

St Philip's Diary

Parish Council @ Rectory Wednesday 12 October, 7.30pm
English language Family Eucharist Saturday 15 October, 5.30pm
Third Saturday of month
Preaching & Presiding: Rev'd Jeannette McHugh Sunday 16 & Wed 19 October
Preaching & Presiding: Rev'd Steve Clarke Sunday 23 & Wed 26 October
"CAMRA presents G F Handel's opera *Alcina*
Thursday 27 & Saturday 29 October, 7.30pm
Preaching & Presiding: Rev'd Sarah McNeil Sunday 30 October
Preaching & Presiding: Rev'd Jeannette McHugh Wednesday 2 November
All Saints & All Souls Sunday 6 November

St Philip's Twilight Community Fair Saturday 12 November, 3 - 7pm

We are still looking for volunteers to coordinate the book stall, the fruit salad and the sausages. If you're interested in helping out, please see Fiona or Ben Dyer or put your name on the list in the foyer.

Ability Awareness Sunday (& Christ the King) Sunday 20 November

St Philip's Advent Dinner – celebrating Rev'd Linda Anchell's 20th Ordination anniversary Saturday 26 November, 6pm

St Philip's Singers with CAMRA & Igitos Nos present:
MESSIAH by G.F. Handel. Friday 16 & Saturday 18 December, 7.30pm
To celebrate the Anniversaries of our church building.

Special Eucharist & Lunch Sunday 18 December, 10am
To celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Dedication & 30th anniversary of the Consecration of St Philip's Church building.
Bishop Stuart Preaching & Presiding.

St Philip's Carol Service Wednesday 21 December, 7.30pm

Events around the Diocese

Making the most of the rest of your life Saturday 8 October, 9am–4.30pm
Christ Church, Belconnen Way, Hawker
A workshop on ageing & retirement. Brochures available in Foyer.

Christians for an Ethical Society Thursday 13 October, 7.30pm
Australian Centre for Christianity & Culture, Blackall St □ Barton
CLIMATE CHANGE DENIAL – Twisting Language?
Forum with Dr Haydn Washington, Environmental Scientist & Activist
Chair: Rev's Rebecca Newland
More info www.ces.org.au or Heather 62914537



St Philip's Come & See

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY 2 OCTOBER 2011

8am & 10am: English language Eucharist
1pm: Dinka language Service

Readings: Isaiah 5.1-7, Philipians 3, Matthew 21.33-46

Psalm 80.7-15:

- 7 Restore us again, O Lord of hosts:
show us the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.
- 8 You brought a vine out of Egypt:
you drove out the nations, and planted it in.
- 9 You cleared the ground before it:
and it struck root and filled the land.
- 10 The hills were covered with its shadow:
and its boughs were like the boughs of the great cedars.
- 11 It stretched out its branches to the sea:
and its tender shoots to the Great River.
- 12 Why then have you broken down its walls:
so that every passer-by can pluck its fruit?
- 13 The wild boar out of the woods roots it up:
and the locusts from the wild places devour it.
- 14 Turn to us again, O Lord of hosts:
look down from heaven, and see.
- 15 Bestow your care upon this vine:
the stock which your own right hand has planted.

10am Music:

Hymns: *Together in Song*; **203, 432, 499**(tune 124), **242**

This Week @ St Philip's

Monday: St Philip's Care @ Northbourne Community Centre – including lunch
Wednesday: 10am: English Language Holy Communion
Friday: 10am – 1pm: Pandora's @ O'Connor – OPEN
Saturday: 10am – 1pm: Pandora's @ O'Connor – OPEN
10.30am: Holy Communion @ Kankinya Aged Care

*Items for the Pew bulletin and names for the Prayer list (add or remove), please forward to Leighton by **Thursday 12 noon**. leighton.ruth@grapevine.com.au or 61617133*

Today

Presiding & Preaching: Rev'd Rebecca Newland

Rosters:	Flowers:	Ethel McInnes
8am:	Bible Reader:	John Girdlestone
	Sides people:	John Girdlestone
10am:	Lay Minister:	Rev'd Steve Clarke
	Musician:	Colin Forbes
	Bible Readers:	1 st Lousie McKay, 2 nd Erika Langman
	Sidespeople:	Roger Sharp & Helpers!!
	Chalice Servers:	Tim Gowty & Denise Manley
	Morning Tea:	Helen Palethorpe & helpers

Liturgy Team meeting - following 10am service

Our Prayers

Ecumenical Cycle: Afghanistan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan. Give thanks for Peace-makers struggling to end hostility and violence, particularly in Afghanistan. Remember especially the people of Kabul and Sarah Gowty.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: St Asaph (Wales) The Rt Rev'd Gregory Cameron

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Diocese of Adelaide: Archbishop Jeffrey Driver, Clergy and People

Archdeacons: Genieve Blackwell, Ian Lambert, Susanna Pain, Ian Palmer,

Anne Ranse, Chris Short, Mark Short

Diocesan Mission Facilitator: John Barnes

Area & Functional Deans: Paul Black, Caroline Campbell, Paul Cohen, Ken Day, Beth Dimmick, Paul Harris, Jason Page, Harvey Sloane, Elizabeth Sloane, Nick Speyer

Professional Standards Board and Committees: Professional Standards Director, Celia Irving; Deputy Director, Peter Barnett

Pray for: Victims of physical and sexual abuse; Diocesan Contact Officers for alleged sexual misconduct, abuse or harassment, Penny Lloyd and Christopher Plumb.

Those in need: Rev'd Linda Anchell, Baden Williams, Margaret Saylor, Rev'd Jim Waddell, Nate Merry, Ethel McInnes, Margaret Woodbridge, Claude Woodbridge, Jean Pound, Meg Colwell, Michael Sawer.

We remember and give thanks for: Coralie Joy Rockwell Sawer (d.29/9/91); Robert Ivan Muir Dixon (d.29/9/89); Clive Lowes (d.2/10/2009); Lionel Bruce Holgate (d.5/10/02)

From our Rector

Dear Friends,

Next Sunday is our celebration of Creation (and Ride to Church Sunday, which is an initiative of the ARCCC – Australian Religious Response to Climate Change). The ARCCC is a multi-faith, member-based organisation of people from around Australia who are committed to taking action on climate change. Dr. Miriam Pepper, the National Coordinator writes, *"Whether Baha'i, Buddhist, Christian, Hindu, Jewish, Muslim or Sikh, Australia's religions agree that caring for the earth is important."* When I was looking through the ARCCs web site I couldn't see the Anglican Church listed as a member of the organisation. Of course I could have missed it! And getting consensus on an issue at a national level in the Australian Anglican Church is apparently a long complicated 7-year process – and that's in a good decade. However whether we are officially in the list is not important. In fact St Philip's has a history of stepping outside the box and leading the way especially in liturgy and church leadership and we certainly have a focus on and care for the environment. Our most obvious but cunningly hidden example of that are our solar panels on the hall roof! So I hope you can join me standing in solidarity with other faiths and traditions next Sunday as we gather to reflect on the beauty, wonder and providence of God's good creation and how it is threatened by our actions and habits. There are no easy answers to the challenges that face us as we consider our responsibilities as stewards of creation. There are many conflicting views but the biblical mandate is very clear – we are to tend and care for all creation, not just the bits that provide for our needs. I hope next Sunday will be an opportunity to consider this responsibility, to celebrate the wonder and joy of our earth home and give thanks and praise to God for all God's blessings.

Have a blessed and holy week. Rebecca

Next Sunday

Creation Sunday & Ride to Worship (10am Taize music)

*7-13 October is National Ride to Worship Week 2011, an initiative of the Australian Religious Response to Climate Change (ARRCC), an interfaith organisation committed to taking action on climate change. See <http://www.arrcc.org.au>. Cycling is a way that we can respond to the challenge of climate change. It's good for the planet and good for your health! So at St Philips we invite everyone to cycle or walk to church on **Sunday 9 or Wednesday 12 October**. If you are unable to ride or walk, why not share a lift, or walk or cycle part of the way? If you can't cycle, walk or share a lift, why not contribute to our Mission fund instead to show your support?*

Readings: Gen 2.4b - 22, Psalm 23, Philipians 4, Matthew 4.1-11

Rosters:	Flowers:	Colleen Rischbieth
8am:	Bible Reader:	Rhonda Evans
	Sides people:	Volunteer
10am:	Liturgical Assistant:	Brian McKinlay
	Bible Readers:	1 st David Tucharke, 2 nd Fiona Dyer
	Sidespeople:	Louise McKay & Helpers!!
	Chalice Servers:	Hardy Palethorpe & 2 more Servers
	Morning Tea:	St Philip's Children

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Hon. Deacons: Rev'd Linda Anchell & Rev'd Robin Moore (St Philip's Care)

Hon. Associate Priests: Rev'd Steve Clarke (Director of Mission & Justice, Anglicare)
& Rev'd Jeannette McHugh

Wardens: Helen Palethorpe, Ian Cousins & Roger Sharp