

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF TAREE



Services @ Taree & Old Bar

ST JOHN'S
 294 Victoria St. Taree

9am - SUNDAY

11am - WEDNESDAY

OUR LADY OF FATIMA
 18 Hall St. Old Bar

11am - SUNDAY

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SOME *trust* IN CHARIOTS
AND SOME IN HORSES,
BUT WE TRUST IN THE NAME OF
the Lord our God.



~Psalm 20:7



Prayers

WORLD: People & communities affected by violence & conflict, racism & discrimination, oppression, poverty, natural disasters. Please pray for President Zelensky, the people of Ukraine, Aung San Suu Kyi & for the detained peoples of Myanmar, Lebanon, the Philippines & Papua New Guinea.

CHURCH: Bishop Peter, Assistant Bishops Sonia & Charlie; John Barriga, Alison Dalmazzone, Tara Cubbin; Scone Grammar School - Paul Smart; Parish of Beresfield Thornton - Peter Rothnie, Gail Orchard; Parish of Branxton, Greta Lochinvar - Amanda Brockwell; Examining Chaplains & Discernment of Vocations, Diocesan Ordinands Vocations to ordained ministry.

The Anglican Episcopal Church in Japan; Orthodox Churches.

Diocese of North West Australia.

COMMUNITY: For the homeless, and agencies supporting the vulnerable. For the victims of abuse and violence. For those affected by the impacts of floods & other challenges. The First Peoples of the Diocese especially the Awabakal, Biripi, Darkinjung, Geawegal, Kamilaroi, Worimi & Wonnarua peoples.

THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS: Marilyn Simpson, Mike Faine, Bill & Jill Green, Suzanne W., Jeanette, Donovan, Leonie, Rose-Marie, Suzanne C., Rosemary, Vera, Wendy McKeogh, James, Jamison, Ian, Fr Ivan & Joan Ransom, Alex Platt & Margaret McDonald.

PRAYERS FOR ANIVERSARIES: Jean Smith, Ronald Drury, Joan Mellon, Elaine Barstow & Melba Saunders.

DIARY DATES

Thurs 27 June	10.00am	Morning Tea @ Village Café	Old Bar
Sun 30 June	9.00am	Service, Parish Meeting and BBQ	St John's
Tue 2 July	3.15pm	Blue Cross Shop Leaders Meeting	Shop
Thurs 11 July	10.00am	Mothers Union	Latham Centre

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SENTENCE:

In Christ, God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. 2 Corinthians 5.19

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

**Almighty God,
without you we are unable to please you:
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

FIRST READING

1 Samuel 15.34-16.13

A reading from the first book of Samuel

³⁴Then Samuel went to Ramah; and Saul went up to his house in Gibeath of Saul. ³⁵Samuel did not see Saul again until the day of his death, but Samuel grieved over Saul. And the Lord was sorry that he had made Saul king over Israel. ¹ The Lord said to Samuel, 'How long will you grieve over Saul? I have rejected him from being king over Israel. Fill your horn with oil and set out; I will send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, for I have provided for myself a king among his sons.' ² Samuel said, 'How can I go? If Saul hears of it, he will kill me.' And the Lord said, 'Take a heifer with you, and say, "I have come to sacrifice to the Lord ."' ³ Invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will show you what you shall do; and you shall anoint for me the one whom I name to you.' ⁴ Samuel did what the Lord commanded, and came to Bethlehem. The elders of the city came to meet him trembling, and said, 'Do you come peaceably?' ⁵ He said, 'Peaceably; I have come to sacrifice to the Lord ; sanctify yourselves and come with me to the sacrifice.' And he sanctified Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice. ⁶ When they came, he looked on Eliab and thought, 'Surely the Lord 's anointed is now before the Lord .' ⁷ But the Lord said to Samuel, 'Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for the Lord does not see as mortals see; they look on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart.' ⁸ Then Jesse called Abinadab, and made him pass before Samuel. He said, 'Neither has the Lord chosen

this one.' ⁹Then Jesse made Shammah pass by. And he said, 'Neither has the Lord chosen this one.' ¹⁰ Jesse made seven of his sons pass before Samuel, and Samuel said to Jesse, 'The Lord has not chosen any of these.' ¹¹ Samuel said to Jesse, 'Are all your sons here?' And he said, 'There remains yet the youngest, but he is keeping the sheep.' And Samuel said to Jesse, 'Send and bring him; for we will not sit down until he comes here.' ¹² He sent and brought him in. Now he was ruddy, and had beautiful eyes, and was handsome. The Lord said, 'Rise and anoint him; for this is the one.' ¹³Then Samuel took the horn of oil, and anointed him in the presence of his brothers; and the spirit of the Lord came mightily upon David from that day forward. Samuel then set out and went to Ramah.

Hear the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 20

- 1 May the Lord hear you in the day of trouble:
the God of Jacob lift you up to safety.
- 2 May he send you his help from the sanctuary:
and be your strong support from Zion.
- 3 May he remember all your offerings:
and accept with favour your burnt sacrifices,
- 4 Grant you your heart's desire:
and fulfil all your purposes.
- 5 May we also rejoice in your victory
and triumph in the name of our God:
the Lord perform all your petitions.
- 6 Now I know that the Lord will save his anointed:
**that he will answer him from his holy heaven
with the victorious strength of his right hand.**
- 7 Some put their trust in chariots and some in horses:
but we will trust in the name of the Lord our God.
- 8 They are brought down and fallen:
but we are made strong and stand upright.
- 9 O Lord, save the king:
and hear us when we call upon you.

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 5.6-10, 5.14-17

A reading from Paul's Second letter to the Corinthians

⁶ So we are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord— ⁷ for we walk by faith, not by sight. ⁸ Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. ⁹ So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. ¹⁰ For all of us must appear before the judgement seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil. ¹⁴ For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. ¹⁵ And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. ¹⁶ From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. ¹⁷ So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

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Gospel

Mark 4.26-34

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according Mark
Chapter 4 commencing at verse 26.

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

²⁶ He also said, 'The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, ²⁷ and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. ²⁸ The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. ²⁹ But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come.' ³⁰ He also said, 'With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? ³¹ It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; ³² yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.' ³³ With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; ³⁴ he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



Sunday 30 June 2024

Combined Service

followed by

Parish meeting &

BBQ Lunch

FLAME TREE COMMUNITY MARKET

3RD SUNDAY EACH MONTH

ST JOHNS HALL TAREE

294 VICTORIA ST

April 21st
May 19th
June 16th
July 21st
Aug 18th
Sept 15th
Oct
Nov 17th

Fresh Produce
Clothes Swap
Plants - Flowers
Retro - Vintage
Records - CDs
Recycled goods
No Markets
Lunch - Drinks

Live Local Music - Weaving - Beading - Free Kids Area
Bring a chair or rug - Support Fresh Local Produce

Clean donations wanted for the
Clothes & Small Items Swap Table
Text Paula 0411 202 822



New Service Times

As part of our journey to try to reach more people in our community we are going to rearrange our service times to make space to trial a new service for youth and families.

From the week beginning 27 May 2024 (next week) we will conduct the following weekly services:

- ◆ **9.00am Sunday Taree**
Traditional Holy Communion Service
- ◆ **11.00am Sunday Old Bar**
Traditional Holy Communion Service
- ◆ **11.00am Wednesday Taree**
Holy Communion Service

From Sunday 28 July 2024 (beginning of next school term) we will add one further service:

- ◆ **5.00pm Sunday Taree**
Contemporary Family Service

Thank you to everyone for being willing to embrace these new arrangements.

Please be praying for the new services.

HOLY EUCHARIST READINGS

SUNDAY 16th June - Pentecost 4

1 Samuel 15. 13—16.13; Psalm 20

2 Corinthians 5. 6-10; 14-17; Mark 4. 26-34

SUNDAY 23rd June - Pentecost 5

1 Samuel 17. 32-49; Psalm 9. 9-20

2 Corinthians 6. 1-13; Mark 4. 35-41

WELCOMERS

Sunday 16 th June		Sunday 23 rd June	
9am	Doreen Sinclair Col Rose	9am	David Denning Bruce Walker

READERS

Sunday 16 th June		Sunday 23 rd June	
9am	Margaret Griffis	9am	Keith Mascord

MORNING TEA

Sunday 16 th June		Sunday 23 rd June	
Kylie Sanderson + David Denning		Margaret + Les Griffis	

BRASS CLEANING for June

Pat Minto



FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

St Mark tells begins to tell us about the parables Jesus used to talk about the kingdom of God. We see that the kingdom is mysterious in that growth happens because of complex and unseen forces. Growth is organic rather than programmatic. The kingdom begins in a very small-scale way, but flourishes with the right kind of care.

- ✦ What small-scale can I do this week to begin something that may eventually flourish for the sake of the kingdom of God?
- ✦ Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of South-East Asia.

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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: Anglican Parish of Taree
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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