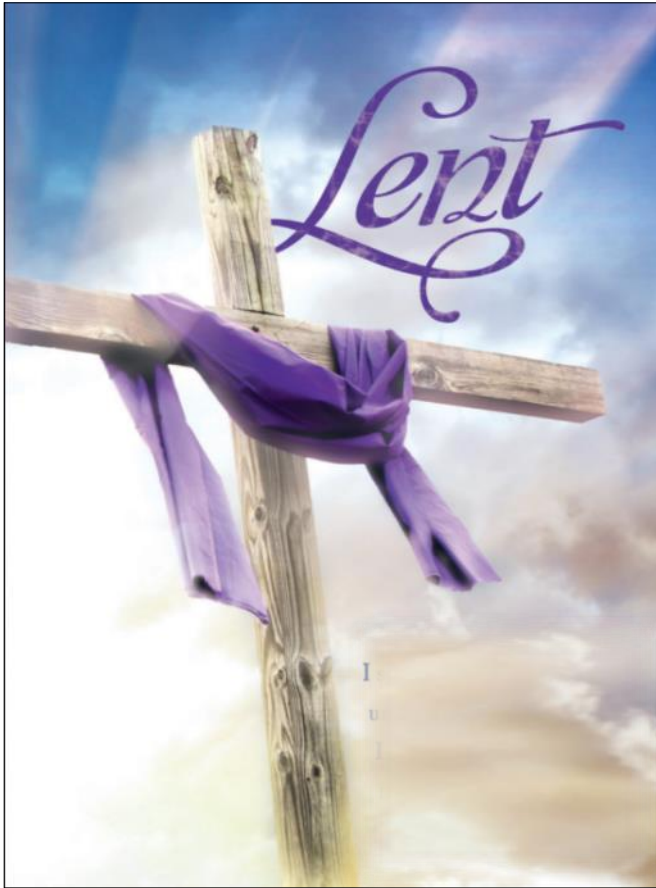


# 1st Sunday in Lent

6<sup>th</sup> March 2022


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# WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF TAREE




## 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.

QR Codes are no longer required and as of the wearing of a mask in a place of worship is a matter of personal choice.

Changes to the greeting of peace and the resumption the common cup will be further considered over the next few weeks.

We pray for all who continue to be impacted by COVID19.

## ANNUAL MEETING

We invite all Parishioners to join us for the Annual Meeting @ 2pm Sunday the 13th of March 2022 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).

We encourage you to consider if you might be called to take on a formal role within your Parish.

Nominations for Positions of Wardens & Parish Council are now open.

### PARISH CONTACTS:

<b>THE MINISTRY TEAM</b>	Fr Peter Tinney	Fr Ivan Ransom	Fr Bill Green
<b>CHURCH WARDENS</b>	Beryl Fenwick - 6551 2036	Colin Rose- 6552 2775	David Denning - 6552 6825
<b>PC SECRETARY</b>	Beryl Fenwick - 6551 2036	<b>TREASURER</b>	Ian Woollard - 0429 902 980
<b>PARISH OFFICE</b>	<b>Phone:</b> 6551 3849 <b>Parish office:</b> 9am - 12 noon Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. (All General enquiries) <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:officestjohnstaree@gmail.com">officestjohnstaree@gmail.com</a>		
<b>HALL MANAGERS</b>	Ken Park - 0412 138 985	Bruce Walker - 0405 697 690	

# FOR YOUR DIARY

DATE	DAY	TIME	WHERE	ACTIVITY
8 <sup>th</sup> March	Tuesday	10am	Latham Centre	Fundraising Committee meeting
10 <sup>th</sup> March	Thursday	10am	Latham Centre	Mothers Union

## LENT STUDY 2022

*"Conversations  
with our awesome God"  
by Bishop Bill Ray*

Book available for \$12.00 each,  
but if that is a problem speak to Fr Peter

- ♦ Latham Centre, St Johns Taree  
@ 11am Mondays 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>,  
28<sup>th</sup> March & 4<sup>th</sup> April.
- ♦ ZOOM @ 7pm Tuesdays 8<sup>th</sup>,  
15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> March & 5<sup>th</sup> April.

Please put your name on the list  
at the back of the church or contact  
Fr Peter

*Join us this Lent & explore your faith.*

*Fr Peter*



## THE PALM CROSS WORKING BEE

6<sup>th</sup> April Wednesday  
@ 10am in the Latham Centre



Can you help in any of  
the following areas?

- ✦ WELCOMING
- ✦ READING
- ✦ BLUE CROSS SHOP - Sorting OR Retail.

Please speak with Fr Peter or one of the  
Wardens. 0451 677 701 or

[tareepriest@gmail.com](mailto:tareepriest@gmail.com)

## ✦ PP's 6th March

The world has no lack of well-meaning people anxious to share advice for a reward. The internet is plagued with "opinion leaders", sometimes well-meaning; oftentimes bearing no responsibility for their loaded counsel. In a clever product placement, our Saviour is advised on how to obtain in succession: commercial advantage, political hegemony and, finally, super-hero powers. Like any "advisor", the Tempter does not have the power to grant any such promise. In each and every case it is the gift of the Eternal Father God, who is in process of setting at nought the powers of this world, by the way of the Cross.

It's not how many people "like" you, that counts. It's not how many "followers" you have. What is the profit in gaining the whole planet and losing your own soul ?

As the Lord contemplated his humanity, like Elijah, the prophet, he saw the Kingdom of God beyond the earthquake, wind and fire, not as a blinding light, but as a still, small voice.

"Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations,  
I will be exalted in the earth!" Psalm 46:10

Blessings

*Fr Ivan*

# Prayers:

**WORLD:** People & communities affected by violence & conflict, racism & discrimination, oppression, poverty, natural disasters. We pray for those experiencing the impacts of COVID19, especially the people of Indonesia & their families here in Australia. Please pray for the people of the Philippines, Myanmar & Papua New Guinea.

*God of peace and justice,  
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.  
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.  
We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,  
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.  
We pray for those with power over war or peace,  
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.  
Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear,  
that you would hold and protect them.  
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen*

**Archbishops Justin Welby & Stephen Cottrell**

**CHURCH:** Bishop Peter, Assistant Bishops Sonia & Charlie; Paula Trood, Mychelle Gumbleton; Scone Grammar - Paul Smart, Anyerin Drury, The Parish of Bateau Bay - Bruce Perry, Kathy Dunstan, The Ministry Team; The Parish of Gosford - Chris Jackson, Jim Innes, Cathleen Inkpin; Anglican Men's Network.

The Episcopal Church of Brazil; The Anglican Church of Southern Africa.

Diocese of Bendigo (Bp Matt Brain).

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

*All things look to you, O Lord,  
to give them their food in due season:  
look in mercy on your people,  
and hear our prayer for those whose lives and possessions  
have been destroyed by flood.  
In your mercy restore your creation and heal our land.  
So guide and bless your people,  
that we may enjoy the fruits of the earth  
and give you thanks with grateful hearts,  
through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen (APBA)*



**THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS:** John, Beryl, Joan, Bridgit, Bruce Moy, April, Ian, Sue Blunt, Anne, Duncan Futter, Margaret McDonald, Alex Platt, Samantha Entwistle & Laurie Robertson.

**PRAYERS FOR DEPARTED:** Vi Bourke, Eric Rollings & Rhonda Ogden.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Maurice Mitchell, Bob Coleman, Dawn Coleman, Dennis Marriott, John Britton, Sally Ritchie, Brian Delaney & Marilyn Kendall.

## HOLY EUCHARIST READINGS

### SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> March – 1st Sunday in Lent

Deuteronomy 26.1-11; Psalm 91.1-2, 9-16;

Romans 10.4-13; Luke 4. 1-16

### SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> March – 2nd Sunday in Lent

Genesis 15. 1-12, 17-18, Psalm 27

Philippians 3. 17 - 4.1, Luke 13. 31-35

## WELCOMERS

Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> March		Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	
8am	Colin Rose David Denning	8am	Ian Woollard Di Woollard
4pm	Fiona Tinney	4pm	Fiona Tinney

## READERS

Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> March		Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	
8am	Margaret Griffis	8am	Ian Woollard
4pm	Ken Park	4pm	Sue Prentice

## HYMNS - 6th March

**TIS 580, 591, 341, 598**

**ABM**  
Anglican Board of Mission - Australia  
Working for Love, Hope & Justice

## 1st Sunday in Lent

Today we read of Christ's Temptation in the Judean wilderness, where he was tempted away from playing his part in God's mission by a Scripture-quoting Satan, before he returned, filled with the Spirit's power, to minister in Galilee. This Lent, may we be on the look out for anything diabolical that keeps us as individuals or as the Church from following Jesus as our role model in playing our part in God's mission.

† Lord, put a lock on my mouth, lest I use Scripture as a weapon against others. Guard my ears against any who would use the Bible as a way of following them, rather than you, the living Way to the Father. May your Spirit help us point others to you this Lent.

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

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

