

..This coming week @ St Philip's

Tue	1.30pm	Sir Leslie Morshead Manor
Tue – Fri	8am	Morning Prayer
	5.30pm	Evening Prayer
Thursday	10am	Eucharist and Morning Tea
Friday	10am – 1pm	Pandora's Pre-loved Fashions
Saturday	10am – 1pm	Pandora's Pre-loved Fashions
	10.30am	Eucharist @ Kankinya

Prayer Points

Confirmees: Beth Adams; Jack Adams; Kenzo Boyle; Dominic Lloyd; Joseph Lloyd; Sam Mahony; Jarrah Palethorpe; Noah Palethorpe; Ava Rath.

For those in need: Pat Forbes; Colin Forbes; Fred Langman; Roger Sharp; Cath Holt; Grace Barnes; Roberta; Margaret Woodbridge; Barbara Dowley.

Those we remember: Jim McCaskie (16/7/00); Carola Parke (19/7/12); Dot Mayo (22/7/02); Merv McInnes (22/7/11); Michael Gamble (24/7/97); Portia Vincent (26/7/90); Ellen Mahoney (29/7/00).

Next Sunday – Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

Readings: 1 Kings 3.5-12; Psalm 119.129-136; Romans 8.26-39; Mark 13.44-58

Flowers: The Flower Team

8am: Presiding & Preaching: Rev'd Martin Johnson
Sidesperson: Tim Woodburn
Liturgical Assistant: Elizabeth Allinson
Readers: Shane Woodburn

10am: Presiding & Preaching: Rev'd Martin Johnson
Welcomer: Denise Manley
Sidespeople: Volunteers
Music: Colin Forbes
Liturgical Assistant: tba
Readers: Colin Dundon (1st)
Jack Adams (2nd)

Chalice Servers: Denise Manley & James Kim
Morning tea: Volunteers

Pewsheets deadline: Thursday 12noon. Please forward notices and prayer points to pewsheets@stphilipsoconnor.org.au or 0414 309 469

EFTPOS available in the foyer to assist with your giving.



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Sunday 22 July 2018

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

10am Music

Hymns: 111, 459(ii), 533 (t247) & 432

Sentence

'My sheep hear my voice,' says the Lord. 'I know them and they follow me; and I give them eternal life.'

John 10.27, 28

Prayer of the day

Eternal God, author of our life and end of our pilgrimage: guide us by your word and Spirit amid all perils and temptations, that we may not wander from your way, but may run our course in safety until we come to our eternal rest in you; through the grace of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Today's Readings

Jeremiah 23.1-6; Ps 23; Ephesians 2.11-22; Mark 6.30-34, 53-56.

Today's Rosters

Flowers: The Flower Team.

8am Preaching & Presiding: Rev'd Martin Johnson; Sidesperson: McCaskie Family; Liturgical Assistant: Elizabeth Allinson; Bible Readers: Margaret & Russell McCaskie.

10am Preaching & Presiding: Rev'd Martin Johnson; Welcomer: Helen Palethorpe; Sidespeople: Fred Anchell & Hardy Palethorpe; Liturgical Assistant: tba; Music: Colin Forbes; Bible Readers: Jeanette Dundon-Tunks (1st), Richard Griffiths (2nd); Chalices: Hardy Palethorpe & James Kim; Morning Tea: Alison Davidson & Rosemary Knight.

Psalm 23

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd:
therefore can I lack nothing.
- 2 He will make me lie down in green pastures:
and lead me beside still waters.
- 3 He will refresh my soul:
and guide me in right pathways for his name's sake.
- 4 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.
- 5 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.
- 6 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.

From the Rector

Dear Friends

During the week I wrote to thank our visiting preacher, The Rev'd Dr Sathianathan Clarke for coming among us and for his teaching. He made a crucial point in his sermon that the Gospel has both a social and a personal dimension. In some ways we can't pull the two apart, they are two sides of the one coin, as Jesus tells us we are to love God and neighbour. As I mentioned in last Sunday's pew sheet we as a parish are looking to the future. Next year I am hopeful that we will have a prominent Anglican come among us to help us plot a path, 2020 will be a year of stewardship and we will celebrate together in December 2021 at our 60th Birthday party! Perhaps what we need to consider is how we effectively live out both the personal and the social Gospel.

For many the winter drags on. This week has seen reports of many folk finding it difficult to secure a safe place to sleep. The 'Safe Shelter Project' has struggled to meet demand. Many of you will have seen the report in The Canberra Times this week, the project has seen demand rising and experienced its busiest night since its inception. Check out the article or if you want to know more chat to the coordinator, our own Richard Griffiths.

Demand for food also remains high. This week pasta sauce, tinned fruit, tinned meat are on the St John's Care wish list. Don't forget to drop some extra items into your trolley as you do the weekly shop. It is very much appreciated.

During the coming week I am undertaking some training in Mental Health First Aid. I have realised in recent times that I need some refresher training in this area as folk do come among us with mental health issues. If you are trying to get hold of me and

find my phone is not answering leave me a message and I will respond during breaks.

Our confirmees are continuing on with their preparation and proving to be budding theologians! Please continue to pray for them and keep the date for the Confirmation service in your diary. We are soon to begin planning for the Annual Spring Fling! Leighton is once again a driving force! Let's get behind him and help make this year's 'fling' a great event!

Blessings,

Martin

St Philip's Calendar

<http://stphilipsoconnor.org.au/calendar.php>

Today	22 Jul 12.30 – 3pm	Home Group – Lamerton Centre All Welcome!
Friday	27 Jul 5 – 7 pm	Happy Hour – Theme: <i>Resort Time (when you're missing Summer!)</i>
Friday	27 Jul 7 – 8.30pm	St Philip's Youth Group
Saturday	28 Jul – 10 – 1pm	Pandora's Presents: 'Christmas in July' <i>Add some sparkle to your winter and join us for festive-themed refreshments while you browse our special fashion treats in the warm and friendly setting of Pandora's.</i>
Wed'day	1 Aug - 7pm	Parish Council – Lamerton Centre
Sunday	5 Aug – 10am	Sunday Zone @ St Philip's – and Baptism
Friday	10 Aug 7 – 8.30pm	St Philip's Youth Group
Sunday	12 Aug – 10am	Confirmation Service & Sunday Zone @ St Philip's (Family Service) followed by special morning tea. <i>Please bring some food to share.</i>
Friday	24 Aug 7 – 8.30pm	St Philip's Youth Group
Sunday	26 Aug 12.30 – 3pm	Home Group – Lamerton Centre All Welcome!

St Philip's **Spring Fling** is coming around soon, Sat 22 September. We need to start planning now for this event. We'll have our first planning meeting next Sunday, 29 July, after the 10am service. Anyone interested in helping with the planning or running a stall please come along. Please see Leighton for any further info.

Anglican Mothers Union Australia Overseas Day

Come one come all

AMUA is holding an Overseas Day on Thursday 26 July 2018 at Holy Cross Hackett (Cnr Antill Street and Phillip Avenue) commencing with a Eucharist at 10am, followed by a speaker from the Karen Community in Canberra and Lunch. Donations will be sought for our Overseas Projects (which support the development of Peace and Reconciliation training for women in several countries in Africa and the persecuted Christians in Myanmar).

Everyone is welcome