**THE ANGLICAN PARISH of St Peter’s Ocean Grove**

**THE BRIDGE**

**& All Saints’ Barwon Heads**

**OUR MISSION STATEMENT** -

**‘TO KNOW CHRIST, AND MAKE CHRIST KNOWN’**

**JUNE 26th2022 Third Sunday after Pentecost**

**Celebrating St. Peter’s Day**

 **READINGS for this Sunday**

Ezekiel 34:11-16 Ps 87 Acts 12:1-11 John 21:15-22

Whenever I am in the vicinity of St Paul’s Cathedral, I make a point of going in and spending some time reflecting on the amazing art work in the crossing at the front of the church. “Gaia” by Luke Jerram is a 7-metre diameter replica of the earth, slowly rotating overhead. In this month’s TMA Dean Andreas Loewe reflects on the significance of this piece, which offers us an astronaut’s perspective on the earth. For me, it is more than this – it is an invitation to seek to see the world as God sees it, and to reflect on the fragility of all creation. If you haven’t seen the piece, I encourage you to try to do so before it is removed (July 10). But even if you can’t see it in person, I invite you to reflect on all that it signifies about the world and our place in God’s magnificent creation. Blessings, Jill

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We worship on the land of the Bengalat clan

of the Wathaurong people, and we acknowledge and pay our respect to their Elders past and present

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| **DAILY READINGS –**YEAR C |
| Monday 27 | Ps. 140 | 2 Chron. 16 | Titus 1 |
| Tuesday 28 | Pss. 143; 146  | 2. Chron.17.1-13;18.1-8 | Titus 2 |
| Wednesday 29 | Ps. 145 | 2 Chron. 18. 9 - 27 | Titus 3 |
| Thursday 30 | Pss. 148; 149 | 2 Chron. 18.28-19. 11 | Galations 1. 1-10 |
| Friday 1 | Pss. 1; 2 | 2 Chron. 20. 1 - 19 | Galations 1. 11 – 24 |
| Saturday 2 | Pss. 5; 6 | 2 Chron.20. 20 - 37 | Galations 2. 1 -10 |

**READINGS FOR SUNDAY JULY 3rd**

2 Kings 5:1-14 Ps 30 Galatians 6:7-18 Luke 10:1-24

NOTICES

Any items for Bridge, please email, or phone or message Isobel Dean [parish directory], **before 10pm Wednesday**. For any changes, etc. please let me know ASAP

* FILM AFTERNOONS AT ALL SAINTS'. On the second Thursday of each month from 2pm we will be enjoying a Christian film, with cuppa. All welcome - please bring a friend. Queries to Cathy 52542297.
* **All Saints' Fundraising stall**

 **Sat 25th June "Toys"**

* The next Barwon Heads Focus Group meeting will be on July 3rd after the 11am service.
* I will be on leave from 1st July to 31st August. In my absence, Rev. Geoff Pittaway will be *Locum Tenens,* available on Sundays and Wednesdays. Jill Poole and our fabulous churchwardens will continue to look after pastoral and practical matters. Jill.

**Pray for our friends who are not well that they may know the love God has for them and that they will be comforted and strengthened by that knowledge.

**Wendy Hudson, Deb Podbury, Glenys Russell, Betty Boyd,**

 **Pat Brady, Faye & Ken Bermingham, Alex Slocombe, Dot Sutcliffe,**

 **Elizabeth Polley, David Bayne, Dawn White, Janet Paisley, Doris Loewy,**

**Bev Stephenson, Marcel, Alison Fane, Mark Johnstone,**

 **and those we know personally not on this list**.

For those with illnesses which medication will no longer help, and to their loved ones*-*give courage, strength, and comfort in their faith of the joy of eternal life.

To those recently bereaved - give comfort and strength.

For our members in residential care-*-* give peace, comfort & contentment.

**Hilda Clyne, Shirley Dodgshun, Kaye Middlehurst, Anne Shady, Jean Wadey, Beth Ward, Jenny Wood, Shirley Trimble, Stella Scheiner, Ross Smith,**

**Keith & Kaye Houston and Barry Judd**.

**PRAYER FOCUS FOR JUNE THE CHILDREN OF THE WORLD...** Just pray and pray and pray, because SO MANY are so desperately in need of someone to CARE.

* **Prayer Chain.** If you would like us to pray for you, or if you would like to join the team who pray-- contact the Vicar on 0425 805 827
* **Dawn and John Northfield** offer – on Tuesday mornings- anytime **from 9.30 - 12** –quiet prayer time with you personally in the foyer of St P’s.

**Mission Support Group News** Please pray for the new members of the BCA family, who have recently taken on various challenges. Pray for wisdom, willingness to listen to the Holy Spirit and the advice of Godly supporters, and the encouragement of the people they work with daily:

\*Jacob and Sarah Kelly, (with Theodore) who have moved to Kyabram, to care for the Anglican churches at Kyabram, Tongala and Stanhope.

\*Laurie and Bec Carleton, (with Olivia, Claudia & Harry) who have moved minister on Norfolk Island

\*Dennis & Valda Taylor, who are leading the First Nations Ministry Training program, jointly funded by BCA and Aboriginal Evangelical Fellowship)

\*Simon & Angela Owen (with Grace, Esther) who moved to Cloncurry Anglican church in April this year

\* Jennifer & Colin Hercott (with Lachlan). Jennifer is the new registrar of Central Queensland Diocese, based in Rockhampton.

\*Ashley Garlett, is working at St. Peter's South Tamworth, as Indigenous Ministry trainee.

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| **SERVICES**  |
| DAY | TIME | PLACE | SERVICE |
| Sunday | 8 am | St. Peter’s O. G | Holy Communion |
| Sunday  | 9.30 am | St. Peter’s O. G | Holy Communion |
| Sunday  | 11 am | All Saints’ B.H | Holy Communion |
| Tuesday  | 9.30 am  | St. Peter’s O.G.  | Prayers |
| Wednesday  |  8.30   | St. Peter’s  | Morning Prayer  |
| Wednesday | 10am.  | St. Peter’s O.G  | Holy Communion |
| Saturday | 9 am | St. Peter’s O. G |  Prayer meeting  |

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| **WHAT’S ON AND WHERE** |
| MONDAY | Hearts and Crafts 10 – 1    | St. Peter’s Old Church  |
| TUESDAY | Prayers - group 9.30 **and**Prayers-personal 9.30 ish -12 with John & Dawn.  | St. Peter’s Foyer O. G |
| WEDNESDAY | staff meeting after 8.30 Morning Prayer  | Parish Office O.G |
| WEDNESDAY | Op shop 9.30 - 1 Jigsaw Library 10 - 12   | All Saints’ Hall B.H |
| FRIDAY | Op Shop 9.30 - 1 | All Saints’ Hall B.H |
| SATURDAY | Op Shop 9.30 – 1 Jigsaw Library 10 - 12  | All Saints’ Hall B.H |
| EVERY DAY | All Saints’ church is open for private prayer, meditation, library... 9 – 5  DEFIBRULATOR AVAILABLE | All Saints’ Church B.H |

**I THINK THAT IF GOD FORGIVES US, WE SHOULD FORGIVE OURSELVES. OTHERWISE, IT’S ALMOST LIKE SETTING OURSELVES UP AS A HIGHER TRIBUNAL THAN HIM. C.S. LEWIS**

***Reminder- This Sunday we celebrate St Peter’s Day –***

Combined parish service at 10:00 am, [at St. Peter’s Ocean Grove] followed by light refreshments. Please bring a small plate to share.

I AM GOING TO HEAVEN NOT BECAUSE I’VE PREACHED TO GREAT CROWDS OR READ THE BIBLE MANY TIMES. I’M GOING TO HEAVEN JUST LIKE THE THIEF ON THE CROSS WHO SAID IN THAT LAST MOMENT- ‘LORD, REMEMBER ME.’ BILLY GRAHAM