

THE BRIDGE

THE ANGLICAN PARISH of St Peter's Ocean Grove & All Saints' Barwon Heads
OUR MISSION STATEMENT -
'TO KNOW CHRIST, AND MAKE CHRIST KNOWN'

November 20th

Christ the King

Jer. 23:1-6 *Song of Zechariah (APBAp.10)* Col. 1:11-20 *Luke 23:33-43*

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VICAR'S VOICE

As I began my preparations for our celebration of "Christ the King" this Sunday, I was struck by the Tuesday morning prayer reading from Revelation 7:9-17. It is a wonderful picture of the eternal reign of Christ, and of the way in which those who have lived for Jesus will find themselves protected and provided for by God.

As we seek to follow Jesus in a challenging world this week offers us an invitation to reflect again on leadership and loyalty...

To remember that the leadership of human beings, be they great or terrible, is temporary. To reaffirm that our ultimate loyalty is not to King and Country, or to a political party or an ideology, but to the one who is both sacrificial Lamb and life-giving Shepherd.

Blessings, Jill.

Readings for next Sunday, 27th November ... Advent 1

Isaiah 2.1-5. Ps 122 . Romans 13 9 – 14 . Matthew 24. 36- 44.

Reminder: Next Sunday 27/11

1 combined parish service 10:00 am @ St Peters, followed by the Annual meeting
Luncheon after our Annual Meeting to farewell Nathaniel. Please bring a plate of finger food to share. The ovens will be available for heating food.

READINGS FOR WEEK BEGINNING Nov 21 2022

Monday 21	Ps. 50	Zech.14. 1 – 11	Rev. 11. 1 -14
Tuesday 22	Ps. 51	Zech.14. 12-21	Rev.11. 15 – 19
Wed. 23	Pss. 54; 55. 1-12	Malachi 1	Rev. 12. 1 – 6
Thursday 24	Pss. 56; 57	Malachi 2.1- 16	Rev. 12. 7 – 18
Friday 25	Pss. 62; 63	Malachi 2. 17 – 3. 1 -12	Rev. 13. 1 – 10
Saturday 26	Ps. 65. 70	Malachi 3. 13 – 4. 6	Rev.13. 11 -18

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

ST PETER'S FAIR RESULTS

STALL NAME	RECEIPTS
Barbecue	\$644
Bread: Jon	\$278
Bread: Tom	\$216
Cakes	\$2,056
Christmas Cake	\$189
Raffle	
Handcrafted Cards	\$317
Cut Flowers	\$251
Garden plants	\$1871
Hamper Raffles	\$874
Morning Teas	\$528
Preserves and Jams	\$2719
Jigsaws, CD's and DVD	\$422
Tilley's Stall	\$1433
Donations	\$105
TOTAL	\$11,906

This is an excellent result and thanks go to everyone who contributed in any way towards making the Fair such a great success. If you weren't involved this year, please consider being a part of the Fair next year. If you could run a stall, have new ideas or want to help please let Bob and Gaye Fraser know as we want to keep the Fair dynamic and interesting.

The Fair is always on the second Saturday in November --which next year will be Nov.11. Please put this in your diary so that you don't inadvertently book something on this date.

'Don't equate the presence of God with a good mood or a pleasant temperament. God is near whether you are happy or not.'
Max Lucado

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

“God will cover you with His wings,
His faithfulness will be your shield and defence.”

Wendy Hudson, Deb Podbury, Glenys Russell, Pat Brady,
Faye & Ken Bermingham, Dot Sutcliffe, Elizabeth Polley,
David Bayne, Dawn White, Janet Paisley, Doris Loewy,
Bev Stephenson, Marcel, Alison Fane, Mark Johnstone, Alli McLaren,
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,
Beth Ward, Jenny Wood, Shirley Trimble, Stella Scheiner, Ross Smith,
Keith & Kaye Houston, Barry Judd, Dawn White, Shirley Welsh,
Lorraine Holbrook and Rosemary Stark.

Prayer for this week from A Prayer Book for Australia.

Stir up, we pray you, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people, that they,
plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously
rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

WHAT'S ON AND WHERE		
MONDAY	Hearts and Crafts 10 – 1 Bring along things you have started but haven't finished, or what you are creating now & enjoy the fellowship.	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 9 – 5	All Saints' Church B.H

We worship on the land of the Bengalat clan of the Wathaurong people, and we acknowledge and pay our respect to their Elders past, present & future

NOTICES

- Sunday 20th Nov. 3pm. "Praise and Worship" singing session at All Saints'
- 26th November -All Saints' Christmas Stall will be held, in aid of the Diocesan Flood Appeal.
- Kristen Dillon is to be ordained priest at the cathedral 10.30am Saturday 26th November
- Sunday 27th November Barwon Heads Churches Advent Service 5pm at Uniting Church.

MISSION NEWS: The Bible Society is doing great work in Ukraine during the war. It is giving away thousands of copies of the Bible, and providing practical aid such as shelter, food and medicine, through their partnership with churches and other organizations.

The Society also runs The Trauma Healing Program, which has become very popular right through Ukraine. At the beginning of August, the Society began a week long Program for 75 children aged 10-14. They are from a previously occupied territory, and many have lost their parents and other relatives.

Bible Society Ukraine is experiencing immense pressure, but with support from around the world, is working to preserve its most valuable asset - its staff, who are will be very much needed by their people as they try "to withstand and recover from this tribulation over the years to come"

If you want any items to be included or changed in the Bridge, write a note and give it to me, email, phone or message me, **BEFORE 10 PM WEDNESDAY.**
Isobel Dean [my address, numbers etc. are in the parish directory].

'And He calls us beloved...is that not more wonderful than all the praises of man?'

If you don't believe in miracles, perhaps you've forgotten that you are one!

If the devil cannot make us bad, he will make us busy. Corrie Ten Boon

Faith is the art of holding on to things in spite of your changing moods and circumstances.

CS Lewis

