

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF TAREE




Mothers' Sunday


and




Sunday Services - Taree & Old Bar.

ST JOHN'S – 294 Victoria St. Taree

 **8am - SUNDAY**

 **4pm - SUNDAY**

OUR LADY OF FATIMA – 18 Hall St. Old Bar

 **11am - SUNDAY**

PLEASE NOTE:

- ◆ People who are ill are encouraged to remain at home.
- ◆ Social distancing and the use of hand sanitiser are encouraged.
- ◆ wearing a mask is a matter of personal choice.
- ◆ QR codes no longer required.

We continue to Pray for those affected by COVID19.

PALM
SUNDAY



10th April
9am

@ St Johns

(One Service Only)

Join the Procession
& start the Holy Week Journey.

We will also be having a farewell luncheon for Fr Peter and Fiona. If you would like to attend please put your name on the list at the back of the church or email the office

officestjohnstaree@gmail.com

PARISH CONTACTS:

THE MINISTRY TEAM	Fr Peter Tinney	Fr Ivan Ransom	Fr Bill Green
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PARISH OFFICE	Phone: 6551 3849 Parish office: 9am - 12 noon Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. (All General enquiries) Email: officestjohnstaree@gmail.com		
HALL MANAGERS	Ken Park - 0412 138 985	Bruce Walker - 0405 697 690	

FOR YOUR DIARY

DATE	DAY	TIME	WHERE	ACTIVITY
6 th April	Wednesday	10am	Latham Centre	The Palm Cross Working Bee
14 th April	Thursday	10am	Latham Centre	Mothers Union
15 th April	Good Friday	9am	St Johns	Good Friday Liturgy
15 th April	Good Friday	10.30am	St Johns	Ecumenical Stations of the Cross



THE PALM CROSS WORKING BEE
6th April Wednesday @ 10am in the Latham Centre

EASTER FUNDRAISING

MARKET STALL



The Stall will run after church leading up to Easter so make sure you check out all of the goodies and we welcome your contributions.

GUESSING COMPETITION

Check out the jar of eggs, drop in your Gold Coin Donation and take a guess.

The person closest to the figure will WIN all of those great eggs.

It will be announced on Palm Sunday -
10th April at the St John's Service.



✚ PP's 27th March

Let's talk about forgiveness!

As Christians we should all strive to forgive and allow ourselves to be forgiven.

You remember those old biblical lessons about turning the other cheek, loving your enemies, forgiving other's trespasses.

BUT sometimes such an easy thing can be so hard to do as we become embraced in the right and wrong of it all. Really at the end of the day love and forgiveness shine a light on our path as we follow Christ.

St Francis of Assisi said – *"It is in pardoning that we are pardoned."*

As we celebrate Mothering Sunday, open your heart and your mind to forgiveness for you and for those around you.

Blessings

Fr Peter

Prayers:

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

CHURCH: Bishop Peter, Assistant Bishops Sonia & Charlie; CEY Ministries; Parish of Muswellbrook - Angela Peverell; Parish of Scone - Jesse Baker, Anyerin Drury; Parish of Singleton - Michelle Hazel-Jawhary & Marianne Reynolds; Ministry Teams; Bush Church Aid Society.

The Province of the Anglican Church of Rwanda.

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: Jamison, John, Beryl, Joan, Bridgit, April, Ian, Sue Blunt, Anne, Duncan Futter, Margaret McDonald, Alex Platt, Samantha Entwistle & Laurie Robertson.

PRAYERS FOR DEPARTED: Annette Dorney.

ANNIVERSARIES: Vi Whaley, Ted Strangwidge, Raymond Ramsay & Phyllis Moore.

CHOOSING AN INCUMBENT: Bountiful God, give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments; an encourager who will equip your people for ministry and enable us to fulfil our calling. Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment and patience, and to us give warm and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen

HOLY WEEK 2022



MONDAY 11th APRIL - HOLY EUCHARIST ♦ 10am @ St Johns Taree

WEDNESDAY 13th APRIL - STATIONS OF THE CROSS ♦ 6pm @ St Johns Taree

**THURSDAY 14th APRIL - HOLY THURSDAY, FOOT WASHING, STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR, PROCESSION TO ALTAR OF REPOSE.
♦ 7pm @ St Johns Taree
- WATCH FROM 8.30PM TILL MIDNIGHT - St Johns Taree**

**FRIDAY 15th APRIL - GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY ♦ 9am @ St Johns Taree
- ECUMENICAL STATIONS OF THE CROSS
♦ 10.30 am @ St Johns Taree & Our Lady of the Holy Rosary
followed by Morning Tea**

**SATURDAY 16th APRIL - BLESSING OF THE NEW FIRE, FIRST MASS OF EASTER, PROCESSION OF THE PASCHAL CANDLE.
♦ 8pm @ St Johns Taree**

**SUNDAY 17th APRIL - EASTER DAY
♦ 8am & 4pm St Johns Taree
♦ 11am Our Lady of Fatima Old Bar**



HOLY EUCHARIST READINGS

SUNDAY 27th March – 4th Sunday in Lent

Joshua 5. 2-12, Psalm 32

2 Corinthians 5. 16-21, Luke 15. 11-32

SUNDAY 3rd April – 5th Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 43. 16-21, Psalm 126

Philippians 3. 3-14, John 12. 1-8

WELCOMERS

Sunday 27 th March		Sunday 3 rd April	
8am	Colin Rose David Denning	8am	Di Woollard Ian Woollard
4pm	Fiona Tinney	4pm	Beryl Fenwick

READERS

Sunday 27 th March		Sunday 3 rd April	
8am	Sandra Langford	8am	Doreen Sinclair
4pm	Ken Park	4pm	Ken Park

HYMNS - 27th March

TIS 141, 217, 233, 687



4th Sunday in Lent

Today we read St Luke's well-known parable of the prodigal son. A younger son does the unthinkable and asks his father for his inheritance well before his death. Once the son possessed his newly gained wherewithal, the money was soon frittered away in the fleshpots of the Gentile world. The son then had to earn some money in order to live. He gained a job as an assistant to some swineherds – the lowest of the low, and hardly a good job for any self-respecting Jew. On coming home, he addressed his father formally and with respect. His father rejoiced, clothed the son in fine clothing and ordered that a feast be held. Meanwhile, on returning from the field, the elder son heard the hubbub and asked a slave what was going on. The answer enraged him and he took his father to task, addressing him without respect or even acknowledging that the prodigal is his brother. The father's answer to the elder son is likely to be regarded as problematic by anyone with a parent who plays favourites.

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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

EMAIL: dps@newcastleanglican.org.au

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

