



**Anglican**  
Church Parish of Taree



**St John**  
**Apostle & Evangelist**  
**9<sup>th</sup> May 2021**


**WELCOME**  
TO THE  
**PARISH**  
OF  
**TAREE**

*Happy Mother's Day*




**Weekly Services**  
**Taree & Old Bar.**

**ST JOHN'S – 294 Victoria St. Taree**

-  **8am - SUNDAY**
-  **4pm - SUNDAY**
-  **10am - WEDNESDAYS**

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA – 18 Hall St. Old Bar**

-  **11am - SUNDAY**

**PLEASE NOTE.....**

**COVID HOTSPOTS** – Please do not attend if you have returned from a confirmed hotspot within the last 14 days.

**SERVICE NUMBERS** - are limited to 100 worshippers at St Johns Taree & 60 at Old Bar.

**HEALTH -**

- ◆ Do not attend if you are feeling unwell.
- ◆ Do not attend if you have been in contact with a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 in the last 14 days.



For further details regarding our COVID-19 safety plan, please visit our Diocesan Website: [newcastleanglican.org.au/corona-virus-response](http://newcastleanglican.org.au/corona-virus-response).

Thank you for your understanding as we implement COVID Safe worship practices.

**PARISH CONTACTS:**

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<b>HALL MANAGERS</b>	Ken Park 0412 138 985	Bruce Walker 6552 1671	
<b>PARISH OFFICE</b>	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9 - 12 midday. Ph: 6551 3849 Email: <a href="mailto:officestjohnstaree@gmail.com">officestjohnstaree@gmail.com</a> . Address: PO Box 377 Taree 2430		



## JOHN, APOSTLE & EVANGELIST

Proverbs 8.22-31; Psalm 97;  
1 John 1.1-5; John 20.2-8

Today the Psalmist tells us that:

*The Lord loves those that hate evil: the Lord guards the life of the faithful, and delivers them from the hand of the ungodly.*

As we know there are many evils in the world – from wage theft to people trafficking, racism to gender-based violence. What evils do you hate?

How can you turn that into action on behalf of God so that the world can be turned into a better place?



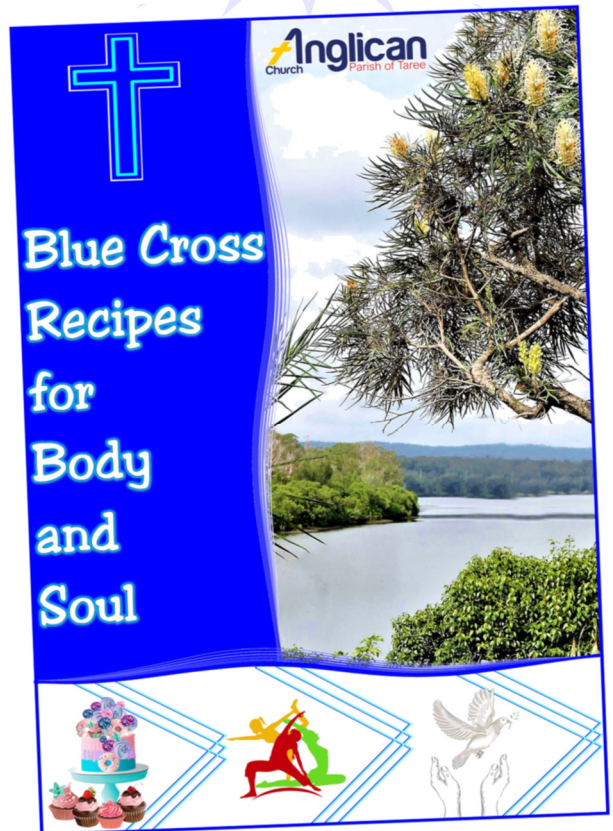
Pray for the discernment to know which of the world's evils to address and how you might go about that in God's name.



Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Myanmar.

Text: Robert McLean ABM's Partnerships Coordinator  
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# NOW AVAILABLE



## \$15 each

A great gift idea for that special person on Mothers Day.



Today Taree's Anglican parish church celebrates our patron saint; John the Apostle & Evangelist or John the Divine, (the word "divine" in this sense means a teacher of the Faith or theologian). Incidentally, the largest cathedral in the world, (the Episcopal, i.e., Anglican Cathedral in New York City) is also under the patronage of Saint John the Divine. So, we are in distinguished company!

St. John was the youngest of the Apostles and hence, in Christian art, is often depicted without a beard to indicate the young age at which he became a follower of Jesus. He was the only one of the 12 Apostles not to be martyred for the Faith. Please remember in your prayers the young people of Manning Valley Anglican College who are preparing to be confirmed in St John's Church on 23rd May, that like our patron saint, they too, may be lifelong followers of Jesus.

Today is also Mother's Day. I am sure we are all deeply grateful to God for the love, care and godly guidance we received from our mothers- I know I certainly am. The ultimate example of motherhood for Christians is the Blessed Virgin Mary. On this day it is fitting that we thank God for the Blessed Virgin Mary and St John, for both stood at the foot of the Cross as Jesus accomplished the redemption of the world.

Greg Anderson

## PRAYERS:

**WORLD:** People & communities affected by violence and conflict, racism & discrimination, oppression, poverty, natural disasters. We pray for those experiencing the impacts of COVID19, for those treating the sick, for those administering vaccination programs.

**CHURCH:** Bishop Peter, Assistant Bps Sonia & Charlie; Alison Dalmazzone, Jemma Hore; Samaritans Foundation - Josephine Snowdon & David Hesketh (Chaplains), The Peninsula Anglican Parish - Michael Davies, Children & Families Worker; Cursillo. Diocese of Canberra and Goulburn (Bps Mark Short, Carol Wagner & Stephen Pickard)

The Church of the Province of Central Africa; The Anglican Church of Tanzania. We pray for our parish in the ways we engage with the community around us in care & relationship.

**COMMUNITY:** For those affected by recent floods and devastation, homelessness, unemployment & those experiencing fear, anxiety, and loss. The Premier & State Cabinet.

**THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS:** Bruce Walker, Shirley Strangwidge, Coralie Rowsell, Duncan Futter, Fr Stuart Benson, Joan Steele, Sue Blunt, Tom Ibbotson, Samantha Entwistle, Valda, Leo Martin, Charlie Harwood, London Grosvenor, Halle, Kate & Jenny.

## PRAYERS FOR DEPARTED:

**ANNIVERSARY:** Gwyneth Brook & Jim Sanderson.



We are hoping to put together some Special Packs that can be given to people that need a helping hand as they move into accommodation.

This program will assist services such as the Taree Women's Refuge, Youth Services, Samaritans Homelessness Services, etc.



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We are looking for Donations of the following –

- ◆ Cleaners:
  - Surface
  - Toilet
  - Bathroom
  - Glass
- ◆ Scrubbing Brush
- ◆ Cleaning Cloths
- ◆ Air Freshener
- ◆ Dustpan & Brushes
- ◆ Dish Washing Liquid
- ◆ Sponges
- ◆ Pegs
- ◆ Peg baskets
- ◆ Fabric Softeners
- ◆ Buckets
- ◆ Washing Powder or Liquid (must be for top or front loader)



We will place a container for Collection of these items in the back of the church and if you require any further information please speak to Fiona Tinney on 02 6552 1310.

Christ Church Cathedral in Newcastle continues to share Morning & Evening Prayer daily as well as the Sunday & Wednesday Eucharist.

Cathedral Services Link - [www.newcastleanglican.org.au/streamed-church-services/](http://www.newcastleanglican.org.au/streamed-church-services/)

# FOR YOUR DIARY

DATE	DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Sunday	9.00am	Pentecost - Confirmation with Bp Charlie
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Tuesday		Melbourne Cup Luncheon
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Saturday		Volunteers Lunch
12 <sup>th</sup> December	Sunday		Lessons & Carols
12 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> December	Sunday to Monday		Festival of Christmas Trees

## READINGS - 16<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2021 – Ascension Day

Acts 1: 1-11; Psalm 93; Ephesians 1: 15-23; Mark 16. 15-20

## READERS

Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> May		Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> May		Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May
8am	4pm	10am	8am	4pm	10am
Ian Woollard	Fr Ivan Ransom	Beryl Fenwick	Doreen Sinclair	Sue Prentice	Beryl Fenwick

## WELCOMERS

Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> May		Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> May		Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May
8am	4pm	10am	8am	4pm	10am
1. Doreen Sinclair 2. Col Rose 3. Fiona Tinney	1. Fiona Tinney	1. Beryl Fenwick 2. Fiona Tinney	1. Colin Rose 2. David Denning 3. Fiona Tinney	1. Fiona Tinney	1. Beryl Fenwick 2. Fiona Tinney

If you can help with these important roles please contact us on – PHONE – 6551 3849  
EMAIL - [officestjohnstaree@gmail.com](mailto:officestjohnstaree@gmail.com)

**The Anglican Parish of Taree works to build Faith & Hope in our community despite the struggles around us. Your help to continue this work is essential so please give what you can.**

Gifts can be offered for the Parish or for Mission in 2 ways:

- ◆ Directly into the appropriate baskets before or after each service OR
- ◆ By Electronic Funds Transfer

Many People are finding that this is an easy, fuss free way to maintain their support.

Donations this way can be easily arranged by speaking to your bank directly or set it up through internet banking.

Bank: Westpac

Branch: Taree NSW

Account Name: St John's  
General Account

BSB: 032-587

Account Number: 120 816

Reference: Parish or  
Mission recipient eg: ABM

***Some give freely  
yet grow all the richer;  
others withhold what is due,  
and only suffer want.  
A generous person  
will be enriched,  
and one who gives  
water will get water.***  
Proverbs 11:24-25



**The Anglican Church of Newcastle takes allegations of misconduct and abuse seriously.**

**We welcome and encourage everyone with concerns to come forward.**

**TO REPORT A CRIME TO NSW POLICE RING 131 444 or RING 000 IN AN EMERGENCY**

**TO CONTACT CHILD PROTECTION HELPLINE RING 132 111 or**

**TO CONTACT THE PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS DIRECTOR PLEASE CALL 1800 774 945**

**WRITE: Director of Professional Standards PO Box 494, Newcastle NSW 2300**

**EMAIL: [dps@newcastleanglican.org.au](mailto:dps@newcastleanglican.org.au)**

**IF YOU NEED IMMEDIATE SUPPORT PLEASE CALL LIFELINE ON 13 11 14**