

This week @ St Philip's

Mon 6-7pm ☺	Pray for the Parish and Clergy Appointment Board
Tue 10am	Men's Group
Thu 10am ☺	Mid-Week Eucharist followed by morning tea
Thu 6pm	Women's Social Group at the Duxton

Next Sunday

21 April	3rd Sunday of Month
Liturgical Season	Fourth Sunday of Easter
Flowers	Flower Team
Acts 4.5-12; Psalm 23; 1 John 3.16-24; John 10.11-18	

	8am	10am
Celebrant	Rev Emma	Rev Emma
Preacher if not Celebrant	Rev Dolin D	Red'v Colin D
Liturgical Assistant		Rebecca K
Intercessions	Rev'd Emma	Rebecca K
Sidespeople/Welcomers	Rhonda	Jeannette M, Laura W
AV Operator	-	
Musicians	-	
Readers 1 st , 2 nd	Rebecca P	Jos G, Liz D
Morning Tea		Liz D & Ann M
https://stphilipsoconnor.org.au/news/rosters/		

Calendar

Sat	27 Apr	10am-1pm	Pandoras Winter Launch
Sun	5 May	11am-12:30	St Philip's Patronal Festival Champagne Brunch
Tue	7 May	10am	Men's Group
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14 April 2024

Third Sunday of Easter

Today: 8am Eucharist, 9am breakfast, 10am Eucharist with singing, 11am morning tea

Welcome to St Philip's

We are delighted you are here, especially visitors on the web!

We acknowledge the Ngambri and Ngunnawal people, the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we worship and pay our respects to their Elders past and present and emerging. We extend that respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who worship with us.

Pewsheets. This pewsheet is available on our website. The QR code in the pews will direct you to the current edition.

Communion. If you are baptised you are welcome to receive communion. If you would like to receive a blessing, please cross your hands on your chest as you come forward.

Offertory. St Philip's provides three ways for you to contribute. ♦ During the service we collect offerings from the congregation at the offertory time and place them on the altar. ♦ A self-serve Eftpos machine is available in the foyer. ♦ If you would like to make a direct transfer or support us through regular weekly transfers, St Philip's account is: 702-389 05202512. If you wish to place something in the offertory bag after giving electronically, giving cards are available in the foyer.

Today's Readings & Roster

Acts 3.12-20; Psalm 4; 1 John 2.15-17, 3.1-6; Luke 24.36b-48

6:30am Celebrant Rev Emma, LA Elise P, Sidespeople/Welcomers Alison & Alistair, Intercessions Elise P, Readers Margaret & Russell

9:30am Celebrant Rev Emma, Rev'd Robin, Sidespeople/Welcomers Helen & Hardy, Music Alison, Readers Jeannete D & Richard G, Morning Tea Janene B

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Please send notices and prayer points by **Thursday 6pm** to pewsheets@stphilipsoconnor.org.au
The editors may need to edit contributions to fit.

Prayers of the People

In our prayers we remember all in need, particularly: Ann & John, David R, David F, Wendy & Nathan, John, Fran, Timothy, and those unable to gather with us, those in hospital or care. We commend to God the recently departed, those whose year's mind falls at this time: Beryl Day (8/04/2001), Kiran Allister Sen (8/04/1999), Kenneth Johnson (14/04/2001), the victims of war, terrorism, disease and tragedy, those whose memories are dear to us and those remembered only by God.

News & Notices

Women's Social Group

Ladies of the parish are invited to a social gathering, quick drink or stay for a meal, 6pm at the Duxton on a Thursday 18 April. Please see Rev Emma.

Rev Emma's Availability

Emma can be contacted any time and is happy to meet Wed (every 2nd), Thu, Fri and Sunday. Meetings and home communion can be arranged for these days. Monday–Tuesday access to phone/email is limited. Saturday is a family day. Non-urgent messages will be followed up as able.

Rector appointment process

Thank you for your prayers as we continue the process of seeking a new rector for the Parish. The Parish Profile is not available on the Diocesan website for expressions of interest. Please direct any queries about the appointment process to Archdeacon Paul Cohen 0407 110 309 or paulcfrom-stsimons@yahoo.com.au. Alison, Chris and Sarah

Rosters

Please see the noticeboard in the narthex if you are looking for the most current version of the weekly roster. Updated versions are printed as soon as the sheet is updated for a change, but there be some delay with a new version being uploaded to the website, and it will only be emailed monthly.

If you are unable to meet a rostered commitment can you please arrange a swap or replacement and email rector@stphilipsoconor.org.au to advise of the change. Also advise if you cannot find a replacement.

If you are not currently on the roster and would like to assist with our worship please also contact the Locum Rector.

Rector's leave

As locum, Rev Emma is balancing her time between the parish and her chaplaincy role. She will be away for study leave 8-11 April, and chaplaincy duties 30 April-2 May, and 20 May–7 June. If any parish clergy are willing/able to take Thursday morning services during that period, particularly 11 April, can you please contact Emma.

Pandoras Summer Sale

Starting on 6 April, Pandoras will be having three weeks of Summer Half-Price Sales, before the Pandoras Winter Launch on 27 April. Please let your friends now, there are some beautiful summer clothes on sale.

Key points from April Parish Council meeting

Rectory renovation. Parish Council agreed to renovate the Rectory's main bedroom to avoid temperature extremes and mould. This includes installing insulation into walls and ceiling, double glazing, a new reverse cycle air conditioner and an effective extractor fan in the ensuite. Consequential repairs will include resheeting, recarpeting, electricals and repainting.

Asset management. The Diocesan Director of Asset Management will visit the Parish to assist with the development of a Parish Asset Management Plan.

Kindy Licence. Council committed to renewing SPK's licence which expires at the end of the year.

Kindy Roof. A contractor successfully completed significant repairs to the Kindy roof to prevent storm water incursions and to the Church's high gutters.

Working bee thanks. Many thanks to the wonderful group of helpers who weeded, cleaned brass, cleaned windows, cleared leaves, removed cobwebs, fixed uneven paving in the Courtyard, cleaned Rectory walls and floors, and removed discarded items.

Save the Date – St Philips Patronal Festival

St Philips will be holding a Champagne Brunch at 11am-12:30pm Sunday 5th May to celebrate St Philip's Patronal Festival.

Funeral for Margaret Woodbridge

Margaret Woodbridge's funeral will be held at 1pm on Thursday 18th April.

St John's Care

St John's Care are in need of the following items: UFT Full Cream 1L milk, jam/honey/vegemite, cereal, tinned fruit, cooking oil, canned tuna, school snacks, 1kg rice, tinned chunky soups, pasta sauce, toothpaste, shampoo/conditioner, deodorant, toilet paper, washing powder, dishwashing liquid. If you are able to donate, it would be much appreciated.

Security Notice

If you are the last person to leave the church, please ensure all doors are locked.