



**THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

***Sunday 17 July 2011***



**St John**  
the Evangelist  
Anglican Parish  
of Dee Why

## **WELCOME TO ST JOHN'S CHURCH DEE WHY**

*St John's today is a place of soul-stirring worship, challenging preaching, fine art and music, warm fellowship and outreach. It remains as Dee Why's oldest institution.*

*We are an Anglican parish in the Catholic Tradition of Anglicanism, which:*

- *welcomes **everyone** and*
- *seeks to live the life of Christ in community and*
- *reaches out in love to others to share this life*

*If you are a baptised communicant Christian from another Church you are welcome to receive Holy Communion with us today, or you may choose to come forward to receive a blessing.*

*Please join us for refreshments after all services.*

**as we celebrate**  
**THE 16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**17 July 2011**

### **8:00am**

#### **Holy Eucharist**

Hymns: 745, 520, 598 (TIS)  
Setting: *A Parish Eucharist* (Michael Dudman)  
Readers: Anne Seddon, Patricia Sara  
Intercessions: Lee Hansen  
Chalice: Graeme Couch, Robyn Couch

### **10:00am**

#### **Family Eucharist**

Hymns: 745, 520, 598 (TIS)  
Setting: *Christ Church* (Philip Matthias)  
Motet: *Faith, hope and love*  
(Pachelbel arr. David Ogden)  
Readers: Neridah Byrne, Margaret Titchen  
Intercessions: Warwick Romanis  
Chalice: Tony Johnson, Warwick Romanis

### **6:00pm**

#### **Evensong with The Cathedral Singers**

Hymns: 150, 188, 407 (NEH)  
Psalm: 100 and 101  
Introit: *God to enfold me* (Colin Brumby)  
Responses: Richard Ayleward  
Setting: Stanford in C  
Anthem: *O sing joyfully* (Adrian Batten)



## **FROM THE ACTING RECTOR**

**17 July 2011**

**Dear Friends,**

Christianity is not just about love and compassion even though that is its heart. It is also about truth and wisdom.

In troubled Kenya Archbishop Rowan Williams recently shared in the dedication of the site of that country's first Anglican university. He said, "In the life of a university we seek wisdom and understanding, not only for ourselves, or for our nation, but for our whole world. God's call to us is to grow in wisdom. God's wisdom is always of peace and reconciliation....spread across the world penetrating everything on earth, his wisdom of reconciliation, peace and love. We weak and simple human beings break up that peace, damaging that harmony. We need the reassurance of Jesus to bring us back to wisdom. One of the great truths of Christianity is Jesus is for everyone, not just for me and my friends, me and my tribe, me and my family. God's will is for us all to be one family."

He went on, "In a university we discover that the truth is for everyone; science is for everyone, scholarship is for everyone, literature is for everyone...just as Christ is the one great truth that is for all human beings, so by all these ways we understand something of the truth that all these things are for all of us. The word 'university' tells us this is about universal truth, a truth for everyone. So if we study to be one family in Christ, we shall be more ready to learn the truth God teaches us in science and scholarship... and that is much more true when we are talking about a Christian university. In a Christian university we do not only study together, we study because we seek God's will and wisdom and we see fellow students and teachers as fellow members of the Body of Jesus Christ. And so the Christian university, more than any other is devoted to reconciliation."

Yours sincerely

**Fr Robert Wheeler**

(Fr Steven, Deacon Sandra Salmon and Christopher are on leave until 5 August)

*St John's Anglican Church acknowledges the traditional owners of this land and pays respect to all Aboriginal people, and to their families past and present.*



## COMING EVENTS:

Fri 22 July	Free Friday <b>Music Recital</b> 11:00am followed by light lunch
Sat 6 August	<b>St John's Op Shop</b> 8:00-11:30am
Sun 21 August	<b>Parish Lunch</b> 12:00noon Fr Steven's 50th birthday celebration
Sat 10 September	St John's Men's Group Breakfast 7:30am
Sat 17 September	Classical Variety <b>Concert</b> 2:00pm
Sun 16 October	<b>Dedication Festival</b> and Parish Lunch
Thu 3 November	<b>For All Souls, Fauré's Requiem</b> 7:30pm with <b>The Cathedral Singers and Orchestra</b>
Sat 19 November	<b>St John's Parish Fête</b>
Sun 20 November	<b>Christ the King Sunday</b> <b>10:00am Holy Eucharist, with</b> <b>The Cathedral Singers</b>

### PARISH NEWS

**Baptism Enrolment:** At the 10:00am Family Eucharist, Kara Rachel Tobin will be enrolled for Holy Baptism. *Please pray for her as her family and godparents prepare for this Sacrament.*

**Cathedral Singers:** We welcome again **The Cathedral Singers** (TCS) to 6:00pm Evensong this evening. We also farewell them as **this will be the group's last appearance in Australia before touring the UK during August** (TCS are to return to St John's to sing in Fauré's Requiem in November). *Please bring a plate of food to share for supper.*

**Mothers' Union:** St John's MU will meet on **Wednesday 20 July at 11:15am** to hold a special "Wave of Prayer" service and learn about MU in Nigeria, Sudan, Iraq and Canterbury. For *information please speak with Margaret Winters.*



**Happy Birthday:** Tim Swales (19th), Philip Maddrell (23rd)

**Friday morning recital:** St John's welcomes **Paulina Kruminaitė with Danita Weatherstone and Zoe Freeman** – three sopranos and their accompanists – this **Friday 22 July at 11:00am** for our next recital to be followed by a light lunch.

The Concert Committee asks parishioners if they would please make slices or cakes for this event. *It will be much appreciated if you let Neridah (9971 8596) or the office know and could bring them before the 11:00am concert.*



Also, on **Friday 11 November**, hear **Katie Garman** on French Horn and, returning again, ten-year old Michelle Li on piano.

**Godly Play** returns next Sunday 24 July at the 10:00am Family Eucharist, when the Crèche will also be available.

**Whirlwind Tourists:** More news on the lobby noticeboard from Steven, Sandra and Christopher:

- Places to go: Norwich, Walsingham, Canterbury (staying an extra day accommodated in Dicken's House of Agnes in David Copperfield), Rochester, Leicester, Liverpool, Dublin and Kildare, New York!
- People to see: Fr Howard Cocks in Winchelsea (Marcia's son and Neralie's brother visited us earlier this year) sends his greetings to all.

**Parish Council:** With Fr Steven away, there will be no Parish Council meeting this month.

**Parish Centre Cleaning:** Routine weekly cleaning of the parish centre and rectory costs St John's around \$11,000 each year. The expenses are paid from the St John's Study Centre Fund donations which are tax deductible. The Parish Council is grateful for the support this work has received and has agreed to continue the current arrangements subject to funding. It is big job, and our contract cleaner, Stacey Wilson produces an excellent result. It should be noted that non-routine cleaning tasks and restoration are not included in this package. Also, the weekly cleaning of the church itself and tidying of the grounds continue to be carried out by our dedicated bands of parishioners whose quiet ministry is undertaken faithfully each week. Would any parishioners wishing to contribute to the parish centre cleaning costs please speak with Robyn Couch.

**Red Cross Blood Service:** The Mobile Blood Service is at Dee Why RSL this month Monday 18 to Friday 22 July (2:00-7:00pm Mon-Wed, 10:00am-3:00pm Thu-Fri). *Please see the notice on the board at the back of the church.* To donate, book a time on 13 14 95, and eat a substantial meal and drink four to five glasses of water in the hours before. Take your donor card or photo ID when you visit.

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### For information – your Parish Council:

Heather Andrews	Valda Ashover	Howard Butler
Neridah Byrne	Don Fisher	Pam Fisher
Lynette Johnson	Alma Ondevilla	Jessica Rynd
Denise Soltau	Roger Soltau	Don Stephens

*St John's Parish seeks to be environmentally aware and responsible in our use of resources.*

## **THE WEEK AHEAD AT ST JOHN'S**

*The church is open during the day for personal prayer.*

Mon	18 Jul		<i>No service today</i>
Tue	19 Jul	10:00am-1:00pm (by appointment) 7:15-9:15pm	<i>No service today</i> St John's Café – <b>Games Morning</b> <i>Cottage Counselling</i> Choir Practice
Wed	20 Jul	<b>10:00am</b>  11:15am-12:30pm  5:30-8:30pm	<b>Holy Eucharist with Healing Prayers</b> <b>Mothers' Union</b> "Wave of Prayer" Service <i>Street Mission Wednesday Café</i>
Thu	21 Jul	<b>12:00noon</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist</b> (chapel)
Fri	22 Jul	<b>St Mary Magdalen</b> <b>9:00am</b> 10:00-11:00am 11:00am-1:30pm	<b>Holy Eucharist</b> (chapel) St John's Café <b>Friday Morning Recital</b> followed by light lunch
Sat	23 Jul	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist</b> (chapel)
Sun	24 Jul	<b>ORDINARY SUNDAY 16</b> <b>8:00am</b> <b>10:00am</b> <b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist</b> <b>Family Eucharist with Godly Play</b> <b>Evensong</b>

Morning Readings: 1 Kings 3: 5, 7-12  
Romans 8: 28-30  
Matthew 13: 44-52

**Winter Holidays:** Children's Weekday Ministries will be in recess over July for the school holidays. **Godly Play** and the **Crèche** return next Sunday. In the meantime, the **Daily Mass** continues (not Monday or Tuesday), and the **Tuesday/Friday Cafés** operate throughout.

## ***WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER***

**Those who are ill:** Annette, Wendy, Pam Albany, Alma Barron, Helen Bennett, Lyn Brice, Stephen Butler, Michael Callaghan, Sue Cuskelly, Brenda and Peter Eyles, Gary Fenton, Kath Gumbleton, Peter Huckleby, Winnie Jensen, Michael Johnston, Ewen Kenny, Les Lane, Henry Matthewman, James McDougall, Graham McFadden, Marge Miller, Byron Moore, Ross Morgans, Lu Piper, Chris Reading, Gwen Riley, Debby Roberts, Erica Udell, Bev Vine, Noel Warr, Cynthia Watts, Jan Watts, Jason Webb, Phillip White, John Wickes, Kath Yabsley,

**Others in need of prayer:** Lisa, Michelle, Pam, Robyn, Niels Andersen, Daphne Archer, Fay Baker, Virginia Baker, Ellie Bird, Cameron Browne, Nalda Butler and Brian, John and Norma Byles, Susan Caldis, Don and Eileen Cameron, Dorothy Cole, John Cranfield, Audrey Douglas, Hilary Dowe, Zac, Gwyn and Anne Evans, Tom Fisher, Kevin Flicker, Yvonne Gray, Clarrie Greaves, Lois and Arthur Greenwood, Norma Halford, Jan and Steen Hansen, Rona Hartley, Eric Hastings Snr, Michelle Hayden, Doris Hayne, Peter Hill, Carmel Hogan, Glad Jackson, Margaret James, Alec, Midge Lee, Beryl and Neville Leete, Joanne Lucock, Clive Maddrell, Colin Masson, Angus McLean, Bob and Vivienne McMullin, Lilian Miles, Brett Michie, John Monahan, Grayden Moore, Jack Moppett, Harriet Morgan, Sheila Morton, Rebecca O'Donnell, Dorothy Olsen, June O'Reilly, Stephen Palmer, June Pedrana, Evelyn Peterson, Joan Preuss, Tom and Isabel Ridgway, Harry and Patricia Sara, Bob and Jill Satchell, Lena Simpkins, Don Stephens, Brian Taylor, Jennifer and Michael Taylor, Joan Taylor, Stan Thomas, Thora Thomas, Phil Turley, John Walker, Lindsay Walker, John Warwick, Florence Watts, Val West, Rae Yock

### **Those who died recently:**

Wilga Madill, Vanessa Batcheldor, Ruth Louridas, Nancy Morgan, Alex Ondevilla

### **Those whose anniversaries of death occur at this time:**

Jeane Warne, Pauline Savor (17<sup>th</sup>), Peg Jones (18<sup>th</sup>), Ted Jackson, Jenny Smith (19<sup>th</sup>), Elsie Carse (20<sup>th</sup>), Stephen Walker (21<sup>st</sup>), Vera Love, Jack Scarr (22<sup>nd</sup>), Edith Butcher (23<sup>rd</sup>)

## SUNDAY ROSTERED DUTIES

### ORDINARY SUNDAY 16 – 17 JULY 2011

	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>
<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Dianne Greenhalgh Lee Hansen Bill Peters	Heather Andrews Barbara Emmett Tony Johnson	Heather Andrews
<b>Servers:</b>	Jill Knox Jessica Rynd Robyn Couch	Debby Roberts Adam Roberts Michael Roberts Kathe Swales	Robyn Couch Kathe Swales Alma Ondevilla
<b>Morning Tea:</b>	Graeme Couch	Denise Soltau Helen Hastings	
<b>Godly Play</b>		<i>School holidays</i>	
<b>- Story Teller:</b>			
<b>- Door person:</b>			
<b>Crèche:</b>		<i>School holidays</i>	

### ORDINARY SUNDAY 17 – 24 JULY 2011

	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>
<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Val White June Bennett Glen Kinging	Denise Soltau Warwick Romanis Tony Johnson	Graeme Couch
<b>Readers:</b>	Margaret Winters Neil Ewer	Warwick Romanis Barbara Emmett	
<b>Intercessor:</b>	Alma Ondevilla	Denise Soltau	
<b>Chalice:</b>	Robyn Couch Glen Kinging	Valda Ashover Warwick Romanis	
<b>Servers:</b>	Jill Knox Brian Butler Alma Ondevilla	Debby Roberts Adam Roberts Michael Roberts Kathe Swales	Alma Ondevilla Robyn Couch
<b>Morning Tea:</b>	Graeme Couch	Barbara Emmett, Lesley Flood	
<b>Godly Play</b>			
<b>- Story Teller:</b>		Katherine Ward	
<b>- Door person:</b>		Therese Soltau	
<b>Crèche:</b>		Robyn Couch	

<b>Cleaning:</b> Robyn & Graeme Couch	<b>Brass:</b> Mary McDougall	<b>Grounds Maintenance:</b> Mark Ashover
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