



# THE BRIDGE



ANGLICAN PARISH OF OCEAN GROVE & BARWON HEADS

Our Mission Statement 'To know Christ, and Make Christ known'

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## Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 7th, 2018

### Next week's services:

SUNDAY: 8.00am and 9.30 am St Peter's, 11.00am All Saints'

WEDNESDAY: 10am St Peter's

### TODAY'S READINGS

1 <sup>st</sup> READING	Job 1:1,2:1-10
PSALM	Psalm 26
2 <sup>nd</sup> READING	Hebrews 1:1- 4, 2:5 -12
GOSPEL	Mark 10:2-16

*Shall we accept good  
from God, and not  
trouble?*

Job 2: 10b

## NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Job 23:1-9,16-17, Psalm 22:1-5, Hebrews 4:12-16, Mark 10:17-31

## Daily readings this week:

Monday	Psalm 89:1-18	Haggai 1:1-11	Matt 11:1-11
Tuesday	Psalm 89:39-53	Haggai 1:12- 2:9	Matt 11:12-24
Wednesday	Psalms 92 & 93	Haggai 2:10-23	Matt 11:25-12:8
Thursday	Psalms 95 & 96	Zechariah 1:1-17	Matt 12:9-21
Friday	Psalms 99 & 100	Zechariah 1:18-2:13	Matt 12:22-37
Saturday	Psalms 101 & 102:1-11	Zechariah 3:1-4:7	Matt 12:38-50



## **The Vicar's Voice**

### **Confirmation**

If you would like to be confirmed when our new bishop, The Right Rev'd Kate Prowd, visits us on Sunday January 27<sup>th</sup>, please contact me as soon as possible.

This will also be a wonderful opportunity for us to welcome Kate to our parish, bless any people who wish to renew their baptism promises, and to receive any who wish to become Anglicans. If you would like to take advantage of this opportunity, please speak to me soon also.

## **OCTOBER PRAYER FOCUS**

*Please pray for all leaders in our parish, that each may be filled and equipped by the Holy Spirit for their ministry. Please pray especially for our wardens and parish council as we prepare for our annual meeting and the election of our new parish council for 2019.*



*St Peter's Fair:* Saturday November 10<sup>th</sup>

**Bob and Gaye have returned from their child minding duties in Adelaide and are now fully into Fair mode.**

**If you have any ideas or concerns re the Fair please speak to Bob or Gaye. Remember to keep making those jams and potting up those plants.**



## **ANNUAL REPORTS ARE DUE**

**Please submit your report for our annual meeting by emailing it to the parish office as a Word Document by Sunday October 21<sup>st</sup>.**

Supporting Bellarine Schools Ministry  
MOVIE NIGHT - "The Promise"  
at The Wave Church Sat 27th Oct 7pm

The OP SHOP is open Wednesday,  
Friday & Saturday from 9am -1pm

What's on this week?

HEARTS & CRAFTS  
KYB  
PRAYER MINISTRY  
JIGSAW LIBRARY  
PLAY GROUP  
LABYRINTH

Monday  
Monday  
Tuesday  
Wed & Sat  
Thursday  
Thursday  
Friday

St Peter's  
at Dorothy Mueller's  
St Peter's  
All Saints'  
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All Saints'

10am – 1pm  
10am  
9.30 – 11.45am  
10am  
10am-12pm  
12-5pm  
9am-1pm

PARISH DINNER \* \*

Friday \* \*

St Peter's Hall \* \* 6pm \* \* \* \* \*

PRAYER MEETING

Saturday

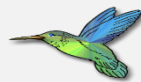
St Peter's 8.45-9.45am

Coming up

**JILL'S COLLATION AS ARCHDEACON**

is at St Paul's Cathedral at Evensong at 5:10 pm this Thursday October 11<sup>th</sup>.  
All are welcome to come along and support Jill.

Blessing of the animals  
All Saints' NEXT SUNDAY 11am



**ALL SAINTS' DAY** Sunday October 28<sup>th</sup>  
Parish Service 10am at All Saints'



**Take a Seat .....**

*Remember, it is perfectly acceptable to sit down during the service if you become uncomfortable.*

**PRAYER FOR OUR FRIENDS:**

For the healing of body, mind and spirit....

Wendy Hudson, Deb Podbury, Win O'Brien, Alison Boyd, Glenys Russell, Faye Bermingham, Pat Brady, Bella, Catherine Fane, Joy Chellew, Betty Boyd, Anna Carey-Nicholson, Gayee Minotti, Beryl Slocombe snr, Jim Wilson  
....and also for our members in residential care....

Hilda Clyne, Shirley Dodgshun, Lesley Duncan, Doris Gordon, Marion Hodgson, Kaye Middlehurst, Alva Searle, Anne Shady, Jean Wadey, Beth Ward, Philip Burgess, Tom Runnals.

**(Please let the prayer team know about additions and subtractions for our prayer list, so we can keep it up to date.)**



## TODAY

Barwon Heads Uniting Church celebrates its 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary and Christ Church Geelong its 175<sup>th</sup>. We give thanks for these reminders of God's faithfulness to God's people in our local area.

### The October issue of *The Melbourne Anglican (TMA)* is now available

- Is Prime Minister Scott Morrison, a professed Christian, out of step with biblical values? Dr George Browning, a former Bishop of Canberra and Goulburn, reflects;
- A #KidsOffNauru coalition of 230 church, refugee and human rights organisations is calling on the Government to remove all asylum-seeker children from Nauru by 20 November; and Claire Rogers, CEO of World Vision writes a viewpoint in which she says that Australia's incarceration of innocent children on Nauru is a test of our national character;
- On being gay and Christian: two Anglicans reflect;
- Reports on a recent conference in Melbourne which has called on Australia's Churches to urgently reform in the wake of the Royal Commission
- A report on the Anglican Future Conference, held in Melbourne last month;
- An interview with Fr Rod Bower – well known for speaking out on several divisive social justice issues – about his new book *Outspoken*;
- An interview with renowned New Testament Scholar Professor Tom Wright who warns the West faces catastrophe unless it reconnects with its ancient Judaeo-Christian roots;
- Anglican Overseas Aid celebrates its 30<sup>th</sup> birthday with a 4-page supplement;
- The Diocese of Melbourne gives a four-page overview of its Vision and Directions 2018-2025.

## WELCOME TO VISITORS:

If you are visiting today we warmly welcome you and invite you to join us at the communion table, if that is your normal practice.

## Coffee or tea anyone??

Please stay and enjoy refreshments – or just friendly conversation  
- after our service.



## Home Communion:

Please contact Jill Poole if you're unable to get to church  
and would like communion brought to you at home.

*We worship on the traditional lands of the Wathaurong People of the Kulin Nation,  
and we acknowledge and pay our respect to their elders past and present,  
and to Aboriginal people with us today.*