



ST PETER'S
ANGLICAN CHURCH
CREMORNE

**18 January 2026 | 9am
Second Sunday after Epiphany**

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. 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.

I hope you can stay and enjoy morning tea after the service.
Rev Mark Wormell, Acting Rector.

Today's Service

Sung Eucharist

CELEBRANT & PREACHER *REV. MARK WORMELL*

ORGANIST & CANTOR *GLENN AMER*

SETTING *DUDMAN*

Rejoicing Together *In Christ*

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



GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Please stand

Tune: Laudate Dominum

- 1 You servants of God,
your Master proclaim,
and publish abroad
his wonderful name;
the name all-victorious
of Jesus extol:
his kingdom is glorious,
and rules over all.
- 2 Our God rules on high,
almighty to save;
and still he is nigh,
his presence we have;
the great congregation
his triumph shall sing,
ascribing salvation
to Jesus our King.
- 3 Salvation to God,
who sits on the throne!
let all cry aloud,
and honour the Son:
the praises of Jesus
the angels proclaim,
fall down on their faces,
and worship the Lamb.
- 4 Then let us adore,
and give him his right,
all glory and power,
all wisdom and might,
and honour and blessing,
with angels above,
and thanks never-ceasing,
and infinite love.

Charles Wesley, 1707 - 1788

The Celebrant greets the people with a welcome.

✠ Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Blessed be God's Kingdom, now and for ever.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you.

And also with you.

SENTENCE

God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. 1 Corinthians 1.9

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

2 *mp*

Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

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Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy.

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Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

THE CONFESSION

Senior Server

God shows great love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us.

Silence

Let us then confess 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.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Glo-ry to God in the high- est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth. Lord God, hea-ven-ly King, al- might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we
praise You for your glo - ry. Lord Je-sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,
Lord God, Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us; You are
seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. For You a - lone are the
Ho - ly One, You a - lone are the Lord, You a - lone are the Most High
Je - sus Christ with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther, A - men.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God,
whose Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ,
is the light of the world:
may your people,
illumined by your word and sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped,
and obeyed to the ends of the earth;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Please be seated.

THE FIRST READING

A reading from the **book of the Prophet Isaiah 49.1-7**

⁹ Listen to me, you islands; hear this, you distant nations: before I was born the Lord called me; from my mother's womb he has spoken my name. ² He made my mouth like a sharpened sword, in the shadow of his hand he hid me; he made me into a polished arrow and concealed me in his quiver. ³ He said to me, 'You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will display my splendour.' ⁴ But I said, 'I have laboured in vain; I have spent my strength for nothing at all. Yet what is due to me is in the Lord 's hand, and my reward is with my God.' ⁵ And now the Lord says – he who formed me in the womb to be his servant to bring Jacob back to him and gather Israel to himself, for I am honoured in the eyes of the Lord and my God has been my strength – ⁶ he says: 'It is too small a thing for you to be my servant to restore the tribes of Jacob and bring back those of Israel I have kept. I will also make you a light for the Gentiles, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.' ⁷ This is what the Lord says – the Redeemer and Holy One of Israel – to him who was despised and abhorred by the nation, to the servant of rulers: 'Kings will see you and stand up, princes will see and bow down, because of the Lord , who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you.'

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

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GEORGE J. ELVEY



1 I waited patiently | for the | Lord:
and he incl|ined to me • and | heard my | cry.

2 He brought me up from the pit of roaring waters out of the | mire
and | clay:
and set my feet upon a | rock • and made | firm my | foothold.

3 And he has put a new | song • in my | mouth:
even a song of | thanks • giving | to our | God.

4 Many shall | see it • and | fear:
and shall | put their | trust • in the | Lord.

5 Blessèd is the man who has made the | Lord his | hope:
who has not turned to the proud or to those who | wander | in
de|ceit.

6 O Lord my God great are the wonderful things which you have
done and your thoughts which | are to|wards us:
there is none to | be com|pared with | you;

7 Were I to de|clare them • and | speak of them:
they are more than I am | able | to ex|press.

8 Sacrifice and offering you do | not de|sire:
but my | ears • you have | marked • for o|bedience;

9 Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have | not re|quired:
then | said I | lo I | come.

10 In the scroll of the book it is written of me that I should | do your | will:
O my God I long to do it your | law de|lights my | heart.

11 I have declared your righteousness_ in the | great •
congre|gation:
I have not restrained my lips O | Lord_ and | that you | know.

12 I have not hidden your righteousness | in my | heart:
I have spoken of your faithfulness | and of | your sal|vation.

13 I have not hidden your righteousness | in my | heart:
I have spoken of your faithfulness | and of | your sal|vation.

14 O Lord do not withhold your | mercy | from me:
let your loving-kindness_ and your | truth | ever • pre|serve me.

THE SECOND READING

A reading from the **First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians 1.1-9**

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and our brother Sosthenes,² To the church of God in Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be his holy people, together with all those everywhere who call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ – their Lord and ours: ³ Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. ⁴ I always thank my God for you because of his grace given you in Christ Jesus. ⁵ For in him you have been enriched in every way – with all kinds of speech and with all knowledge – ⁶ God thus confirming our testimony about Christ among you. ⁷ Therefore you do not lack any spiritual gift as you eagerly wait for our Lord Jesus Christ to be revealed. ⁸ He will also keep you firm to the end, so that you will be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹ God is faithful, who has called you into fellowship with his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

All stand

Cantor

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

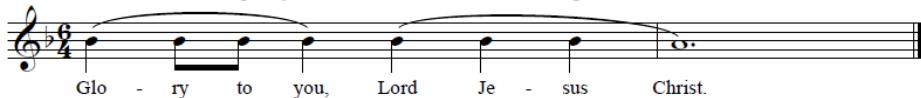
John saw Jesus approach him and said: 'This is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world.'

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **John 1.29-42**



The next day John saw Jesus coming towards him and said, 'Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!' ³⁰ This is the one I meant when I said, "A man who comes after me has surpassed me because he was before me." ³¹ I myself did not know him, but the reason I came baptising with water was that he might be revealed to Israel.' ³² Then John gave this testimony: 'I saw the Spirit come down from heaven as a dove and remain on him. ³³ And I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptise with water told me, "The man on whom you see the Spirit come down and remain is the one who will baptise with the Holy Spirit." ³⁴ I have seen and I testify that this is God's Chosen One.' ³⁵ The next day John was there again with two of his disciples. ³⁶ When he saw Jesus passing by, he said, 'Look, the Lamb of God!' ³⁷ When the two disciples heard him say this, they followed Jesus. ³⁸ Turning round, Jesus saw them following and asked, 'What do you want?' They said, 'Rabbi' (which means 'Teacher'), 'where are you staying?' ³⁹ 'Come,' he replied, 'and you will see.' So they went and saw where he was staying, and they spent that day with him. It was about four in the afternoon. ⁴⁰ Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, was one of the two who heard what John had said and who had followed Jesus. ⁴¹ The first thing Andrew did was to find his brother Simon and tell him, 'We have found the Messiah' (that is, the Christ). ⁴² And he brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, 'You

are Simon son of John. You will be called Cephas' (which, when translated, is Peter).

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



SERMON

Please sit

HYMN

Please stand

Tune: Southwell

- 1 Lord Jesus, think on me,
and purge away my sin;
from earthbound passions set me free,
and make me pure within.
- 2 Lord Jesus, think on me
by care and woe oppressed;
let me your loving servant be,
and taste your promised rest.
- 3 Lord Jesus, think on me,
amid the bitter strife;
through all my pain and misery
become my health and life.
- 4 Lord Jesus, think on me,
nor let me go astray;
through darkness and perplexity
point to the heavenly way.
- 5 Lord Jesus, think on me,
that, when the trial is past,
I may your radiant glory see,
and share your joy at last.

Allen William Chatfield, 1808 - 1896

THE NICENE CREED

Senior Server

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church:

**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.

As Christ has taught us, we 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

Hear the words of assurance for those who truly turn to Christ:

Jesus said: Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Matthew 11.28

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3.16

**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

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 are invited to greet those immediately around them with the words, "Peace be with you" "And also with you".

OFFERTORY HYMN

Tune: Capel

Please stand

- 1 Our God, we know your providence
and love are everywhere,
and wheeling stars, a sparrow's fall,
are equally your care.
- 2 Much more to us of little faith
your power and love extend:
the church is given your Spirit's power,
our loneliness a friend.
- 3 No power on earth can separate
us from the love of God;
and in that love, though parted, we
in union tread his road.
- 4 Those absent from our family
we bring to you in prayer,
that where they are they'll seek and find
a present helper there.
- 5 Through Christ we pray for all we love –
his love is all our might;
increase our faith, confirm our trust,
surround us with your light.

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.

Response: Blessed be God for ever.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The musical notation consists of three staves of music. The first staff (measures 1-3) starts with 'Cantor' singing 'The Lord be with you: And al - so with you. Lift up your hearts:'. The second staff (measures 4-5) starts with 'People' singing 'We lift them to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God:'. The third staff (measures 6-7) starts with 'People' singing 'It is right to give our thanks and praise.'

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

We give you thanks and praise for 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 singing:

2 *f*

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,

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

11 *mp*

Bless - éd is he who comes in the

15 *f*

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

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.

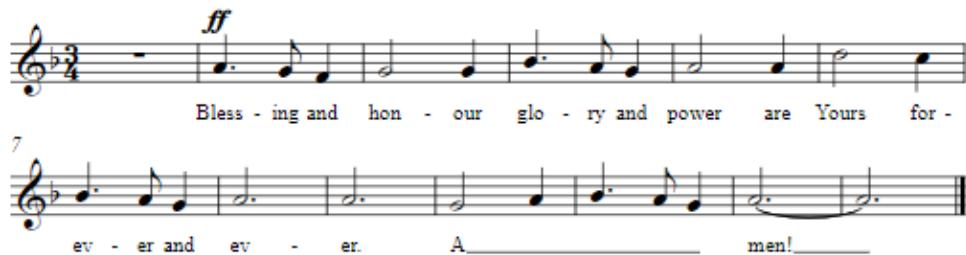
Cantor

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith,

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Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain!

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 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.



Bless - ing and hon - our glo - ry and power are Yours for - .
ev - er and ev - er. 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



Je - sus Lamb of God, have mer - cy on us. Je - sus bear - er of our
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.

As the sacrament is received the communicant responds. Amen.

All baptised Christians who love and serve the Lord Jesus are welcome to join in the sharing of Holy Communion. If you are not yet ready to

receive Communion, we encourage you to come forward for a prayer of blessing. Please indicate your desire for a blessing by holding your hands behind your back.

Alcoholic wine is available in the Common Cup, and both alcoholic and non-alcoholic wine is available in individual cups. If you prefer an individual cup, please take one on your way to the Communion Rail.

After receiving communion, the congregation sits or kneels. Silence for prayerful reflection may be kept.

SENTENCE

The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" John 1:29

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

All stand

Let us pray.

Gracious God, we thank you that in this sacrament you assure us of your goodness and love. Accept our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving and help us grow in love and obedience that we may serve you in the world and finally be brought to that table where all your saints feast with you for ever.

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 be seated

GOD'S BLESSING

Please stand

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.

RECESSATIONAL HYMN

Tune: Ellacombe

- 1 We limit not the truth of God
to our poor reach of mind,
to notions of our day and sect,
crude, partial and confined:
no, let a new and better hope
within our hearts be stirred:
the Lord has yet more light and truth
to break forth from his word.
- 2 Our faithful forebears searching went
the first steps of the way;
this was the dawning, yet to grow
into this perfect day.
And grow it shall, our glorious sun
will brighter rays afford:
the Lord has yet more light and truth
to break forth from his word.
- 3 O Father, Son, and Spirit, send
us increase from above;
enlarge, expand all living souls
to comprehend your love;
and make us all go on to know,
with nobler powers conferred,
that you have yet more light and truth
to break forth from your word.

George Rawson, 1807 - 1889

ORGAN POSTLUDE

The sanctuary party leaves and the congregation sits. As a courtesy to those who remain in the church to listen to the organ postlude in its entirety, you are encouraged to enjoy conversation and fellowship outside the building.

OFFERTORY

On the table at the entrance to the church building there is a basket for financial gifts, and also an electronic card reader to accept donations by credit or debit card.

PARISH BULLETIN

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

FOR GOD'S KINGDOM

Lord our God, giver of all grace, have mercy on your Church throughout the world. Renew its life; restore its unity; sanctify its worship; empower its witness; and make it a fit instrument for the furtherance of Christ's kingdom among all people, to the glory of his great name. Amen.

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

We pray for the Anglican Communion, Bishop Sarah Mullally as she prepares to take up the role as the new Archbishop of Canterbury, Mark Short, Primate of Australia, Kanishka our Archbishop and Bishop Chris and Province of the Anglican Church of Congo.

PRAYERS FOR THE PARISH AND LOCAL CHURCHES

For our Acting Rector Rev'd Mark Wormell. We also pray for the clergy and parishioners at St Luke's, Mosman.

PRAY FOR MINISTRY AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Taldumande Youth Services

PRAYERS FOR THE COMMUNITY

Mayor of North Sydney, Zoe Baker and local Councillors

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

Regions of the world affected by natural disasters: floods, fire, drought, famine, disease.

OUR PARISHIONERS

Anna Reed-Stephenson, Norman Reynolds, David Routley, Gaye Rowley and Andrea Salt.

THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR ONGOING PRAYER

Janne, Pamela, Russ McLean, Bobbie Deal, Val, Giuseppe & Maria, Helen Fordham, and Lynette.

THOSE IN RESIDENTIAL CARE - Fr Robert Alexander, Judy

Chapman, Kathy Moss, Patricia Reuben, Stan Thomas, Anne Blake, Gill Stemp and those who attend our monthly services at Bougainvillea, Neutral Bay and BUPA Mosman.

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.

Today we remember those whose anniversary occurs at this time, and the recently deceased.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

January 2026

Mon 19 Jan	7:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tues 20 Jan	10am	Eucharist & morning tea
	11:15am	Crafters Group – DA Room
	10am	Bible Study – Café Laon
Wed 21 Jan	10am	Men's Bible Study – Parish Meeting Room
	7:30pm	Bible Study at a home in Cremorne
Thurs 22 Jan	11am – 3pm	Patchers – DA Room

PARISH FAREWELL TO REV MARK & KAH LIN

As previously announced, Sunday 1 February will be Rev'd Mark and Kah Lin's last day with us at St Peter's. Everyone is invited to join them for lunch at The Oaks in Neutral Bay from 12 noon.

Thank you!
AND FAREWELL

This is a self-funded occasion. If you are able to come, may we ask you to put your name/s on the sheet at the back of the church to ensure we have enough seats together to welcome you.

Thank you, Wardens.

FAREWELL GIFT FOR REV'D MARK

As announced on Sunday 28 December, an envelope is included with your pew sheet today, should you wish to donate to a gift for Rev'd Mark.

We suggest a cash donation, rather than on line, to make the gifts easier to total at the end of the month.

Envelopes are available today and Sunday 25th.

With thanks, Your Wardens.

CRAFTERS GROUP – FIRST MEETING OF THE YEAR

Crafters will meet on Tuesday 20 January at 11:15am in the DA Room.

We will be doing a stock take from 2025 and forward planning for the year ahead.

All are welcome. Alison Peterson

OFFICE HOURS

The office will be open this week on Tuesday 20 January and Wednesday 21 January. Please note the office will be closed on Thursday 22 January. Thank you.



WELCOME REV BLEACH AND FAMILY 8 FEBRUARY 2026

welcome!

Please join us in welcoming Rev Andy and Tamera Bleach and their children Harvey, Rosemary, Jonty and Daniel

Sunday 8 February at 9:00 am
Commencement Service for New Rector

The Right Reverend Robert Forsyth will conduct the service.

Morning tea will be served afterward in the Memorial Hall.
All Parishioners are warmly invited to this significant Parish Occasion.
Thank you. Wardens.

COMMENCEMENT SERVICE MORNING TEA – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE

Volunteers needed to assist with the morning tea for Rev. Andy Bleach's Commissioning Service on 8th February.

Assistance is needed:

- set up the Memorial Hall on 7th February,
- serving and clean up on the 8th February
- provide some food items for morning tea on 8th February

There are sign up sheets in the back if you are able to help.
If you have any questions please reach out to Anna Reed-Stephenson (reed_stephenson@hotmail.com).



THIRTY NINE ARTICLES – ARTICLE 26

As we continue with our review of the 39 Articles of religion of the Anglican Church, here is article 26. When these were first written 'man' included men and women. If you have any questions, please contact Father Mark.

The Thirty-Nine Articles of Religion

Although in the visible Church the evil be ever mingled with the good, and sometimes the evil have chief authority in the Ministration of the Word and Sacraments, yet forasmuch as they do not the same in their own name, but in Christ's, and do minister by his commission and authority, we may use their Ministry, both in hearing the Word of God, and in the receiving of the Sacraments. Neither is the effect of Christ's ordinance taken away by their wickedness, nor the grace of God's gifts diminished from such as by faith and rightly do receive the Sacraments ministered unto them; which be effectual, because of Christ's institution and promise, although they be ministered by evil men.

Nevertheless it appertaineth to the discipline of the Church, that inquiry be made of evil Ministers, and that they be accused by those that have knowledge of their offences; and finally being found guilty, by just judgement be deposed.

ROSTERS

	This Week 18 January 2026 2nd Sunday after Epiphany	Next Sunday 25 January 2026 3rd Sunday after Epiphany
First Reading	Isaiah 49.1-7	Isaiah 9.1-4
Psalm	Psalm 40.1-14	Psalm 27.1-10
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 1.1-9	1 Corinthians 1.10-18
Gospel	John 1.29-42	Matthew 4.12-25
Preacher	Rev Mark Wormell	Rev Mark Wormell
Celebrant	Rev Mark Wormell	Rev Mark Wormell
Senior Server	Roy Bartlett	John Halford
Crucifer	Laura Mock	Margaret MacNabb
Thurifer		
Acolyte		
Welcomer	Fran Woolley	Margo Watson
Sideperson	Helen Matheson	Peter Watson
Readers	Barbara Gordon Philip Wood	Ruth Cohen Helen Matheson
Intercessor	Cheryl Dunn	Edwina Waddy
Chalice	Margaret MacNabb	Cheryl Dunn
Livestream	Prabhu Boddu	Enzo Macchiavelli
Morning tea	Anna Reed-Stephenson Margaret MacNabb	Barbara Gordon Noreen Bernie
Sacristy Linen	Barbara Gordon	Edwina Waddy

Please join us!

Regular services

Tuesday

10am Eucharist followed by morning tea

Sunday

9am Sung Eucharist, Sunday School followed by morning tea

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