



ANGLICAN PARISH ST PETER'S CREMORNE

ADVENT 2 **8 DECEMBER 2019**

WELCOME to St Peter's Church today. I am delighted that you can join us in worship.

If you are a newcomer or visiting, I especially look forward to meeting you and hope that you feel welcome. May I invite you to sign the visitors' book on the back table. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask one of the greeters at the door, or someone in the pew next to you.

A Hearing Loop is available in all of the pews on the left hand side of the church. Toilets are available in the Lower Hall and there is a mobility access toilet in the David Armstrong Room.

I hope you are able to stay and enjoy morning tea after the service.
Tim St Quintin, **Rector**

SERVICES TODAY

7.00AM	EUCCHARIST	
	CELEBRANT	<i>RECTOR</i>
	PREACHER	<i>REV'D DR ED LOANE</i>
9.00AM	SUNG EUCCHARIST	
	CELEBRANT	<i>RECTOR</i>
	PREACHER	<i>REV'D DR ED LOANE</i>
	ORGANIST	<i>GLENN AMER</i>
	CANTOR	<i>GLENN AMER</i>
	SETTING	<i>NASHDOM ABBEY</i>
11.00	CHURCH@11	<i>REV'D DR ED LOANE</i>
2.30PM	BOUGAINVILLEA	<i>RECTOR</i>

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

All stand

PROCESSIONAL HYMN TiS 270

Tune Winchester New

On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry

The Celebrant greets the people with a welcome.

✕ Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins,
Whose mercy endures forever.

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

SENTENCE

The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news. *Mark 1:15*

Let us pray.

**Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

KYRIE ELEISON

Cantor

Kyrie eleison.
Christe eleison.
Kyrie eleison.

Kyrie eleison (*Lord have mercy*)
Christe eleison (*Christ have mercy*)
Kyrie eleison

The musical score is written on two staves in 4/4 time, marked 'Andante'. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a tempo marking of 'Andante' with a '2' indicating a half note. It features a 'Cantor' part and a 'People' part. The lyrics 'Ky - ri - e e - lei - son' are written below the notes. The second staff begins with a '5' indicating a measure rest, followed by 'Cantor:' and 'People:' parts. The lyrics 'Chris - te e - le - i - son' and 'Ky - rie e - lei - son' are written below the notes. The score concludes with a double bar line.

LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE

Celebrant

The Lord of the light comes to save us.

Let us live in his light.

Lord Jesus, Light of the world, John told the people to prepare, for you were very near. As Christmas grows closer day by day, help us to be ready to welcome you now. **Amen.**

The Candle is lit

Cantor sings the Refrain

We light this Advent candle

We light it and we sing

As we look for Jesus' coming

As our Saviour and our King.



All sing the Refrain

Cantor

O one is for the Prophets,
And for the light they bring.
They are candles in the darkness,
All alight for Christ the King.
And two for John the Baptist;
he calls on us to sing:
“O prepare the way for Jesus Christ,
He is coming, Christ the King”.

All repeat Refrain

THE CONFESSION

Senior Server

The Lord Comes, bringing to light things now hidden in darkness, and disclosing the purposes of the heart.

Silence may be kept.

Let us open our hearts and prepare for his coming, confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

Merciful God,
our maker and our judge,
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
and in what we have failed to do:
we have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves;
we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.
**Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in
newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE ABSOLUTION

Celebrant

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: ✠
pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all
goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O Lord Jesus Christ, who at your first coming sent your messenger to
prepare your way before you: grant that the ministers and the stewards of
your mysteries may likewise so prepare and make ready your way by
turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the righteous, that at
your second coming to judge the world we may be found an acceptable
people in your sight; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Please be seated

FIRST READING

A reading from the prophet Isaiah 11:1-10

A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse; from his roots a Branch will
bear fruit. ²The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him – the Spirit of wisdom and
of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of the
knowledge and fear of the LORD –³and he will delight in the fear of
the LORD. He will not judge by what he sees with his eyes, or decide by
what he hears with his ears; ⁴but with righteousness he will judge the
needy, with justice he will give decisions for the poor of the earth. He will
strike the earth with the rod of his mouth; with the breath of his lips he will
slay the wicked. ⁵Righteousness will be his belt and faithfulness the sash

round his waist. ⁶ The wolf will live with the lamb, the leopard will lie down with the goat, the calf and the lion and the yearling together; and a little child will lead them. ⁷ The cow will feed with the bear, their young will lie down together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox. ⁸ The infant will play near the cobra's den, and the young child will put its hand into the viper's nest. ⁹ They will neither harm nor destroy on all my holy mountain, for the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the LORD as the waters cover the sea. ¹⁰ In that day the Root of Jesse will stand as a banner for the peoples; the nations will rally to him, and his resting-place will be glorious.

Hear the Word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

PSALM 72:1-7, 18-21



- 1 Give the king your | judgement • O | God:
and your righteousness to the | son | of a | king,
- 2 That he may judge your | people | rightly:
and the | poor • of the | land with | equity.
- 3 Let the mountains be laden with peace be | cause of • his |
righteousness:
and the hills also with pros | peri • ty | for his | people.
- 4 May he give justice to the poor a | mong the | people:
and rescue the children of the | needy • and | crush • the op |
pressor.
- 5 May he live while the | sun en | dures:
and while the moon gives light through | out all | gener | ations.
- 6 May he come down like rain upon the | new-mown | fields:
and as | showers • that | water • the | earth.
- 7 In his time shall | righteous • ness | flourish:
and abundance of peace till the | moon shall | be no | more.
- 17 Let its ears grow fat like the | grain of | Lebanon:
and its sheaves | thicken • like the | grass • of the | field.



- 18 Let his name | live for | ever:
and en | dure as | long • as the | sun.
- 19 Let all peoples use his | name in | blessing:
and all | nations | call him | blessed.
- 20 Blessed be the Lord God the | God of | Israel:
who a | lone does | great | wonders.
- 21 Blessed be his glorious | name for | ever:
and let the whole earth be filled with his glory | Amen | A | men.

SECOND READING

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans 15:4-13

⁴ For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through the endurance taught in the Scriptures and the encouragement they provide we might have hope. ⁵ May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give you the same attitude of mind toward each other that Christ Jesus had, ⁶ so that with one mind and one voice you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁷ Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God. ⁸ For I tell you that Christ has become a servant of the Jews on behalf of God's truth, so that the promises made to the patriarchs might be confirmed ⁹ and, moreover, that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written: 'Therefore I will praise you among the Gentiles; I will sing the praises of your name.' ¹⁰ Again, it says, 'Rejoice, you Gentiles, with his people.' ¹¹ And again, 'Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles; let all the peoples extol him.' ¹² And again, Isaiah says, 'The Root of Jesse will spring up, one who will arise to rule over the nations; in him the Gentiles will hope.' ¹³ May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Hear the Word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL HYMN*Please stand***TiS 430****Your words to me are life and health***Tune Capel***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION***Cantor*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

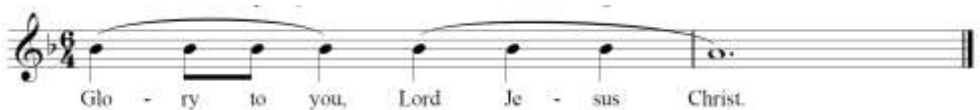
Prepare the way of the Lord make straight his paths; all people shall see the salvation of God.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!*Celebrant*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 3:1-12

Sung ✕ **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

In those days John the Baptist came, preaching in the wilderness of Judea ² and saying, ‘Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.’

³ This is he who was spoken of through the prophet Isaiah: ‘A voice of one calling in the wilderness, “Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him.”’ ⁴ John’s clothes were made of camel’s hair, and he had a leather belt round his waist. His food was locusts and wild honey. ⁵ People went out to him from Jerusalem and all Judea and the whole region of the Jordan.

⁶ Confessing their sins, they were baptised by him in the River Jordan. ⁷ But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming to where he was baptising, he said to them: ‘You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the coming wrath?’ ⁸ Produce fruit in keeping with repentance.

⁹ And do not think you can say to yourselves, “We have Abraham as our father.” I tell you that out of these stones God can raise up children for Abraham. ¹⁰ The axe has been laid to the root of the trees, and every tree that does not produce good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire.

¹¹ ‘I baptise you with water for repentance. But after me comes one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire. ¹² His winnowing fork is in his hand,

and he will clear his threshing-floor, gathering his wheat into the barn and burning up the chaff with unquenchable fire.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. *Sung* **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**



SERMON

Please sit

THE NICENE CREED

Senior Server

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church:

All stand

**We believe in one God, the Father,
the almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance
with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven**

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

**He will come again in glory to judge the living
and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life
who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the
Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has
spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

✠and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Senior Server

Let us pray for the world and for the Church.

All sit/kneel

Periods of silence may be briefly kept for personal prayer.

*Each petition ends with this response: Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.***

Accept our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord who taught us, to pray,

Our Father in heaven,

**hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen**

PREPARATION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

All stand

Celebrant

This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son
as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. *1 John 4:10*

**We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in your manifold and great mercies.**

**We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under
your table.**

But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy.

**Grant us, therefore gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ,
and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him,
and he in us. Amen.**

THE GREETING OF PEACE

All stand

Celebrant

We are the body of Christ.

His Spirit is with us.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

All may exchange a sign of peace with a handshake and greeting, "Peace be with you".

OFFERTORY HYMN

TiS 650

Brother, sister, let me serve you

Tune Servant Song

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Celebrant

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation. Through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom.

Blessed be God forever.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.



Celebrant

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator, everliving God.

We give you thanks and praise for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us.

By his death on the cross and rising to new life, he offered the one true sacrifice for sin and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

We thank you that when he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may with joy behold his appearing, and in confidence stand before him who redeems us from sin and death and makes us heirs of everlasting life.

Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying/singing:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

✕ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.





Merciful God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit, we who eat and drink them may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.

On the night when he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

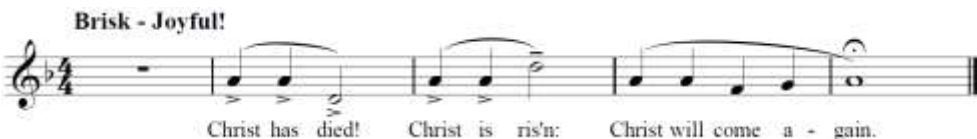
After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Cantor

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith,

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.



Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people, into the joy of the eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of never-ending praise.

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever. Amen.

Allegro vivace

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in treble clef, key of D major (one sharp), and 6/8 time. It begins with a tempo marking 'Allegro vivace'. The first measure is a whole rest, followed by a measure with a '2' above it, indicating a second ending or a specific rhythmic value. The melody starts on a half note 'B' (Bless-ing) and continues with eighth notes for 'and hon - our and glo - ry and pow'r are'. The second line starts with a measure number '5' and continues the melody with eighth notes for 'yours for ev - er and ev - er. A - men, A - men.' The piece ends with a double bar line.

Bless - ing and hon - our and glo - ry and pow'r are
yours for ev - er and ev - er. A - men, A - men.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The celebrant breaks the bread.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. We who are many are one body,

for we all share in the one bread.

AGNUS DEI

**Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world,
grant us your peace, grant us your peace.**

Andante

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in treble clef, key of D major (one sharp), and 4/4 time. It begins with a tempo marking 'Andante'. The melody starts on a half note 'B' (Lamb of God) and continues with quarter notes for 'you take a - way the sin of the world, have mer - cy on us.' The second line starts with a measure number '6' and continues the melody with quarter notes for 'Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world, have mer - cy on us.' The third line starts with a measure number '12' and continues the melody with quarter notes for 'Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world,'. The fourth line starts with a measure number '15' and continues the melody with quarter notes for 'grant us your peace, grant us your peace.' The piece ends with a double bar line.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world, have mer - cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world, have mer - cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world,
grant us your peace, grant us your peace.

INVITATION

Celebrant

The gifts of God for the people of God. Come let us take this holy sacrament of the body and blood of Christ in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

All communicants of other churches are invited to join us in the sharing of Holy Communion. If you are not a communicant we encourage you to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate your desire for a blessing by holding your hands behind your back as you kneel or stand at the Communion Rail.

*The celebrant and other communicants receive the Holy Communion. As the sacrament is received the communicant responds **Amen**.*

The congregation sits or kneels. Silence for prayerful reflection may be kept.

COMMUNION HYMN

TiS 396

Come Holy Spirit, our souls inspire
Tune Veni, Creator Spiritus

SENTENCE

Celebrant

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. *Romans 15:13*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

All stand

God for whom we wait, we thank you that you have fed us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation. As we joyfully await your Son, keep us ever watchful that we may be ready to stand before him on the day of his coming.

Keep us in this hope that we have grasped; so we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise your name.

NOTICES

Please sit

GOD'S BLESSING

All stand

Celebrant

Christ the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you, and make you ready to meet him when he comes in glory; and the blessing of God almighty, ✠ the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

DISMISSAL

Senior Server

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord:

In the name of Christ. Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN TiS 560 All my hope on God is founded
Tune Michael

ORGAN POSTLUDE

As a courtesy to those who remain in the church to listen to the organ voluntary in its entirety, you are encouraged to enjoy conversation and fellowship outside the building. The voluntary is a liturgical musical offering to God.

PARISH BULLETIN

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

We pray for the Anglican Communion, for Justin of Canterbury, Philip our Primate, Glenn our Archbishop, Chris our Bishop and the Northern Region. For the work and witness of the Nippon Sei Ko Kai, the Anglican Church of Japan.

ST PETER'S PARISH AND LOCAL CHURCHES

For our Rector Rev'd Tim St Quintin and our student minister Mak Miyashita, as he completes his studies and looks for a ministry position. For our parish groups and the fellowship they provide. For Rev'd Brett Graham and the clergy and parishioners of Scots Kirk, Mosman.

THE WIDER WORLD AND LOCAL COMMUNITY

For world peace and for all world leaders in their responsibility to those under their care. For our Prime Minister, Leader of the Opposition and all members of Federal Parliament. For good relationships between neighbours, relationships which bind our community together.

OUR PARISHIONERS

John, Neil and Pamela, Kurt, Elizabeth, Thomas, Alessandra, Sophia and Eva, Jenny, Frank and Sue, Max, Diane, Kate, Michael and Anne.

THE SICK

The immediate sick

Laura, Tim, Gordon, Louise, Andy, Richard, Moses, Matthew, Jill, Rev'd Greg, Frank, Nora, Roger, Fred, Bishop Ivan, Sharon, Bobbie Dee, Christine.

Those requiring on-going prayer

Geoff, Joy, Penelope, Lucas, Anne, Elizabeth, Vatche, Martha, Richard, Susan, Di, Noel, Howard, Max, Tom, Claudia, Gigi, Frank, Judith, Jenny, Sally.

Those in residential care

Peter and Patricia, Glenyth, Ros, Jeremy.

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

We praise God for his faithful servants in every age. We pray that we, with all who have died in the faith of Christ, may be brought to a joyful resurrection and the fulfilment of God's eternal kingdom. We remember the recently deceased and those whose anniversary occurs at this time, especially Amelia Turnell.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

DECEMBER 2019

Monday 9	10.00am-11.30am	Discussion Group – DA Room
Tuesday 10	10.00am	Eucharist
Thursday 12	11.00am-3.00pm	St Peter's Patchers – DA Room
Friday 13	Rev'd Tim's day of rest	
	Toys'n'Tucker donations will be collected today	
	7.00pm	Nine Lessons and Carols service
Saturday 14	8.30am	Christmas working bee

FAN INSTALLATION THIS WEEK

The church will be unavailable for private prayer this week as the fans are being installed. There will be scaffolding and workmen in the church. We look forward to experiencing the fans for the first time at our Nine Lessons and Carols service.

NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS



Make a note in your diary of the Nine Lessons and Carols service to take place on **Friday 13 December at 7pm**. A service of Nine Lessons and Carols has nine Bible readings (or lessons) that tell the Christmas story, interspersed with Christmas carols. There will be a celebration supper in the DA room after the carols and parishioners are invited to bring a plate of food of their choice to share.

ST PETER'S DISCUSSION GROUP

The new discussion group, facilitated by Esme Parker, continues this Monday in the David Armstrong room from

10am-11.30am.

CRAFTERS' CHRISTMAS FAIR RESULT



The Crafters held their Christmas Fair last Sunday in aid of the drought affected region surrounding Armidale. The amount raised was \$1877.45 and will be forwarded to Armidale Clergy for direct distribution to farmers in need. A wonderful effort and thanks go to the Crafters for creating the products for sale and for hosting a very successful fair and thanks to all who supported the stall with their purchases.

TOYS 'N' TUCKER

This is the last week to bring donations for the Anglicare Toys'n'Tucker appeal. **Sadly no chocolate** as it is likely to melt. Please leave all donations in the Armstrong Room. They will be collected on **Friday 13 December**.



CHRISTMAS WORKING BEE



A working bee will be held on **Saturday 14 December** from 8.30am to complete a general tidy up to prepare the church and the grounds for Christmas. If you can spare an hour of your time to help it would be greatly appreciated. Morning tea will be served.

CHRISTMAS CAKE AND PRODUCE STALL

This will be held on **Sunday 15 December** with goods for sale after each service. All proceeds to Mission Outreach. (A courtesy notice for those who may be preparing cakes and produce for the stall.



CRAFTERS CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets are \$2 each or a book of 10 tickets for \$20.

1st prize: Christmas hamper

2nd prize: A homemade Christmas cake

3rd prize: a bottle of champagne

All proceeds will go to the Crafters nominated fundraising: for farmers near Armidale suffering in the drought, managed by local clergy. The raffle will be drawn on **Sunday 15 December** at morning tea.



CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CLUB



The holiday club for school age children (from kindergarten to Year 6) will take place from 9.00-3.00pm on **Thursday 19 December** and **Friday 20 December**, with a Christmas theme. Interested families can contact Rev'd Tim on 0401 289 919 or at rector@stpeterscremorne.org.au

MEMORIAL FLOWERS FOR 2020



The 2020 Memorial Flower Calendar is pinned on the noticeboard in the Armstrong Room. We invite you to add the name of the person you would like remembered there, and your name. Payment details are noted on the insert. Thank you for supporting this ministry in the year ahead. The calendar remains on the wall all year for any additions.

JOUBERT SINGERS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Joubert Singers Christmas concert is on today at 2:30pm at the Villa Maria Church, 3 Mary Street, Hunters Hill. Works to be performed include the marvellous *Magnificat* by Pergolesi (Durante); Marc-Antoine Charpentier's charming *Messe de Minuit*; short works by Bruckner and Mozart and some favourite Christmas carols to be sung with the audience, as we celebrate this season of hope and kindness. Tickets are available at the door for \$30/\$25. Afternoon tea will follow.

AN ORGAN RECITAL BY STACEY YANG

Stacey, our former organist, will hold an organ recital at St James' King St as part of their series of lunchtime concerts on Wednesday 11 December at 1pm.



CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT ST PETER'S



Nine Lessons and Carols

7pm Friday 13 December

Christmas Eve

5.30pm Family Service

11pm Solemn Eucharist

Christmas Day

9am Christmas Service with Holy Communion

SUNDAY ROSTERS

	THIS WEEK–8 December Advent 2	NEXT WEEK-15 December Advent 3
Reading 1	Isaiah 11:1-10	Isaiah 35:1-10
Psalm	Psalm 72:1-7,18-21	Song of Mary
Reading 2	Romans 15:4-13	James 5:7-10
Gospel	Matthew 3:1-12	Matthew 11:2-11
	7.00am	7.00am
Sidesperson	Ron	Shirley
Reader	Ron	John
Server	John	John
Chalice	John	John
	9.00am	9.00am
Welcomer	Barbara	Noreen
Sidesperson	Lyn	Jane
	Peter	Kate
Readers	Stefan	Esme
	Caroline	Jane
Intercessor	Esme	Caroline
Senior Server	Makito	Laura
Crucifer	Roy	Roy
Acolytes	Laura	Jane
	Tim	Taylor
Chalice	Makito	Laura
	Barbara	Alison
Thurifer	N/A	N/A
Cantor	Glenn	Glenn
Morning Tea	Alison	Barbara
	Helen	Mary
Counters	John	Laura
	Christine	David
Sacristy Linen	Judy	Kerry
Sacristy Set Up	Roy	John
Flowers	No flowers in Advent	No flowers in Advent

NEXT SUNDAY 15 DECEMBER– ADVENT 3
7.00AM – EUCHARIST 9.00AM – SUNG EUCHARIST
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