

Welcome to St Philip's

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Rob Lamerton is on long service leave during September.
(The Rev'd) Jeannette McHugh is caring for the parish with the wardens.
E-mail contact will remain the same and the phone is redirected to
Jeannette.

Newsletter for Sunday 7th September, 2003 (Another Spring)



Dear Friends,

Today is the first Sunday in September the first Sunday in Spring and Father's Day.

We give thanks for the new season and for our fathers.

If some of our fathers have not been all we would have wanted them to be for us, then in the warmth and new promise of Spring, it might be the time to begin a path toward greater understanding and perhaps

forgiveness.

Spring is a time of new life, new growth, new healing in the warmth of the sun, the beauty of the blossom, and the delight of new born creatures, all symbols of innocence and hope.

Our liturgy today reflects this time of thanksgiving.

All the men and boys will receive a smiley badge to show them we think they are special.

The blossom on the altar reminds us of its beauty.

The songs we sing are simple, reminding us of our youth, the love of God, and the roots of our faith.

I hope you like the Margaret Roadknight song, Another Spring.

It's a song I find really helpful whenever I'm feeling a bit low.

It helps me keep going, because it shows that I am not alone.

Others have been where I am now, and they have survived to make music and learn and grow from their experiences.

I can make a copy of it for anyone who finds it speaks to them.

Some of you might like to keep this lovely native American thanksgiving for the return of Spring:

As my eyes

search

the prairie

I feel the summer

in the spring

Chippewa song

Grace and peace,

Jeanette

Pray for:

Those in need of healing: Ann Strugnell, Peter Blaseotto, Irene Keast, Rowan Gray, Anne Hollingworth, Merv McInnes, Connie Hearn, Paul Mitchell, Athol and Thelma Barratt, Jim Legge, Mira Barratt, Jutaro Murase, Ted Moore, also Malvina, Mark and Kimberley.

Give Thanks for Healing: Shirley Campbell, Denise Manley, Hardy Palethorpe

The Saints: Sept 8th Birth of Mary, Mother of the Lord,
11th Mother Esther CHN, founder of the Community of the Holy Name.
(Melbourne) d.1931
13th Cyprian of Carthage, bishop and martyr d. 258

SUNDAY 14th September 2003
Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost

8.00am and 10.00am Holy Communion

Readings:

Prov.1:20-33
Psalm 19
James 2: 18 26
Mark 8:27-38

THIS WEEK -

- Tuesday to Friday:
 - Morning
Prayer 9am
 - Evening
Prayer 5pm
- Tuesday: 10.30am Kankinya
- 7-30pm Parish Council
- Wednesday: 10.00am Holy Communion
- Friday:
 - 10am - 1pm
Pandora's is
open
 - 12:15pm Holy
Communion at
ANU
- Saturday: 10am - 1pm Pandora's is open

NEXT WEEKS ROSTER:

Morning Tea: Ian & Kerry Anne Cousins
Readers: 8am: Rhonda Evans
10am: Pat Forbes 1st, Joyce Webster 2nd
Sidespeople: 8am: John Cunliffe
10am: Leighton Mann
Flowers: Kerry Anne Cousins

NOTICES

FETE CONVENER:

The Fete will be held on Saturday 15th October 2003.
Big thanks to Leighton who will be the convener for the fete.
Please sign up for stalls and tasks.
See the notice board.

It is time to start cooking, sorting out and potting for this annual event.

ASSISTANT TREASURER

Thanks to Shane Woodburn for taking on the role of treasurer while Ruth is on maternity leave.

SYNOD FRIDAY 12th - 14th SEPTEMBER

Please pray for our representatives, Ashton Robinson, Tony Davis and Dimitri Markotsis as they attend the Diocesan Annual Synod in Goulburn. We look forward to their report to the parish.

NORTHERN UGANDA AND LRA PETITION

The Church Mission Society (CMS) is launching a worldwide campaign to publicise the atrocities committed by the Lord's Resistance Army (LRA) and petition the British government to intervene to end the conflict. CMS is sponsoring a national tour for Bishop Benjamin Ojwang of Kitgum to the UK to present a petition to British Prime Minister Tony Blair. This marks the launch of the 'Break the Silence' campaign to expose the LRA.
More information is available in the porch at St Philip's.

[Sign the petition](http://www.cms-uk.org/united/united_petition.htm) to bring northern Uganda to the world's attention.
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FORMAL EVENING CLOTHES FOR "PANDORA'S at O'CONNOR"

If yours no longer love you /fit/ or are out of fashion students at the School of Music are interested in second hand garments for presentation evenings and concerts etc.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT PASTORAL CARE?

Please contact David Oliphant on 6244 2261. Our next Introductory group will be at: The Canberra Hospital commencing September 8, 2003

Weekly offering Required \$1565

Offerings banked

Envelopes and Loose \$759.50plus EFT transfers \$320

Pandoras \$171 Northbourne Flats \$3

Please take a pewsheet home and pass one on to someone else!

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[There is some Java Script here. The date changes whenever the page is updated.
In Internet Explorer the date is given as "month day year"]

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