



ST PETER'S
ANGLICAN CHURCH
CREMORNE

12 April 2026 | 9am Second Sunday of Easter

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 Andy Bleach, Rector.

Today's Service

SUNG EUCHARIST
CELEBRANT

REV ANDY BLEACH

PREACHER

BP PETER WATSON

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

Tune: *St Fulbert with Amen*

- 1 Ye choirs of new Jerusalem,
your sweetest notes employ,
the Paschal victory to hymn
in strains of holy joy.
- 2 For Judah's Lion bursts his chains,
crushing the serpent's head;
and cries aloud through death's domains
to wake the imprisoned dead.
- 3 Devouring depths of hell their prey
at his command restore;
his ransomed hosts pursue their way
where Jesus goes before.
- 4 Triumphant in his glory now
to him all power is given;
to him in one communion bow
all saints in earth and heaven.
- 5 While we, his soldiers, praise our King,
his mercy we implore,
within his palace bright to bring
and keep us evermore.
- 6 All glory to the Father be,
all glory to the Son,
all glory, Holy Ghost, to thee,
while endless ages run.

H. J. Gauntlett, 1805 - 1876

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

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. 1 Peter 1.3

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.

7
Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy.

11
Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

THE CONFESSION

Senior Server

Christ our Passover Lamb has been offered for us, therefore we come to celebrate the festival.

Silence may be kept

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, with a sincere and true heart.

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



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Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth. Lord God,
7
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

Almighty and eternal God,
the strength of those who believe
and the hope of those who doubt:
may we, who have not seen, have faith
and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing;
who is alive and reigns with you 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 book of Acts 2.14a; 2.22-32

Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: 'Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. ²² 'Fellow Israelites, listen to this: Jesus of Nazareth was a man accredited by God to you by miracles, wonders and signs, which God did among you through him, as you yourselves know. ²³ This man was handed over to you by God's deliberate plan and foreknowledge; and you, with the help of wicked men, put him to death by nailing him to the cross. ²⁴ But God raised him from the dead, freeing him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him. ²⁵ David said about him: "I saw the Lord always before me. Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken. ²⁶ Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will rest in hope, ²⁷ because you will not abandon me to the realm of the dead, you will not let your holy one see decay. ²⁸ You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence." ²⁹ 'Fellow Israelites, I can tell you confidently that the patriarch David died and was buried, and his tomb is here to this day. ³⁰ But he was a prophet and knew that God had promised him on oath that he would place one of his descendants on his throne. ³¹ Seeing what was to come, he spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, that he was not abandoned to the realm of the dead, nor did his body see decay. ³² God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of it.

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

PSALM 16



- 1 Preserve | me O | God:
for in | you • have I taken | refuge.
- 2 I have said to the Lord | You are | my Lord:
and all my | good de | pends on | you.
- 3 As for those who are held | holy • on the | earth:
the other | gods • in whom | men de | light,
- 4 Though the idols are many that | men run | after:
their offerings of blood I will not offer * nor take their | name up | on
my | lips.
- 5 The Lord is my appointed portion | and my | cup:
you | hold my | lot • in your | hands.
- 6 The share that has fallen to me is in | pleasant | places:
and a fair | land is | my pos | session.
- 7 I will bless the Lord who has | given • me | counsel:
at night also | he • has in | structed • my | heart.
- 8 I have set the Lord | always • be | fore me:
he is at my right | hand • and I | shall not | fall.
- 9 Therefore my heart is glad and my | spirit re | joices:
my flesh | also • shall | rest se | cure.
- 10 For you will not give me over to the | power of | death:
nor suffer your | faithful one • to | see the | Pit.
- †11 You will show me the | path of | life:
in your presence is the fullness of joy * and from your right hand
flow de | lights for | ever | more.

SECOND READING

A reading from 1 Peter 1.1-12

Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, To God's elect, exiles, scattered throughout the provinces of Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia and Bithynia, ² who have been chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through the sanctifying work of the Spirit, to be obedient to Jesus Christ and sprinkled with his blood: Grace and peace be yours in abundance. ³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶ In all this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials. ⁷ These have come so that the proven genuineness of your faith – of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire – may result in praise, glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. ⁸ Though you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and are filled with an inexpressible and glorious joy, ⁹ for you are receiving the end result of your faith, the salvation of your souls. ¹⁰ Concerning this salvation, the prophets, who spoke of the grace that was to come to you, searched intently and with the greatest care, ¹¹ trying to find out the time and circumstances to which the Spirit of Christ in them was pointing when he predicted the sufferings of the Messiah and the glories that would follow. ¹² It was revealed to them that they were not serving themselves but you, when they spoke of the things that have now been told you by those who have preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven. Even angels long to look into these things.

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

All stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cantor

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

You believe in me Thomas, because you have seen me; Happy those who have not seen me, but still believe.

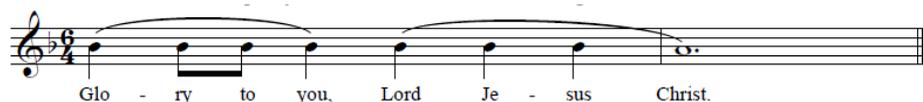
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **John 20.19-31**



On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jewish leaders, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you!' ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Again Jesus said, 'Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.' ²² And with that he breathed on them and said, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive anyone's sins, their sins are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven.' ²⁴ Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord!' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe.' ²⁶ A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you!' ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe.' ²⁸ Thomas said to him, 'My Lord and my God!' ²⁹ Then Jesus told him, 'Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.' ³⁰ Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. ³¹ But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

This is the Gospel of the Lord,



SERMON

Please be seated

HYMN

Tune: Dominus Regit Me

- 1 The King of love my shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am his,
and he is mine for ever.
- 2 Where streams of living water flow,
my ransomed soul he leadeth,
and where the verdant pastures grow,
with food celestial feedeth.
- 3 Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
but yet in love He sought me,
and on his shoulder gently laid,
and home, rejoicing, brought me.
- 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill
with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.
- 5 Thou spread'st a table in my sight;
thy unction grace bestoweth;
and O what transport of delight
from thy pure chalice floweth!
- 6 And so through all the length of days
thy goodness faileth never:
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise
within thy house for ever.

Rev Sir H. W. Baker, 1868

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, 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

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

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

OFFERTORY HYMN

Tune: Church Triumphant

Please stand

- 1 The Lamb's high banquet called to share,
arrayed in garments white and fair,
the Red Sea past, we now would sing
to Jesus our triumphant King.
- 2 Upon the altar of the cross
his Body hath redeemed our loss;
and, tasting of his precious Blood,
our life is hid with him in God.
- 3 Protected in the paschal night
from the destroying angel's might,
in triumph went the ransomed free
from Pharoah's cruel tyranny.
- 4 Now Christ our Passover is slain,
the Lamb of God without a stain;
his flesh, the true unleavened bread,
is freely offered in our stead.
- 5 O all-sufficient Sacrifice,
beneath thee hell defeated lies;
thy captive people are set free,
and endless life restored in thee.

6 We hymn thee rising from the grave,
from death returning, strong to save;
thine own right hand the tyrant chains,
and paradise for man regains.

7 All praise is thine, O risen Lord,
from death to endless life restored;
all praise to God the Father be
and Holy Ghost eternally.

Rev. J. M. Neale

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 score is written on three staves. The first staff is for the Priest, starting with the lyrics 'The Lord be with you: And also with you. Lift up your hearts:'. The second staff is for the People, starting with 'We lift them to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God:'. The third staff is for the People, starting with 'It is right to give our thanks and praise.'.

Priest The Lord be with you: *People* And also with you. *Priest* 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.

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator,
ever living 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 singing:

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 - 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,

ff
 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 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:

ff

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

7

ev - er and ev - er. A _____ men! _____

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

mp

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

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sins, have mer - cy on us. Je - sus re - deem - er of the world, *p* 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.

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

Celebrant

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. 1 Peter 1:3

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.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Tune: Praise, my soul

- 1 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
to his feet thy tribute bring;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
evermore his praises sing:¹
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise the everlasting King.
- 2 Praise him for his grace and favour
to our fathers in distress;
praise him still the same for ever,
slow to chide and swift to bless:
Alleluia, alleluia!
Glorious in his faithfulness.
- 3 Father-like, he tends and spares us;
well our feeble frame he knows;
in his hand he gently bears us,
rescues us from all our foes.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Widely yet his mercy flows.
- 4 Angels, help us to adore him;
ye behold him face to face;
sun and moon, bow down before him,
dwellers all in time and space.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise with us the God of grace.

Rev. H.F. Lyte, 1834

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, Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury, Mark Short, Primate of Australia, Kanishka our Archbishop and Bishop Chris and Anglican Church of Mozambique and Angola.

PRAYERS FOR THE PARISH AND LOCAL CHURCHES

For our Rector Rev'd Andy Bleach .We also pray for the clergy and parishioners at Harbourside Baptist Church, Mosman.

PRAY FOR MINISTRY AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Taldumande Youth Services

PRAYERS FOR THE COMMUNITY

Federal Member for Warringah; Zali Steggall.

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

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

OUR PARISHIONERS

Helen Matheson, Jim McCallum, Ross & Yoshiko McCallum, Fiona McKenzie and Russ McLean.

THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR ONGOING PRAYER

Janne, Pamela, Russ McLean, Bobbie Deal, Val, Giuseppe & Maria, Margie & Rein, Lynette, Sharon and Kate.

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**

APRIL 2026

Tues 14 April	10am	Eucharist & morning tea
	10am	Bible Study – meets at Fresh Cafe
Wed 15 April	10am	Men's Bible Study – Parish Meeting Room
	7:30pm	Bible study at a home in Cremorne

SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday school is on break during the school holidays and will **resume next Sunday 19 April 2026 at 9am.**



HOPE EXPLORED

Explore more about Jesus, and the hope we can have in him at Hope Explored.

Hope Explored is a three-session series about the life, death and resurrection of Jesus that examines his extraordinary claims.



HOPE | EXPLORED

🕒 5-6:30pm

📅 Sundays 3rd, 10th and 17th May

📍 DA Room (29 Waters Road)

St Peter's Anglican Church, Cremorne

To register email info@stpeterscremorne.org.au

THIRTY NINE ARTICLES – ARTICLE 38

As we continue with our review of the 39 Articles of religion of the Anglican Church, here is article 38. When these were first written 'man' included men and women. If you have any questions, please contact Rev Andy.

The Thirty-Nine Articles of Religion

The Riches and Goods of Christians are not common, as touching the right, title, and possession of the same, as certain Anabaptists do falsely boast. Notwithstanding, every man ought, of such things as he possesseth, liberally to give alms to the poor, according to his ability.

YEAR TO DATE OFFERINGS AS AT 28 FEBRUARY 2026

Actual YTD	Budget YTD	Variation YTD
\$16,086	\$21,168	(\$5,082)

So far this year offertories are running below budget. While it is much too early to draw any conclusions, it has not been a promising start to the year. You might recall that the budgeted amount for this year as a whole was set equal to last year's actual offertories. And last year's total was a little less than the year before, which in turn was a little less than the year before that, which in turn was a little less than the year before that. A declining trend is not our friend.

Peter Smith
Treasurer



ORGAN RECITAL BY MK CHUNG

Toward the Light | Organ Concert

Mikyoung (MK) Chung will be performing an Organ Recital including Bach, Mendelssohn and Liszt and all are welcome.

Saturday, 18 April at 2:00 pm

Hunter Baillie Memorial Presbyterian Church,
Corner of Johnston & Collins St, Annandale

There will also be afternoon tea after the recital.

Admission is free.

Donations towards the church will be warmly welcomed.

WEEKLY ROSTERS

	This Week 9am 12 April 2nd Sunday of Easter	Next Week 19 April 3rd Sunday of Easter
First Reading	Acts 2.14a; 2.22-32	Acts 2.14a; 2.36-41
Psalm	Psalm 16	Psalm 116.1-4; 116.11-18
Second Reading	1 Peter 1.1-12	1 Peter 1.13-25
Gospel	John 20.19-31	Luke 24.13-35
Preacher	Rev Andy Bleach	Rev Andy Bleach
Celebrant	Rev Andy Bleach	Rev Andy Bleach
Senior Server	Roy Bartlett	John Halford
Crucifer	Helen Matheson	Gordon Heathcote
Thurifer		
Acolyte		
Welcomer	Barbara Gordon	Lizzie St Quintin
Sideperson	Anna Reed-Stephenson	Graham St Quintin
Readers	Audrey Bradshaw Helen Matheson	Gill Stemp Margaret MacNabb
Intercessor	Edwina Waddy	Cheryl Dunn
Chalice	Alison Peterson	Laura Mock
Livestream	TBD	Enzo Macchiavelli
Morning tea	Barbara Gordon Noreen Bernie	Helen Fordham Margaret MacNabb
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