

THIS WEEK @ ST PHILIP'S

Today's readings

Acts 7.55-60; Psalm 31.1-5, 17-18; 1 Peter 2.11-25; John 14.1-14

Today's roster

Preaching and Presiding: Revd Rebecca Newland.

Flowers: Philida Sturgiss-Hoy. **8am:** Liturgical Assistant: Elizabeth Allinson; Reader: David French. **10am:** Welcomer: Andrea de Vaal Horciu; Sidespeople: Peter Andersson and Grace Barnes; Liturgical Assistant and Cantor: Brian McKinlay; Musician: Colin Forbes; Children's Ministry Helpers: t.b.a.; Readers: Jarrah Palethorpe / Rebecca Palethorpe; Communion Servers: Grace Barnes / James Kim & volunteer; Morning Tea: Ann Munro / Ethel McInnis.

Today 18th	8am	Eucharist
	10am	Eucharist
	1pm	Dinka service
Mon. 19th	St Philip's Care @ Northbourne Community Centre, incl. lunch	
Tue. 20th	10am-12pm	St Pip's Playtime
Wed. 21st	10am	Eucharist
	7.30pm	Parish Council (deferred from 14 May)
Fri. 22nd	8am	Morning Prayer
	10am-1pm	Pandora's @ O'Connor
	7.00pm	St Pip's Youth Group
Sat. 16th	10am-1pm	Pandora's @ O'Connor
Next Sunday	8am	Eucharist
	10am	Eucharist
	1pm	Dinka Service

Next Sunday's readings

Acts 17.22-31; Psalm 66.7-19; 1 Peter 3.8-22; John 14.15-21

Next Sunday's roster

Preaching and Presiding: Revd Rebecca Newland.

Flowers: Kerry-Anne Cousins. **8am:** Sidesman: Tim Woodburn; Reader: Shane Woodburn. **10am:** Welcomer: Helen Palethorpe; Sidespeople: Louise and Matthew McKay; Liturgical Assistant: Robin Shannon; Musician: Colin Forbes; Readers: Ashton Robinson / David Tscharke; Communion Servers: Hardy Palethorpe / Chris Cheah; Morning Tea: Helen Palethorpe / Jan Gulliver.

CALENDAR

Wed. 21st May	7.30pm	Parish Council (moved from 14th May)
Sun. 25th May	after 10am	service, Liturgy Team
Fri. 30th May	5-7pm	St Philip's Friday Happy Hour
Sun. 8th June		Pentecost
Sun. 15th June		Trinity Sunday

(For the complete calendar please see the parish website)



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Sunday 18th of May 2014 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10am Hymns: **369, 240, 552, 332**

*I am the way, and the truth, and the life,' says the Lord.
'No one comes to the Father except through me.'*
John 14.6



Many Mansions, by Mark Lawrence

Prayer

Everliving God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is
the way, the truth and the
life:
give us grace to love one
another,
to follow in the way of his
commandments,
and to share his risen life,
who lives and reigns with
you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.
Amen

Notices & prayer requests for the pewsheet: please submit them
by Thursday 12pm to rdland@mac.com

Psalm: 31: 1-3, 17-8



In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge;
 let me never be put to shame;
 deliver me in your righteousness.
 Incline your ear to me; make haste to deliver me.
 Be my strong rock, a fortress to save me,
 for you are my rock and my stronghold. **R.**

Guide me, and lead me for your name's sake.
 Take me out of the net that they have laid secretly for me,
 for you are my strength.
 Into your hands I commend my spirit,
 for you have redeemed me, O Lord God of truth. **R.**

My times are in your hand;
 deliver me from the hand of my enemies,
 and from those who persecute me.
 Make your face to shine upon your servant
 and save me for your mercy's sake. **R.**

From the Editor

We welcome back Rebecca and David after their leave!

What would your response have been had this picture been on the front of today's pew sheet?

In today's Gospel, Jesus says, "Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling-places."

We know not who will live in God's house; that is God's business. Yet it is only because of Jesus that the door is open. He is the door. And one day all will know this and glorify God because of it (Philippians 2.5-11).

"We are going, not to a strange country, but to our father's house, and among our kith and kin."—John Ruskin (1819-1900).

Now I hand the pew sheet back to Rebecca to correct my heresies.



"In my Father's House are Many Mansions", by Irving Amen (USA, 1918-2011).

Morning Prayer in the Church

Morning Prayer will now be held in church weekly on Fridays only at 8am.

Canberra's 25th International AIDS Candlelight Memorial

This evening Sunday 18 May 2014, 5-6pm at the Hyatt Hotel.

To remember those who have gone too soon and recommit to continuing activism, that the grief and stigma of the past may not be faced in the future.

Hosted by 666 ABC's Genevieve Jacobs, with music by the Gay & Lesbian Qwire, personal tributes, and a candle lighting ceremony.

Prayer this week

Those in need: Tony Gulliver, Revd Anne Ranse, Michael Sawyer, Bill Viney, Meg Colwell, Margaret Wicks, Hardy Palethorpe, Joy Dundon, Fay Pankhurst, Gloria Cowdell

In remembrance: Winifred Irene Vollmer (1999), Charlotte Joseph (2002). Dunstan, archbishop of Canterbury (988), John and Charles Wesley.

From the ABM cycle of prayer: Please pray for the Anglican Church of Melanesia, as it continues to respond to human needs in loving service. Pray that its work may continue to bring wholeness of life and hope for the future, especially through the work of the Melanesian Brotherhood and other religious communities.

