

Welcome to St Philip's

The Anglican Church of St Philip's O'Connor, Canberra, ACT, Australia
We are delighted you are here (especially visitors on the web!)

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Visitors are welcome to receive Holy Communion

At 10.00am Communion bread is administered first, then the small cup for intinction (dipping). The two common cups for sipping follow.

Services on Sunday: 8am and 10am Eucharist, Wednesday HC 10am

The vision of St. Philip's is to **be** a caring, Christian community which honours and embraces difference, and offers a place to celebrate and grow spiritually in the Anglican tradition.

Sunday 3rd June 2007 TRINITY SUNDAY



All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit

8am & 10am Eucharist

The service begins on page 119 of the Green Prayer book

Readings:

- Proverbs 8:1-4
- Psalm 8
- Romans 5:1-5

- John 16:12-15

10am Hymns: 143(omit v.4), [TIS](#) 453, 454, 132 (tune: Tersanctus)
Organist/Pianist: Colin Forbes

Food for food parcels may be placed in the basket! With thanks!

Greetings to all!

Welcome to Linda Anchell our preacher for Trinity Sunday!

We come to the celebration of the Holy Trinity, One God in Three persons! Essentially we affirm the Oneness of God who is made known and experienced in three ways. The persons are not "people" but "persona" the roles God plays in Creation, Redemption and as Spirit and Giver of Life! To ignore one aspect is to lose an essential element of God's character!

The reading from John's Gospel today shows how the early Christians had come to see the connection between the three persons of the Trinity. In that passage Jesus speaks of the coming of the Spirit of truth who will guide the believers into all truth and will glorify Jesus by informing his followers about him!

According to Jesus the Spirit will "take what is mine" and declare it to you. He also says that "All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that that he will take what is mine and declare it to you". In this passage there is an interweaving of the purpose and mission of Father, Son and Spirit into the mission of One God.

In dealing with the whole idea of the Trinity we often fall into the trap of speaking of the "persons" as if they are separate rather than aspects of the whole nature of One God. The celebration of the Holy Trinity is a celebration of the completeness, wonder, and mystery of God.

Next week we celebrate St Columba using the Iona Community Sunday Communion! There will also be a Baptism as we welcome Atticus Hill into the Christian family!

Rob Lamerton

TODAY'S SERVICES:

Presiding: The Rev'd Robert Lamerton

Preaching: The Rev'd Linda Anchell

Flowers: Kerry-Anne Cousins

8am:

Lay Minister: Stephen Billett
Sidespersons: John Girdlestone
Reader: Devin Combs Bowles

10am:

Lay Minister: Brian McKinlay
Sidespersons: Chris Cheah & Roger Sharp
Children's Ministry: Genevieve & Richard Wade
Readers: O.T. Fred Anchell, N.T. Beryl Holder
Morning Tea: Volunteers please

Weekly Offering/Income needed to operate our Parish \$1690

(excluding rental income.)

Offerings received 27th May: \$790.60 + EFT \$400 = \$1190.60

Shortfall of \$499.40

Northbourne Community Centre \$94.20 Funeral \$100

NOTICES

PEACE WALK TODAY

To witness together our hope for peace in Palestine and Israel.
Starts 1.00pm today at The National Centre for Christianity and
Culture.

See [below](#) for details

HOME GROUPS

The Sunday afternoon Home Group will start on 3rd June, 3.00pm - 5.00pm at 14 Luehmann Street, Page. Please bring a very small plate of afternoon tea to share and let Denise know if you are attending! Phone Denise on 6254 2838.

The Tuesday night Home Group has begun! The next gathering will be at 7.00pm (not 7.30pm) at James and Brian's home (23/30 Watson Street, tel. 6161 6352). More participants are most welcome! Speak to James or Brian, or just turn up!

Woden Christian Bookshop pre-stocktake sale! The bookshop is a not-for-profit organisation aiming to be a Christian presence in the market place. Sale through June, bargains while stocks last! Platform 2, Bus Interchange, Woden.

Applications are called for the position of
Administrative Officer: Centre for Ageing and Pastoral Studies
At St Mark's National Theological Centre
Please see the notice board for details

Sad news! Word came from Bishop George that Karen Harris died this week. Karen, wife of Paul Harris, Chaplain at Canberra Girls Grammar School had been taken ill very suddenly while teaching. We pray for Paul, Sophie and the family.

WE PRAY FOR:

The World: For all efforts to bring stability and peace to the people of Iraq. For peace between Israel and the Palestinians and for a unified and strong leadership for the Palestinians.

In Australia: For wisdom and action in our efforts in dealing with climate and environmental issues. For the ongoing issues of Aboriginal Reconciliation.

The Church: The Anglicare Appeal and activities in partnership with government, child care, foster care, young people and families; for staff and volunteers and for clients. Diocese of Armidale: Bishop Peter Brain, Clergy and People. St Saviour's Cathedral, Goulburn: Dean Phillip Saunders (Sue), Mark Cooper (Joanne); Cathedral Chapter of St Saviour's: Canons, Clerical, Lay and Honorary Lay Canons. Goulburn Mental Health Service Chaplaincy: Mark Cooper. Pray for: Chaplaincy work in hospitals, schools, the workplace, Defence Forces and emergency services.

Those in need of healing: Those on our prayer list: Denise Manley (following surgery), Hannah Newbold, Michael, Dot Huckstepp (past member of St Philip's seriously ill) Sadie Crocker (Jeannette McHugh's mother), Margaret and Claude Woodbridge, Mal-Ja (sister of James Kim), Stewart Barrett, Erhard Timmel, Toni, Michael Cockayne, Roy Ayrton, Tony Kildea, Jill Scott, Yoko and Jutaro Murase, Ian Wright, Merv McInnes, Mira Barratt, John Cunliffe, Moya, Joyce Braithwaite, Peter Andersson, June Axelsen, Sue Cohen.

Those who mourn: The Harris family at the death of Karen.

The Faithful Departed: Joyce Nedine Miller d.28/5/04, Charles Parke d.31/5/36 & Josephine Bickford "Jo" Johnson d.1/6/04; Karen Harris, Margaret Rose, Bruce Thomson.

The Saints: Boniface of Mains, bishop and martyr (d.754), Columba of Iona, abbot and missionary (d.597)

"May the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace

and rise in glory."

On the web: [Anglican Cycle of Prayer](#) and the [Diocesan Cycle of Prayer](#)

Ministry teams at St Philip's

Priest: Rev'd Rob Lamerton

Wardens: Hardy Palethorpe, Roger Sharp & Doreen Odom

Liturgy: Rob Lamerton

Buildings and Maintenance: Roger Sharp

Social: Hardy Palethorpe & Ann Munro

Secretary: Fiona Dyer

Treasurer: Shane Woodburn

Councillor: Fred Anchell

WEEKLY EVENTS

- **Monday to Thursday** 8.30am Morning Prayer, 5pm Evening Prayer
- **Tuesday** 10.30am Kankinya Nursing Home — Holy Communion
5.30pm Meditation
- **Wednesday** 10am Holy Communion
- **Friday** RECTOR'S DAY OFF
10am - 1pm **Pandora's OPEN** Kerry-Anne Cousins & Rhonda Evans
- **Saturday** 10am - 1pm **Pandora's OPEN** Myrle Bovis & Anne Munro

LOOKING AHEAD — DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 10 June 10am Iona style Worship

Saturday 10 November 3 - 7pm St Philip's community fair

Celebrating 50 years in the O'Connor community

NOW OPEN - Community Fair Art Competition

"The world we live in", frames & canvases available in the foyer

Now seeking Team leaders for the Fair!

Please check the Community Fair notice board for latest news

Please check the Community Page Notice Board for latest news.

NEXT SUNDAY

Readings:

- 1 Kings 17:8-16(17-24)
- Psalm 146
- Galatians 1:11-24
- Luke 7:11-17

Rosters:

Cleaning: Doreen Odom & Elizabeth Silano

Flowers: Val Reeves

8am:

Sidespersons: volunteer

Reader: Elizabeth Allinson

10am:

Sidespersons: Volunteers please

Readers: O.T. Pat Forbes, N.T. Richard Wade

Children's Ministry: Fiona & Ben Dyer

Morning Tea: volunteers please

Pandora's income from 25th & 26th May \$197.00

reserved for future development of the parish and Pandora's

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WALKING FOR PEACE

Canberra Peace Walk

1pm, Sunday 3 June

Beginning at the Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture, Barton

You are warmly invited to join a PeaceWalk on Sunday June 3, to witness together our hope for peace in Palestine and Israel.

People of all faiths are welcomed to join in this hopeful, reflective walk.

The Canberra PeaceWalk will recognise the shared humanity and human rights of

all those who have suffered in this longrunning conflict. The Walk will call for the end of Israeli occupation of Palestine and the beginning of a just and sustainable peace.

The walk is being led by the Canberra Ecumenical Working Group on Palestine and Israel and is supported by the ACT Churches Council, Christian World Service, Canberra parishes and community groups.

Olive branches, a symbol of hope and peace, will be available to carry.

Assistance will be provided for those unable to walk the full distance.

For more information go to:

<http://www.icappi.org.au>

and click on Canberra News and Events under *Latest News* or *Popular*.

WALK DETAILS

Where to meet and when

The Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture,
Blackall Street, Barton

- Assemble at 12.45pm to begin at 1pm
- Please do not bring placards
- Olive branches will be available

You can also join the walk at the following reflection places

High Court: Parkes Place, Parkes

National Library: Parkes Place, Parkes

Lennox Gardens at the Jewish National Fund Memorial: Flynn Drive, Yarralumla

Embassy of Israel: 6 Turrana Street, Yarralumla

Please Carry

- An olive branch or wear an olive twig. Branches and twigs will be available.
- Drinking water

MAP:



Solomon Islands Appeal. Details from ABM:

Dear Bishop,

I write to provide you with an update about the devastation resulting from the earthquake and subsequent tsunami which hit the Solomon Islands yesterday, and would be grateful if your parish clergy and their parishioners could be advised of this information immediately:

ABM has now received advice from the Church of Melanesia that the devastation from yesterday's tsunami in the Western Province was far more extensive than originally believed. Information received from the Church of Melanesia and the Solomon Islands Government Disaster Management Office today reported.

30 or more people dead
916 houses destroyed AND
5409 Victims (men, women and children)

ABM has responded immediately by sending an initial amount of \$10,000 from its Reserve Emergency Relief Fund, which is to be used to equip the Church of Melanesia's Ship, with supplies for the victims which are needed now.

As further funds will be required to support recovery, ABM and AngliCORD are launching a tax-deductible appeal which will allow the Church of Melanesia to provide supplies and long term assistance in

the rebuilding of the Western Province.

Tax-deductible donations may be sent in the following ways:

ABM:

By Cheque/money order: Please make your cheque/money order out to: "Anglican Trust Fund For Development" and attach a note with your name and address (for receipting purposes), stating that your gift is for the Solomon Islands Emergency Appeal

Post to:

ABM — Australia Locked Bag Q4005 Queen Victoria Building NSW
1230

By credit card: We accept MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Diners card - please phone us during office hours on 1300 302 663

OR

On Line from Wednesday April 4th 2007. at www.abmission.org and follow the links from the Solomon Islands Emergency Appeal

