

# WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF TAREE



## Sunday Services Taree and Old Bar.

<b>ST JOHN'S</b> <b>294 Victoria St. Taree</b>	
	<b>9am - SUNDAY</b>
	<b>4pm - NO SERVICE</b>
<b>OUR LADY OF FATIMA</b> <b>18 Hall St. Old Bar</b>	
	<b>11am - SUNDAY</b>

**NO 4pm service**  
today due to  
concert at St John's  
@ 2pm. \$10



the Manning Valley  
Concert Band  
Community Concert

presents  
**A Little Bit Of...  
EVERYTHING**



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# FOR YOUR DIARY

DATE	DAY	TIME	WHERE	ACTIVITY
18 <sup>th</sup> October	Tuesday	7pm	Latham Centre	Parish Council
27 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday	10am	FLOW Old Bar	Old Bar Morning Tea, Everyone Welcome



## Blue Cross Community Care

Are in URGENT need of: \*Cereal (small box), \*Long Life Full Cream Milk,  
\* Tin Soup preferably with ring pull top, \* Pasta and pasta sauce,  
\* Small boxes of Tea Bags, \* Spreads –peanut butter, vegemite, jam  
\* Biscuits – large crackers, (not small dip biscuits), \*Scotch Fingers and similar,  
\*Small tinned fruit

*Thank you*

\*\*\*\*NO SERVICE AT 9AM SUNDAY 23RD OCTOBER\*\*\*\*  
due to scheduled power outage.

## PP's 16th October

How do you pray to God our Father?

Do we wear down God.



We need to live with the requirements of the covenant given to us. The first parable addresses the temptation to give up hope and to loose heart in the midst of our own troubles and that of the world. It appears to commend praying to God with the kind of persistence displayed by the widow in her dealings with the judge. The parable hardly means to suggest God need to be worn down like the judge. Basically it commends an attitude or trust in God that would motivate such persistence. He gives in, as we read, “And will not God grant justice, so that she may not wear me down by constantly coming”. And the parable continues the theme of prayer but addressed to those who “trusted in their own righteousness and regarded others with contempt”.

The Pharisee prays, yes, but focus should be upon God, this man prayed about and for himself, and unfortunately upon the failing of others.

This parable illustrates Luke’s theme of reversal (v14). It offers comfort to find themselves caught in situations judges sinful – whether in the areas of sexuality or marital involvement, or occupation. Prayer allows God to communicate with us the divine vision of life and reality. Two people come to pray, only one found the hospitality that was there.

*Fr Bill*

# Prayers:

**WORLD:** People & communities affected by violence & conflict, racism & discrimination, oppression, poverty, natural disasters. We pray for those impacted by COVID19. Please pray for the people of Ukraine, Myanmar, Lebanon, the Philippines & Papua New Guinea.

**CHURCH:** Bishop Peter, Assistant Bishops Sonia & Charlie; John Barriga, Alison Dalmazzone; Scone Grammar School - Paul Smart; the Parish of Beresfield Thornton - George Mainprize; the Parish of Branxton, Greta Lochinvar - Amanda Brockwell; Examining Chaplains & discernment of vocations; Diocesan Ordinands Intensive Formation – Di Anderson, Mary Horn, Gail Orchard, Narelle Riley, Kyle Taylor, Toni Wein, Beck Bishop, Maureen Frances, Anthea Haughain, Cheryl Smart; Postulancy – Mike Wilkinson .

The Anglican Episcopal Church in Japan; Orthodox Churches.

Diocese of North West Australia (Bp Gary Nelson)

**COMMUNITY:** For the homeless, and agencies supporting the vulnerable. For those affected by the impacts of COVID 19, floods & other challenges.

**THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS:** Lyn, Dawn, Ted Hill, Don Mortimer, Fr Chris, Poppy, Hugh McCrindle, Norrie Spicer, Tennille, James, Judy Richardson, Les Denning, Anne, Ruth Cheers, John, Jamison, Beryl, Ian, Sue Blunt, Joan, April, Duncan Futter, Alex Platt, Margaret McDonald & Laurie Robertson.

**PRAYERS FOR DEPARTED:** Helen Rintoul & Heather Strangwidge.

**PRAYERS FOR ANNIVERSARIES:** Rodney Tisdell, May McCrindle, Eric Quarmby, John East, Beryl Sawyer, & Sam Lind.

Eternal God,

we give you thanks and praise for the lives of those we love but see no longer.

We thank you for memories and for your strength and comfort.

Be with us and all those who mourn.

Grant that we, with all your saints, may be brought to a joyful resurrection and the fulfilment of your eternal kingdom. Amen.

## PRAYER FOR OUR NEW PRIEST:

All-knowing, and eternal God we thank and praise you that even as we prayed for a pastor to be called to this parish, your immutable providence chose Natalie Quince to come amongst us. Bless and keep her spouse, Jay, and her sons.

Give to her wisdom and discernment as shepherdess of your flock and grant to us, her fellow-servants,

charity and joy in serving Christ Jesus

And to you, our Great God and Saviour

be ascribed all might, honour, wisdom, majesty, dominion, power and glory

in the Church through all ages through Christ our Lord. Amen



## HOLY EUCHARIST READINGS

### SUNDAY 16<sup>th</sup> October – Pentecost 19

Jeremiah 31. 27-34; Psalm 119. 97-104

2 Timothy 3. 10-4.5; Luke 18. 1-14

### SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> October – Pentecost 20

Joel 2. 23-32; Psalm 65

2 Timothy 4. 6-8, 16-18; Luke 18. 15-30

## WELCOMERS

Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> October		Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	
9am	Bruce Walker David Denning		
		4pm	Beryl Fenwick

## READERS

Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> October		Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	
9am	Robert Hicks		
		4pm	Fr Ivan Ransom

## MORNING TEA

Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> October		Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	
	Di Woollard + Ian Woollard		

## HYMNS - 16<sup>th</sup> October

**TIS 154, 703, 653, 658**

# ABM

Anglican Board of Mission - Australia  
Marking for Love, Mercy & Justice

## PENTECOST 19

Jesus tells us of the tax-collector's heart-felt prayer: God, be merciful to me, a sinner. This is the basis of what is known as the Jesus Prayer, and is central to the prayer lives of Orthodox Christians throughout the world. May it be our prayer each day this week.



Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God: be merciful to me, a sinner – The Jesus Prayer, beloved by the Orthodox Church.



Give thanks for the work and witness of the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Anglican Council.

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**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**

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

