



ANGLICAN PARISH ST PETER'S CREMORNE

THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY 10.30am , 24 JANUARY 2021

WELCOME to St Peter's Church today. I am delighted that we can join together in worship again.

If you are a newcomer or visiting, I especially look forward to meeting you and hope that you feel welcome. 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.

Due to the threat of the Coronavirus, there are necessary restrictions on how we conduct public services. This includes restrictions on congregational singing, and mingling before, during, and after services. These elements will be reintroduced when it is safe to do so.

**With every blessing in Christ,
Tim St Quintin, Rector**

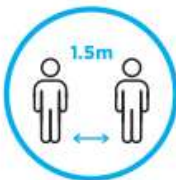
SERVICES TODAY

7.00AM	EUCARIST	
	CELEBRANT & PREACHER	<i>RECTOR</i>
9.00AM	EUCARIST	
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10.30AM	SERVICE WITH MODERN LITURGY	
	CELEBRANT & PREACHER	<i>RECTOR</i>
	ORGANIST, DIRECTOR OF MUSIC	<i>GLENN AMER</i>



We have a COVID-19 Safety Plan and are committed to keeping you safe.

- Please do stay at home if you are at all unwell. Anyone with cold or flu-like symptoms, even if very mild, should get a COVID-19 test as soon as possible. We are not able to admit people who are unwell to the service.
- If you have been in contact with someone who has or suspected of having COVID-19, or have been at a COVID19 hotspot, you must not attend church until you have been cleared of the virus.
- Hand sanitizer is available on entry to the church building and your attendance and contact details will be recorded for tracing purposes. If you have a smartphone, the NSW government also recommends the COVIDSafe app to support contact tracing if required.
- 1.5m physical distancing is required during the service. Please be aware of physical distancing before and after the service as well, and as you greet one another.



**Physical
distancing**



**Hygiene and
cleaning**



**Record
keeping**

DRAWING NEAR TO GOD

Please note: under NSW Government regulations the congregation must remain seated throughout the service.

WELCOME

PSALM 62:5-12

- ⁵ Yes, my soul, find rest in God;
my hope comes from him.
- ⁶ **Truly he is my rock and my salvation;
he is my fortress, I shall not be shaken.**
- ⁷ My salvation and my honour depend on God;
he is my mighty rock, my refuge.
- ⁸ **Trust in him at all times, you people;
pour out your hearts to him, for God is our refuge.**
- ⁹ Surely the lowborn are but a breath, the highborn are but a lie.
If weighed on a balance, they are nothing; together they are only a breath.
- ¹⁰ **Do not trust in extortion or put vain hope in stolen goods;
though your riches increase, do not set your heart on them.**
- ¹¹ One thing God has spoken, two things I have heard:
‘Power belongs to you, God,
- ¹² **and with you, Lord, is unfailing love’;
and, ‘You reward everyone according to what they have done.’**

CONFESSION

We are the people of God, but Scripture reminds us that we still sin. We need to confess our failures, knowing that the Lord Jesus intercedes for us with the Father, who freely forgives us, through his infinite goodness and mercy.

So let us draw near to God with sincerity and confidence, and pray together:

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have gone our own way,
not loving you as we should,
nor loving others as much as ourselves.**

**We have sinned against you
in thought, word and deed
and in what we have failed to do.
Only you can save us.
Father, forgive us.**

**Help us to love you and all people,
and to live for your honour and glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

God desires that no one should perish, but that all should turn to Christ, and live. In response to his call we acknowledge our sins. God pardons those who humbly repent and truly believe the gospel. Therefore we have peace with God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

THE GREETING OF PEACE

"Therefore, since we have been made right in God's sight by faith, we live at peace with God because of what Jesus Christ our Lord has done for us."
Romans 5:1

And so, the peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

THANKSGIVING

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good:
His steadfast love endures forever!

Celebration Box

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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**

HYMN

Please note: under NSW Government regulations the congregation is not permitted to sing.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church:

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ,

**God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.**

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

**the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Thank you, Father, for making yourself known to us and showing us the way of salvation through faith in your Son. Teach us through your word and equip us for every good work, for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

A reading from the book of the prophet Jonah 3:1-10

Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time: ²‘Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.’

³Jonah obeyed the word of the LORD and went to Nineveh. Now Nineveh was a very large city; it took three days to go through it. ⁴Jonah began by going a day’s journey into the city, proclaiming, ‘Forty more days and Nineveh will be overthrown.’ ⁵The Ninevites believed God. A fast was proclaimed, and all of them, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth. ⁶When Jonah’s warning reached the king of Nineveh, he rose from his throne, took off his royal robes, covered himself with sackcloth and sat down in the dust. ⁷This is the proclamation he issued in Nineveh: ‘By the decree of the king and his nobles: Do not let people or animals, herds or flocks, taste anything; do not let them eat or drink. ⁸But let people and animals be covered with sackcloth. Let everyone call urgently on God. Let them give up their evil ways and their violence. ⁹Who knows? God may yet relent and with compassion turn from his fierce anger so that we will not perish.’ ¹⁰When God saw what they did and how they turned from their evil ways, he relented and did not bring on them the destruction he had threatened.

This is the Word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT GOSPEL READING

A reading from the holy gospel according to Mark 1:14-20

✠ **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ**

¹⁴After John was put in prison, Jesus went into Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God. ¹⁵‘The time has come,’ he said. ‘The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!’ ¹⁶As Jesus walked beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. ¹⁷‘Come, follow me,’ Jesus said, ‘and I will send you out to fish for people.’ ¹⁸At once they left their nets and followed him. ¹⁹When he had gone a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John in a boat, preparing their nets. ²⁰Without delay he called them, and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men and followed him.

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

SERMON

HYMN

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PRAYING FOR GOD'S WORLD

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

COLLECT FOR AUSTRALIA DAY

We bless you, God of the universe, for this land, for its contrasts of landscape and climate, for its abundance of wealth and opportunity. We bless you for our history, with all its struggles in adversity, its courage and hope. Give us in our diversity tolerance and respect for each other and passionate commitment to justice for all. Bless us so that we might be a blessing to others. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Bountiful God, through your Son you have called us to repent of our sin, to believe the good news, and to celebrate the coming of your kingdom: teach us, like Christ's first apostles, to hear the call to discipleship, and forsaking old ways, to proclaim the gospel of new life to a broken world; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

Be exalted, Lord, above the heavens,
let your glory cover the earth.

Keep our nation under your care,
and guide us in justice and truth.

Let your way be known on earth,
your saving power among all nations.

Send out your light and your truth,
that we may tell of your saving works.

Have mercy on the poor and oppressed.

Hear the cry of those in need.

Hear our prayers, O Lord, **for we put our trust in you.**

ST PETER'S FAMILY NEWS

PRAYER FOR OFFERTORY

Gracious God, all things come from you, and you teach us to be generous with what we have. We pray that our gifts may be wisely used for the ministry of the gospel and the relief of those in need, for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

GOING OUT TO SERVE

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Eternal God and Father, by whose power we are created and by whose love we are redeemed, guide and strengthen us by your Spirit, that we may give ourselves to your service and live this week in love to one another and to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE GRACE

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord:

In the name of Christ. Amen.

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

To request public or private prayer, please email
prayer@stpeterscremorne.org.au

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

We pray for the Anglican Communion, for Justin of Canterbury, Geoffrey our Primate, Glenn our Archbishop, Chris our Bishop and the Northern Region. Pray for the Church of Bangladesh.

ST PETER'S PARISH AND LOCAL CHURCHES

For our Rector Rev'd Tim St Quintin. For our Wardens and Treasurer. Pray for our readers and intercessors. For Fr Philip Linder and the clergy and parishioners of the Catholic Parish of Sydney Harbour North.

THE WIDER WORLD AND LOCAL COMMUNITY

For world peace and for all world leaders in their responsibility to those under their care. For our Governor General, our State Governor, Prime Minister and Premier, and all who have responsibility for government administration. For the volunteers at WIRES who care for sick, injured and orphaned native animals; for the volunteers at the RSPCA who care for abandoned and abused animals and those given up for rehoming; and for all who care for animals every day in our community.

OUR PARISHIONERS

Felda and Pamela, Martyn and Judy, Chris and Michael, Jenny, Virginia, Annie and Peter, Daphne, Cameron, Rachel, Poppy and Monty.

THE SICK

The immediate sick

Noel, Judy, Susan, Barbara, Max, Dan, Roger, Peter, Janne, Pamela, Maryanne.

Those requiring on-going prayer

Peter, Penelope, Margie and Rein, Liz, Caroline, Sharon, Bobbie Dee, Inga, Joy, Elizabeth, Vatche, Richard, Di, Tom, 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 Mary Frecker.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

JANUARY 2021

Tuesday 26	Public holiday – no service today
Friday 29	Rev'd Tim's day of rest

AUSTRALIA DAY - PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NO SERVICE

As this Tuesday will be a public holiday please note the Tuesday 10am Eucharist will not take place this week but will resume from Tuesday 2 February.

PRAYER MEETING FOR THE OUTREACH MINISTRY OF ST PETER'S

Please join us on Monday 1 February as we come before our Heavenly Father in prayer to seek His leading as we reach out with Gospel to our surrounding suburb. This is exciting ministry as we wait upon the Lord and seek his help. We are meeting in the David Armstrong room at 7.30pm for an hour. If you are not used to praying in a small group still come, as you can join in the conclusion of each prayer with an "Amen". All welcome.

KEY DATES FOR THE COMING MONTHS

Monday 1 February – Prayer meeting 7:30pm
Tuesday 16 February – Shrove Tuesday (TBC)
Wednesday 17 February – Ash Wednesday – services 9am, 7pm
Thursday 25 February – Lent Bible Studies begin Thursdays 2pm, 7:30pm
Monday 1 March – Prayer Meeting 7:30pm
Sunday 21 March - Combined service at 9:30am, followed by AGM
Thursday 1 April – Maundy Thursday – 7pm Service
Friday 2 April – Good Friday – 10:30am Family service, 3pm Sung Liturgy

NEXT SUNDAY 31 JANUARY – FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

7.00AM – EUCHARIST

9AM – SUNG EUCHARIST

10.30AM SERVICE WITH MODERN LITURGY (CHILDREN'S PROGRAM IN RECESS)

CELEBRANT & PREACHER: REV'D TIM ST QUINTIN



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