

Security Notice

If you are last to leave the church precinct, please ensure all church buildings and toilets are locked.

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

Next Sunday

28 April	4th Sunday of Month
Liturgical Season	Fifth Sunday of Easter
Flowers	Flower Team

Acts 8.26–40; Psalm 22.26–33; 1 John 4.7–21; John 15.1–8.

	8am	10am
Celebrant	Rev'd Emma	Rev'd Emma
Preacher if not Celebrant		
Liturgical Assistant	Elise P	Rev'd Robin
Intercessions	Elise	Rev'd Robin
Sidespeople/Welcomers	Shane & Tim	Sally A & Richard G
AV Operator		
Musicians		
Readers 1 st , 2 nd	Shane W	Kerry-Anne C, Ann M
Morning Tea		Barbara G

<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
Thu	16 May	6pm	Women's Social Dinner, Duxton

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21 April 2024

Fourth 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 pewsheets 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 4.5–12; Psalm 23; 1 John 3.16–24; John 10.11–18

8am Celebrant Rev'd Emma, Preacher Rev'd Colin D, Sidespeople/Welcomers Rhonda, Intercessions Rev'd Emma, Readers Rebecca P

10am Celebrant Rev'd Emma, Preacher Rev'd Colin D, LA Rebecca K, Sidespeople/Welcomers Jeannette M Laura W, Intersessions Rebecca, Readers Jos G Liz D, Morning Tea Liz D & AnnM

St Philip's Anglican Church O'Connor

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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, Richard, 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: Irene Keast (17/4), Noel Collins (18/4), the victims of war, terrorism, disease and tragedy, those whose memories are dear to us and those remembered only by God.

News & Notices

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's leave

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

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 now available on the Diocesan website for expressions of interest. If you have any queries, in the first instance, please contact our CAB members Alison, Chris and Sarah. For further information, please contact Alison Payne apayne@anglicancg.org.au.

Rosters

Please see the narthex noticeboard for the most current version. Updated versions are printed whenever the sheet is updated, but there may 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 commitment, please arrange a swap or replacement and email rector@stphilipsoconor.org.au of the change or if you can't find a replacement.

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

Pandoras Summer Sale

Pandoras Winter Launch is on 27 April, 10am–1pm. Please help us by letting your friends know — there are some beautiful summer clothes on sale.

Save the Date – St Philip's Patronal Festival

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

Women's Social Dinner

The women's social dinner has been postponed to Thursday 16th May, 6pm at the Duxton in O'Connor. Meal cost \$20. Please feel encouraged to invite friends and family for a relaxed social outing. Sign-up sheet on the notice board.

St John's Care

Goods in short supply are: 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, washing powder, dishwashing liquid. Please leave your donations in the baskets on the back pew.

Common Grace Conference: Let Justice Flow. 16–18 Nov 2024

Early Bird Tickets now available <https://let-justice-flow-conference.raiselysite.com/>

This conference is being held on Ngunnawal & Ngambri Country, Canberra. It will be a unique opportunity to gather together to deeply listen to the voices of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Christian leaders, build relationships, and take action to call and advocate to see justice flow across Australia and beyond. If you enjoyed the ABM Lenten study, these speakers will interest you: Dr Aunty Jean Phillips, Rev Canon Aunty Di Langham, Naomi Wolfe, Adam Gowen, Dr Byron Smith and Dr Mick Pope.



Intercessions

Members of the congregation are encouraged to consider leading intercessions at either the 8am and 10am Sunday service. It doesn't have to be regular. A starting outline can be provided. Please contact Rev Emma if you are interested in this opportunity to contribute to our parish worship.

Volunteering at St Philip's

To volunteer as a reader, sidesperson, welcomer, audio-visual operator, on flower team, on morning tea or another role on the Roster, please see Emma. In particular, help filling vacancies on the 5th Sunday of a month (4 times a year) would be much appreciated.