)

Mondays: Crafty Capers (St George's hall) Organiser needed

1st & 3rd Mon – 6.30pm Ukulele classes (St George's hall) *Jim L 0432 161 798*

2nd Monday each month: 10:30am— Guild meeting (St. James' hall) **Tuesday: 7.30am** – Women's prayer group (St George's church)

Gill M 0409 580 448; Anne L 0438 321 518

1st Fri each month: 1pm—Book group (St George's hall) Jenny: 0421 521 431

Saturdays: 8.30am — Men's Prayer and Support Group (St George's) **Christian meditation** — Mon 1pm, Wed: 7:45am — *Gill Moloney*

AGED CARE SERVICES

More volunteers needed. Please contact Lorraine for further information. July

Wednesday	21 st	10:30	Buckingham Gardens	
Thursday	22 nd	10:30	Regis Grange	
Wednesday	28 th	10:30	Wellington Park	
Thursday	29 th	10:30	Capella Bay	
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Wednesday	5 th	10:30	Sylvan Woods	

FRIENDSHIP SERVICE

Next Friendship Service: 19th August at 10am

The Friendship service is held for those who may be unable to attend the Sunday services. Transport is available if required. All welcome.

PRAYERS

Pray that we will be an invitational, welcoming and caring church. Pray that all members will be embraced in our family groups and small groups.

Pray that we will faithfully nurture all who come in the faith of Jesus Christ so that all who are baptised will join us in the mission.

Parish Outreach BCA partner Parish, Norfolk Island A nglican Parish. Rev David Fell, wife Crystal and children (Wendell, Marigold and Ernest).

Parish families Mann family; Marriott family; Marriott-Chen family

Birthdays Lorraine Heath Joel Farrow Mia Heath

Laura Farrow Aaron Osbourne

Anniversaries Jim & Alison Condon

In our Prayers Karen Anderson Helen Christine Flegg

Sone Homsavath John Jenkins Tom Jordan

Bob Kachel Carmelina Sottile Melissa

Peter Mann Ann Watkinson Jim Richardson

June Armstrong

PRAYERS:

Heavenly Father, thank You for keeping as many people as possible safe during this dangerous Covid wave. We earnestly pray for people to realise how important it is for us all to take medical advice on how to stay healthy and avoid catching the Covid disease.

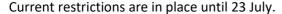
Father, we are experiencing a difficult time in Australia and we pray You will guide our medical authorities, police and governments (local, state and federal) to guide us all to heed medical advice and warnings to keep themselves and their families safe.

Dear Father, we are so grateful for Your love and care and guidance through this pandemic. We praise You and pray You will continue to watch over us, our families, our schools, our hospitals and all our governments to bring us safely through this very challenging period.

Father, please hear our prayer. Amen

GENERAL NOTICES

COVID RESTRICTIONS





In addition, the Qld government has made it mandatory for churches to collect contact details for attendees through the <u>Check in Qld app</u>. The parish has purchased 2 tablets to assist those who are not able to check in via the app, so please speak with the COVID warden/welcomer if you are not able to use your phone to check in.

Vulnerable people in impacted areas who are unvaccinated, including people 70 years of age and older and those with certain medical conditions, are encouraged to limit their activity in the community. The decision to attend a worship service or other church gathering ultimately rests with the person in the vulnerable group.

How can you help?

If you have a mobile phone that is capable of downloading the Check in Qld app, could you please reach out to family, friends, or to the office if you need help downloading it or using it.

When you come to church:

- Wear your face mask, with the following exceptions:
 - children under the age of 12 years do not need to wear a mask.
 - workers and educators may remove their mask in situations where clear enunciation or visibility of the mouth is essential (includes those preaching, leading services and leading singing).
- Maintain the 1 person per 2 square metres social distancing.
- Check in via the Check In Qld app if at all possible.
- Please let the COVID warden/welcomer know if you need help or are not able to check via the Check in Qld app. They will check you in via the new parish tablet.
- Offer your support to the volunteers as we implement the new system.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

SAFE WORK PROCEDURES—LADDER SAFETY



The diocese issues Safe Work Procedures (SWP) to manage work safety. Diocesan requirements in the use of A-Frame ladders include:

- Two person operation, not one.
- The ladder must be 120kg rated.
- Never go above 2 metres or above the second top step.

To use such a ladder you must read and sign off upon the SWP to be formally listed as a Competent Person to use one now. Further requirements in the SWP are for level ground, good working order and the option to stay on the ground and use a pole. For further assistance contact the Diocese on phone 3835 2315, or email <a href="white=wh

MESSY CHURCH IS BACK! JOIN US THIS SATURDAY 24th July 4 – 6pm



Messy Church is an all-age fun way to experience church that involves being creative, celebrating together and getting messy!

Join us for activities to explore a life theme followed by a short celebration time and an informal meal together. For further information contact the office on 3822 1110 or waterloobay@anglicanchurchsq.org.au or go to our website at www.waterloobay.anglicanchurchsq.org.au/messy-church.

NURSING HOME MINISTRY TEAM VOLUNTEERS

We would love you to join the Nursing Home Ministry Team with providing spiritual care for our local brothers and sisters if you feel led to participate. For further information, please contact Lorraine at lynchlf@bigpond.com or mob: 0449564930. Please know that the centres need evidence of your annual flu jab to gain access. Looking forward to sharing God's Love with our neighbours

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

MINISTER: Fr George Markotsis Mob: 0421 830 778

Email: frgeorgewm@outlook.com

PARISH OFFICE: Glenda Blanch (Administration Officer) Ph: 3822 1110 Located at the back of St George's church hall

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PO Box 3203, Birkdale Qld 4159 Tue to Fri

Email: waterloobay@anglicanchurchsq.org.au Website: waterloobay.anglicanchurchsq.org.au

YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY Jordan Cuskelly

Email: jordan.cuskelly@anglicanchurchsq.org.au Mob: 0420 799 323

Friday: 4 - 5:30pm JAM (Ages 5-12) Friday: 6pm - 8pm PAPAS (Ages 13-18)

Sunday during school term: 9.30am JAM/Kids Talk

PARISH COUNCIL:

Wardens:

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