

## THIS WEEK @ ST PHILIP'S

Today's Readings: Isaiah 25: 1-9; Psalm 23; Philippians 4: 1-9;

**Roster:** Flowers: Colleen Rischbieth; Preaching & Presiding: Rector. 8am: Sidesperson: Vicki Luker; Reader: Rhonda Evans 10am: Welcomer: A Davidson Family Member; Sidespeople: Fred Anchell & Hardy Palethorpe; Liturgical Assistant: Peter Kuot; Music: Colin Forbes; Readers: David Tشارke (OT), Jack Adams (NT); Communion Servers: Tim Gulliver & Denise Manley; Morning Tea: Jan Gulliver & Ethel McInnis

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| <b>Today 12th</b>       | 8am        | <b>Eucharist</b>   |
|                         | 10am       | <b>Eucharist</b>   |
|                         | 1pm        | Dinka Service  |
| <b>Monday 13th</b>      |            | St Philip's Care @ Northbourne<br>Community Centre – including lunch |
| <b>Tuesday 14th</b>     | 10am       | Pip's Playtime   |
| <b>Thursday 16th</b>    | 10am       | <b>Eucharist</b>   |
| <b>Friday 17th</b>      | 10am – 1pm | Pandora's @ O'Connor   |
| <b>Saturday 18th</b>    | 10am – 1pm | Pandora's @ O'Connor   |
|                         | 10:30      | Eucharist, Kankinya Aged Care Facility, Lyneham                      |
| <b>Next Sunday 19th</b> | 8am        | <b>Eucharist</b>   |
|                         | 10am       | <b>Eucharist</b>   |
|                         | 1pm        | Dinka Service  |

### NEXT SUNDAY

Readings: Isaiah 45: 1-7; Psalm 96: 1-9 (10-13); Thessalonians 1: 1-10; Matthew 22: 15-33

**Roster:** Flowers: Kerry-Anne Cousins; Preaching: Revd Linda Anchell; Presiding: Rector & Revd. Sonia Neville. **8am:** Sidesperson: ?; Liturgical Assistant: Elizabeth Allinson; Reader: David French **10am:** Welcomer: Andrea de Vall Horciu; Sidespeople: Peter Andersson & Grace Barnes; Liturgical Assistant: Revd. Linda Anchell; Music: Colin Forbes; Readers: Fred Anchell (OT), Linda Anchell (NT); Communion Servers: Grace Barnes & Doreen Sengati-Odom; Morning Tea: Odom Family

### CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

|                           |          |   |
|---------------------------|----------|---|
| Sun 19 Oct                |          | Liturgy Team (15 mins after 10am service) |
| Sat 25 Oct                | 9am-12pm | Garden and Cleaning Bee                   |
| Fri 31 Oct                | 5-7pm    | St Philip's Friday Happy Hour 0           |
| Sun 2 Nov                 |          | All Saints / All Souls                    |
| Sat 8 Nov                 | 3-7pm    | St Philip's Twilight Community Fair       |
| Thurs 13 Nov - Sun 30 Nov |          | Rector on Leave                           |

(For the complete calendar please go to the parish website)



# St Philip's Come & See

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Sunday 12 October 2014

## Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

**10am Music**

Hymns: **111; 409; 418; 545**

'This is our God for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.' - Isaiah 25.9



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### Prayer of the Day

Saving and healing God,  
you have promised  
that those who have died with  
Christ shall live with him:  
grant us grace to be continually  
thankful for all you have done for  
us,  
and in that thankfulness  
to be eager to serve and live for  
others,  
so that we and all your children  
may rejoice in your salvation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and  
the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**Notices & Prayer points** for the Pewsheets, please submit by Thursday 12pm to James on [jamespeter.ellis@gmail.com](mailto:jamespeter.ellis@gmail.com)

Thank you!

## Psalm 23

- <sup>1</sup> The Lord is my shepherd:  
therefore can I lack nothing.
- <sup>2</sup> He will make me lie down in green pastures:  
and lead me beside still waters.
- <sup>3</sup> He will refresh my soul:  
and guide me in right pathways for his name's sake.
- <sup>4</sup> Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil:  
for you are with me, your rod and your staff comfort me.
- <sup>5</sup> You spread a table before me  
in the face of those who trouble me:  
you have anointed my head with oil,  
and my cup shall be full.
- <sup>6</sup> Surely your goodness and loving-kindness  
will follow me all the days of my life:  
and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

### KEY POINTS FROM PARISH COUNCIL

The Council has learnt that there is a Diocesan ordinance that requires bequests to be managed through the Diocesan Property Trust. This is for accountability over time and to enable parishes to draw on the investment expertise of the Trust. The involvement of the Property Trust does not interfere with Parish decisions on using the funds. Discussions with the Property Trust have begun.

The Council will move carefully, deliberately and in consultation with the Parish and the Property Trust to work through how the Carola Parke Bequest will be managed over the longer term.

The Council will develop a proposal over coming months to bring to the 2015 AGM. In the meantime the funds are in interest bearing deposits.

There will be one initial expenditure from the Bequest funds. From conversations with numbers of parishioners over the last two weeks, there seems to be widespread support for using some of the funds to pay off the remaining \$60,000 from the generous interest free loan that the Parish received for the Lamerton Centre so that the Parish will be debt-free. The Council has therefore decided to discharge the debt over the next week using funds from the Bequest.

## Notices

**Home work club** starts again on 21st October. Please contact Andrea if you would like to help out.

St Pip's **Youth Group resumes** on 17th October.

### WELCOMING REFUGEES: A CALL TO PEOPLE OF FAITH

A public forum to launch the Faith-Based Working Group of the Refugee Action Committee will be held at the ACC&C 7-8pm on Tuesday 14 October (Light refreshments from 6:30pm). Speakers include Bp Stephen Pickard, Mr Harry Opperman (from the Jewish Community), and Diana Abdel-Rahman (Canberra Multicultural Community Forum and President of Australian Muslim Voice).

### Twilight Fair Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2014, 3-7pm

This event is our major community engagement project for the year and we want it to be as successful as it has been in previous years. There are jobs to do and everyone is asked to contribute in some way. These are the things you can help with:

\*Pre-event (making cakes, biscuits and slices, making curry dishes, afternoon tea supplies, tapas bar food, potting plants, collecting your no longer loved 'treasures' and collectables (not your junk!), selling raffle tickets to your friends, putting up supplied signage.

\*9am-noon on the day - Setting up!

\*3pm-7pm - Helping on one of the 10 stalls, helping with Kids activities, selling food tickets, clearing tables and washing up.

\*7pm on the day - Cleaning up

Want to help and be apart of the team? Contact Helen Palethorpe on 62488030 or on [hpaletorpe@grapevine.com.au](mailto:hpaletorpe@grapevine.com.au)

### Leave and Things ...

Rebecca is leading a retreat in Gippsland Diocese next week (13-16 Oct), will be on Personal retreat from 23-31 Oct and on Annual Leave 10 November - 3 December. Revd. Sonia Neville will be Locum.

James is on Leave without pay from 27th Oct - 18 November.

### Prayer Points for this week

*(Prayer Points will be kept in for 2 weeks, unless requested for longer)*

For those in Need: Revd Anne Ranse; Meg Colwell; Margaret Wicks; Margaret & Claude Woodbridge; Cath Holt

In Remembrance/Commemorations: Teresa of Avila (1592, Teacher); Ignatius of Antioch (115, Bishop and Martyr).

For the Church: We pray for the Church of the Province of West Africa  
The World: We pray for Creation, May we take our commitment to be stewards of the earth more seriously; We pray for places of conflict and for innocents who get caught up in the mess of world affairs; We pray for the rising concerns surrounding the outbreak of Ebola in West Africa

In Australia: We continue to Pray for the Muslim community in Australia, for an end to racial and religious abuse, and for bridges between all Australians of whatever creed or colour