



St Philip's
Come & See

04 February 2024

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Today: 8am Eucharist, 9am breakfast, 10am Eucharist, 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 on our website. The QR code in the pews will direct you.

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, Hymns & Roster

Isaiah 40.21-31; Psalm 147.1-11; 1 Corinthians 9.16-23; Mark 1.29-39

8am Celebrant Canon Scott, LA Lisa C, Sidespeople/Welcomers Margaret & Russell, OT Margaret M, NT Russell M

10am Celebrant Rev'd Emma, Preacher Canon Scott, Sidespeople/Welcomers Fred A & Janene B, Music Colin F, OT Laura W, NT Ann M, Morning tea Helen P

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.

News & Notices

Rev Emma's Availability

Emma can be contacted any time and is happy to meet Wednesday to Friday 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 to those who participated in the Parish Consultation. We received lots of useful input. We are available to listen further to Parishioners' thoughts on strengths, weaknesses and hopes for the Parish, and characteristics you would like in a rector. Please speak with us after a service, or call or email us. Please direct any queries about the appointment process to Archdeacon Paul Cohen 0407 110 309 or paulcfromstsimons@yahoo.com.au. Alison, Chris and Sarah

Please continue to pray for the Parish CAB and their Diocesan counterparts, and Bishop Mark upon whom rests the final decision. Please hold the Parish and all involved in its mission and ministry in your thoughts and prayers at this time. Consider adding an e-reminder on your device.

Men's Group

The Men's Group will now be in recess until the New Year. The first gathering will be Tuesday 6th February 2024.

Parish Calendar

We are creating a single calendar for use of the church and facilities. Can all with bookings please email the locum (rector@stphilipsoconnor.org.au) to make sure it is recorded.

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 and a starting outline can be provided if that is helpful. Please contact Rev Emma if you are interested in this opportunity to contribute to our parish worship.

Parkrun/Parkwalk?

Was your new year resolution to get out more, meet people, enjoy the beauty of Canberra and get some exercise? Parkrun is a 5km organised walk/run for all ages, and you can bring a dog. Rev Emma attends the Burley Griffin Parkrun, 8am Saturdays at Weston Park, Yarralumla play station. If you want to join in (you don't have to run with Emma) she is happy to offer a lift and share a coffee after. Might be a nice Parish outing while the weather is fine.

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 email Leighton at rosters@stphilipsoconnor.org.au. Help filling vacancies on the 5th Sunday of a month (4 times a year) would be much appreciated.

St John's Care

Goods in short supply are: UHT Full Cream 1 litre 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.

Locking-up Reminder

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

Prayers of the People

In our prayers we remember all in need, particularly: Brian, Ann & John, David, David, and Wendy & Nathan, and those unable to gather with us, those in hospital or care.

We commend to God the recently departed, and those whose year's mind falls at this time: Clara Madge Baker (30/01/2003), Jean Olivette Cousins (31/01/1987), Stanley R. Morton (31/01/1999), Douglas Benjamin Hobson (01/02/1969), Gudrun Else Whalley (02/02/2000), Sydney Henry Bovis (03/02/1993), and Harry Victor Cousins (03/02/1974), the victims of war, terrorism, disease and tragedy, those whose memories are dear to us and those remembered only by God.

This week @ St Philip's

Mon 6-7pm ☺ Pray for the Parish and Clergy Appointment Board
Thu 10am ☺ Mid-Week Eucharist followed by morning tea

Next Sunday

11 February 2nd Sunday of Month
Liturgical Season Last Sunday after Epiphany
Flowers Flowers Team
2 Kings 2.1-12; Psalm 50.1-6; 2 Corinthians 4.3-12; Mark 9.2-9

	8am	10am
Celebrant	Rev'd Emma	Rev'd Emma
Preacher if not Celebrant		
Liturgical Assistant	Elise P	Rebecca K
Sidespeople/Welcomers	Alison & Alistair	Helen & Hardy
AV Operator		
Musicians		Colin F
Readers OT, NT	Alistair, Alison	Kerry-Anne, Ashton R
Morning Tea		Janene B

<https://stphilipsoconnor.org.au/news/rosters/>

Calendar

Tue	13 Feb	7pm	Parish Council meeting
Wed	14 Feb	10am & 7pm	Ash Wednesday
		2pm	Communion Service at Sir Leslie Morshead Manor
Sat	17 Feb	11am	Canberra Aged Care Service
Sun	25 Feb	11:15am	Parish AGM

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