

St Johns 294 Victoria Street Taree



Our Lady of Fatima 18 Hall Street Old Bar



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# Weekly Services Taree & Old Bar.

ST JOHN'S – 294 Victoria St. Taree

양 8am - SUNDAY 양 양 10am - WEDNESDAYS

💱 4pm - SUNDAY

For Bookings please phone: 0451 677 701 or email: tareepriest@gmail.com

OUR LADY OF FATIMA – 18 Hall St. Old Bar

😏 11am - SUNDAY

For Bookings please Phone: Ian Dimmock - 0425 229 542, Jan Carrington - 6553 7972 or email: tareepriest@gmail.com

#### PLEASE NOTE.....

**BOOKINGS** - Should be made in advance.

**COVID HOTSPOTS** – Please do not attend this site if you have returned from a confirmed hotspot within the last 14 days. **MASKS** - Are available.

**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: <u>newcastleanglican.org.au/ corona-virus-response.</u> Thank you for your understanding as we implement

COVID Safe worship practices.



# Inglican ANNUAL MEETING

We invite all Parishioners to join us for the Annual Meeting @ 2pm on Sunday the 14th of March 2021 in the Latham Centre.

#### Are You on the Parish Electoral Roll?

If you're not sure just grab a form from the back of the church or contact the Parish office (details on front of Pew Sheet).

All reports will need to be submitted by the 2nd of March to the office. We encourage you to consider if you might be called to take on a formal role within your Parish.

Nominations for Positions of Wardens and Parish Council will be open soon.

#### EPIPHANY 5 - SUNDAY 7 FEBRUARY 2021

SAN BOARD OF MISS Isaiah 40.21-31; Psalm 147.1-11;1 Corinthians 9.16-23; Mark 1.29-39 <sup>®</sup> Paul is a chameleon. He is a Jew but is now a follower of Christ. Nonetheless, he is all things for all people. He is like a Jew, one under the law, one outside the law, and the weak. In fact, Paul will turn himself into anything to save souls. And the best part is that salvation is free. The grace of God in Jesus Christ is there in all Jesus' healings and castings out of demons and it costs nothing. In one sense. But in another the cost to us is the call to leave all of this world behind and follow Jesus.

Jesus our friend, we ask that you give us courage to leave our selves behind and follow you, trusting in you and relying on your faithfulness to us that we may be confident to proclaim the good news we have in you.

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# Priest's Ponderings

Simon Peter's wife was Maya, so says Saint Clement of Alexandria (320 AD). The Apostle Paul noted (I Corinthians 9:5) that Peter and his wife traveled together. This was one regular family man.

Among the many anonymous women of the Bible is Maya's Mum.

When the locals get wind of her cure, they scarcely suffer the sun to set on the Sabbath before assembling the sick and stricken to seek therapy through the Messiah.

This wasn't why he was born ! Jesus retreats into the gathering dusk. Where's Jesus ? He's focused on the main game: "The time is right. The Kingdom of Heaven is on hand. Change direction ! Believe the good news."

Even to this day, we follow Jesus on the way of the Cross, protesting: "Why me?"

And he says: "You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit ..."(John 15:16)

Blessings

Fr Ivan

#### **PRAYERS:**

**WORLD:** People and 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 searching for treatments and a cure.

**CHURCH:** Bishop Peter, Assistant Bps Sonia & Charlie; Kevin Wares; CEY Ministries Kate Baker; the Parish of Kincumber - Allan Bate; the Parish of Lakes Anglican Jody Zammit, Annette Shorten – Children & Families Ministry Assistant, The Ministry Team.

Diocese of Brisbane (Abp Phillip Aspinall, Bps Cameron Venables, Jeremy Greaves & John Roundhill).

The Diocese of Guadalcanal (Bp Nathan Tome); The Anglican Church of Burundi, The Anglican Church of the Southern Cone of America.

We pray for our parish in the ways we engage with the community around us in care & relationship.

**COMMUNITY**: For those affected by drought, fire, homelessness, unemployment & those experiencing fear, anxiety, and powerlessness.

We pray for the agencies supporting the vulnerable.

**THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS**: Wendy McKeogh, Duncan Futter, Ron Paff, Fr Stuart Benson, Joan Steele, Sue Blunt, Tom Ibbotson, Samantha Entwhistle, Valda, Leo Martin, Charlie Harwood, London Grosvenor, Halle, Margaret McDonald, Kate & Jenny & Darrin Higson.



#### PRAYERS FOR DEPARTED:

**ANNIVERSARY:** Nancy O'Neill, Rita Wright, Stuart Black, Leslie Hardy & Denice Tisdell.

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

# FOR YOUR DIARY

DATE	DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY		
11 <sup>th</sup> February	Thursday	10am	Mothers Union - Latham Centre		
17 <sup>th</sup> February	Wednesday	10am & 5.30pm	Ash Wednesday Services (St John's)		
17 <sup>th</sup> February	Wednesday	7.30pm	Parish Council		
28 <sup>th</sup> February	Sunday	8am	Bishop Charlie at St Johns, Taree		
		llam	Bp Charlie at Our Lady of Fatima, Old Bar		
5 <sup>th</sup> March	Friday		World day of Prayer		
5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Fri & Sat		Synod in Newcastle		
11 <sup>th</sup> March	Thursday	10am	Mothers Union - Latham Centre (20 <sup>th</sup> Birthday)		
14 <sup>th</sup> March	Sunday	8am, 11am, 4pm	Lent 4 - Mothering Sunday		
	Sunday	2pm	Annual Meeting		
2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Friday		Good Friday		
4 <sup>th</sup> April	Sunday		Easter Sunday		
8 <sup>th</sup> April	Thursday	10am	Mothers Union - Latham Centre		
17 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> May			Clergy Retreat		
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Sunday	9.00am	Pentecost - Confirmation with Bp Charlie		

#### READINGS - 14<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2021 – Transfiguration

2 Kings 2. 1-12; Psalm 50. 1-6; 2 Corinthians 4. 3-12; Mark 2. 2-9

READERS											
,		Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February		Sunday 14th February				Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> February			
8am	4pm	10am		8am		4pm		10am			
Hugh McCrindle	Ken Park	Beryl Fenwick		Doreen Sinclair		Sue Prentice		Beryl Fenwick			
WELCOMERS											
Sunday 7th February			Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February		Sunday 14th February			Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> February			
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If you can help with these important roles please contact us on – EMAIL - <u>officestjohnstaree@gmail.com</u> PHONE – 6551 3849											

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/

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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: <u>dps@newcastleanglican.org.au</u>

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