



## ANGLICAN PARISH ST PETER'S CREMORNE

### **BAPTISM OF OUR LORD 12 JANUARY 2020**

**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 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.  
Rev'd Michael Kellahan, *Locum*

#### **SERVICES TODAY**

<b>7.00AM</b>	<b>EUCHARIST</b>	
	CELEBRANT & PREACHER	<i>REV'D MICHAEL KELLAHAN</i>
<b>9.00AM</b>	<b>SUNG EUCHARIST</b>	
	CELEBRANT & PREACHER	<i>REV'D MICHAEL KELLAHAN</i>
	ORGANIST	<i>GLENN AMER</i>
	CANTOR	<i>JENNY DAVEY</i>
	SETTING	<i>DUDMAN</i>
<b>11.00AM</b>	<b>CHURCH AT11</b>	<i>MAK MIYASHITA</i>
<b>2.30PM</b>	<b>BOUGAINVILLEA</b>	<i>MAK MIYASHITA</i>



## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

NEH 49

*Tune Epiphany*

**Brightest and best of the sons of the morning**

*The Celebrant greets the people with a welcome*

✕ In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

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

### SENTENCE

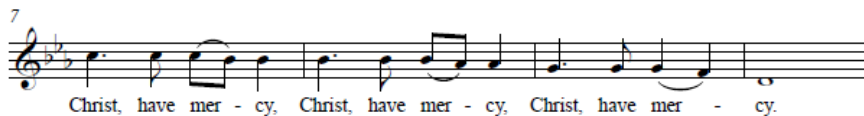
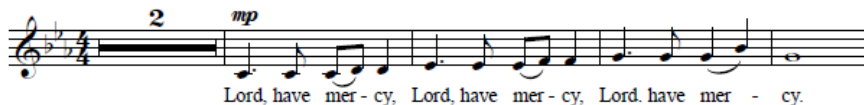
*Celebrant*

<sup>1</sup> Ascribe to the Lord, you heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength. <sup>2</sup> Ascribe to the Lord the glory due to his name; worship the Lord in the splendour of his holiness. *Psalm 29:1-2*

*All* **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

**Lord, have mercy, (Lord have mercy)  
Christ, have mercy, (Christ have mercy)  
Lord, have mercy, (Lord have mercy)**



## THE CONFESSION

*Senior Server*

Christ the Son of God has been revealed as a light to the nations.

*Silence may be kept*

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith confident in God's forgiveness.

**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.**

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**      *(music on following page)*

**Glory to God in the highest,**

**and peace to God's people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,**

**we worship you, we give you thanks,**

**we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only son of the Father,**

**Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:**

**have mercy on us:**

**you are seated at the right hand of the Father:**

**receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,**

**you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,**

**✠ in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

*f*  
Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth. Lord God,

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hea-ven-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we

12  
*mf*  
praise You for Your glo-ry. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther,

18  
Lord God, Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us; You are

24  
seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther re-ceive our prayer. For You a-lone are the

30  
Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord, You a-lone are the Most High,

35  
Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spi-rit, in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther, A-men.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

### *Celebrant*

Gracious God, you chose the virgin Mary, by your grace, to be the mother of our Lord and Saviour: so fill us with your grace, that with her we may rejoice in your salvation, and in all things embrace your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

*Please sit*

## FIRST READING

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah 42:1-9

<sup>1</sup>Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom I delight; I will put my Spirit on him, and he will bring justice to the nations. <sup>2</sup>He will not shout or cry out, or raise his voice in the streets. <sup>3</sup>A bruised reed he will

not break, and a smouldering wick he will not snuff out. In faithfulness he will bring forth justice; <sup>4</sup> he will not falter or be discouraged till he establishes justice on earth. In his teaching the islands will put their hope.’ <sup>5</sup> This is what God the Lord says – the Creator of the heavens, who stretches them out, who spreads out the earth with all that springs from it, who gives breath to its people, and life to those who walk on it: <sup>6</sup> ‘I, the Lord, have called you in righteousness; I will take hold of your hand. I will keep you and will make you to be a covenant for the people and a light for the Gentiles, <sup>7</sup> to open eyes that are blind, to free captives from prison and to release from the dungeon those who sit in darkness. <sup>8</sup> ‘I am the Lord; that is my name! I will not yield my glory to another or my praise to idols. <sup>9</sup> See, the former things have taken place, and new things I declare; before they spring into being I announce them to you.’

Hear the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

### PSALM 29:1–10



- 1 Ascribe to the Lord, you | powers of | heaven;  
ascribe to the | Lord | glory and | strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the Lord the honour | due to his | name;  
worship the | Lord in the | beauty of | holiness.
- 3 The voice of the Lord is upon the waters;  
the God of | glory | thunders;  
the Lord is up | on the | mighty | waters.
- 4 The voice of the Lord is mighty in | oper | ation;  
the voice of the Lord | is a | glorious | voice.
- 5 The voice of the Lord | breaks the | cedar trees;  
the Lord | breaks the | cedars of | Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon | skip like a | calf;  
and Sirion | like a | young wild | ox.

- 7 The voice of the Lord splits the flash of lightning;  
the voice of the Lord | shakes the | wilderness;  
the Lord | shakes the | wilderness of | Kadesh.
- 8 The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe  
and strips the | forests | bare;  
in his | temple | all cry, | 'Glory!'
- 9 The Lord sits enthroned a | bove the | water flood;  
the Lord sits enthroned as | king for | ever | more.
- 10 The Lord shall give | strength to his | people;  
the Lord shall give his | people the | blessing of | peace.

## SECOND READING

A reading from the book of Acts 10:34-43

<sup>34</sup> Then Peter began to speak: 'I now realise how true it is that God does not show favouritism <sup>35</sup> but accepts from every nation the one who fears him and does what is right. <sup>36</sup> You know the message God sent to the people of Israel, announcing the good news of peace through Jesus Christ, who is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup> You know what has happened throughout the province of Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached – <sup>38</sup> how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him. <sup>39</sup> 'We are witnesses of everything he did in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They killed him by hanging him on a cross, <sup>40</sup> but God raised him from the dead on the third day and caused him to be seen. <sup>41</sup> He was not seen by all the people, but by witnesses whom God had already chosen – by us who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup> He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one whom God appointed as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup> All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

Hear the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

**GRADUAL HYMN**  
*All stand*

**NEH 12**

**On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry**  
*Tune Winchester New*

*Remain standing*

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Cantor*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

**Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

The Heavens were opened, and the Father's voice was heard: 'This is My Beloved Son, hear him.'

**Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

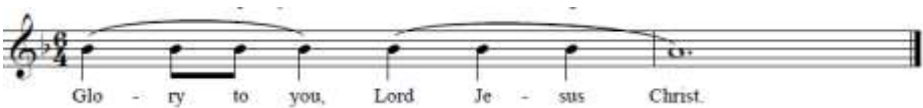
*Celebrant*

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

A reading from the holy gospel according to Matthew 3:13-17

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



<sup>13</sup>Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to be baptised by John. <sup>14</sup>But John tried to deter him, saying, 'I need to be baptised by you, and do you come to me?' <sup>15</sup>Jesus replied, 'Let it be so now; it is proper for us to do this to fulfil all righteousness.' Then John consented. <sup>16</sup>As soon as Jesus was baptised, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. <sup>17</sup>And a voice from heaven said, 'This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased.'

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*

<sup>42</sup> He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one whom God appointed as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup> All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.' *Acts 10:42b-43*

**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

*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

NEH 52

*Tune Was Lebet*

**O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness!**

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

*Remain standing*

*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.**

*Priest*      *People*      *Priest*

The Lord be with you:      And also with you.      Lift up your hearts:

4 *People* We lift — them to the Lord. — *Priest* Let us give thanks to the Lord. our God:

6 *People* 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.

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.**

2 *f* Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,

7 Hea - ven and earth are full of Your Glo - ry, Ho - san - na in the high - est.

11 *mp* Bless - ed is he who comes in the

15 name of the Lord, Ho - san - na in the high - est.

And now, gracious God, we thank you for these gifts of bread and wine, and pray that we who receive them, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, according to our Saviour's word, in remembrance of his suffering and death, may share his body and blood.

On the night before he died, 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.'

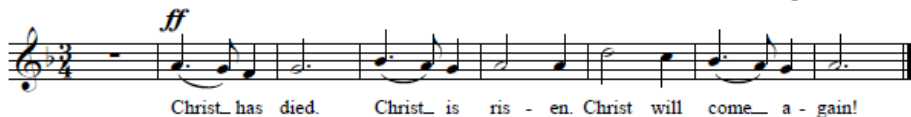
After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

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 with us all your people into the joy of your 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.**



## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE COMMUNION

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

**Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.**

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major, 4/4 time. The first staff begins with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic marking. The lyrics under the first staff are: "Je - sus Lamb of God, have mer - cy on us. Je - sus bear - er of our". The second staff begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic marking. The lyrics under the second staff are: "sins, have mer - cy on us. Je - sus re - deem - er of the world, grant us your peace".

### INVITATION

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.

*The celebrant and communicants receive the Holy Communion.*

*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.*

*As the sacrament is received the communicant responds **Amen.***

### COMMUNION HYMN

NEH 271

**Alleluia, sing to Jesus**  
*Tune Hyfrydol*

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

## SENTENCE

*Celebrant*

<sup>10</sup> The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord is enthroned as King for ever. <sup>11</sup> The Lord gives strength to his people; the Lord blesses his people with peace. *Psalm 29:10-11*

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*All stand*

*Celebrant*

Let us pray.

God of the nations, we thank you for nourishing us with this holy sacrament. Guide us by your presence, that we may bring your light to those who dwell in darkness, and establish your justice in the earth.

**Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.**

## NOTICES

*Please sit*

## GOD'S BLESSING

*Celebrant*

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; 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**

**NEH 484**

**The Church's one foundation**

*Omit verse 3*

*Tune 167, Aurelia*

## 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 Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

### **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 Dr Max Wood and the clergy and parishioners of St Luke's, 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 our firefighters who are facing such challenging conditions as well as all who have lost homes, animals, loved ones and are now facing hardship as a result of the current bushfires.

### **OUR PARISHIONERS**

Michael, Sophie, Janelle, Noreen and Ken, Joy, Noel and Anne, Caroline, Audrey, Lorraine, Ron, Barbara, Frelda and Pamela,

### **THE SICK**

*The immediate sick* Joy, Tim, Louise, Maryanne, Andy, Moses, Matthew, Jill, Rev'd Greg, Frank, Nora, Roger, Fred, Bishop Ivan, Sharon, Bobbie Dee, Christine.

*Those requiring on-going prayer* Geoff, 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 John Bennett, Pamela Berry and Leila Dilley.





## **A prayer for Our Country, in drought and fire.**

Our heavenly Father, creator of all things and especially the creator of this land and its original peoples, we call out to you in these desperate times as we see the first catastrophic fire warnings for New South Wales, as fires have already swept across several parts of our land.

Our hearts cry out to you in desperation for those whose properties are affected by ravaging fires and whose very lives are in danger.

Father we pray, in your mercy, restrain the forces of nature from creating catastrophic damage; in your mercy, protect human life.

Guard those who selflessly step into the breach to fight these fires. Guide police and authorities who help evacuate and shelter those who are displaced. Bring comfort and healing to all who suffer loss.

Remembering that long ago you extended your hand through your servant Moses to stop the waters and then to return the waters to their normal course, so we pray for rain.

In your mercy, we pray for drenching rain.

We pray that despite the forecasts, in your miraculous power you would bring forth rain to quench these fires and to bring life back into the earth, so that crops may grow and farmers may bring forth the harvest of the land again.

We bring these requests before your throne, in the name of your Son, who died and rose again for our deliverance,

Amen.

- *Archbishop Glenn Davies*

**Donations can be made to the Archbishop of Sydney's Bushfire Appeal. Give today at [anglicanaid.org.au](http://anglicanaid.org.au) or phone 9284 1411.**

## SUNDAY ROSTERS

	<b>THIS WEEK- 12 January Baptism of Our Lord</b>	<b>NEXT WEEK-19 January Epiphany 2</b>
Reading 1	Isaiah 42:1-9	Isaiah 49:1-7
Psalm	Psalm 29	Psalm 40:1-14
Reading 2	Acts 10:34-43	1 Corinthians 1:1-9
Gospel	Matthew 3:13-17	John 1:29-42
	<b>7.00am</b>	<b>7.00am</b>
Sidesperson	Shirley	Ron
Reader	John	Ron
Server	John	John
Chalice	John	John
	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>9.00am</b>
Welcomer	Kate	Noreen
Sidesperson	Gill	Barbara
	Lyn	Peter
Readers	Gill	Barbara
	Stefan	Edwina
Intercessor	Caroline	Esme
Senior Server	Roy	Laura
Crucifer	Jane	Roy
Acolytes	Michael	Taylor
	Tim	Jane
Chalice	Roy	Laura
	Stefan	John
Thurifer	N/A	N/A
Cantor	Jenny	Jenny
Morning Tea	Alison	Lyn
	Helen	Jane
Counters	John	Laura
	David	Christine
Sacristy Linen	Kerry	Jane
Sacristy S/Up	Bruce	Caroline
Flowers	Cheryl	Cheryl

***NEXT 12 JANUARY – EPIPHANY 2***

***7.00AM – EUCHARIST 9.00AM – SUNG EUCHARIST***

***CELEBRANT AND PREACHER: REV'D PAUL DUDLEY/BISHOP PETER WATSON***

***11.00 AM – CHURCH AT 11 - MAK MIYASHITA***

