



THE BRIDGE



ANGLICAN PARISH OF OCEAN GROVE & BARWON HEADS

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

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Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

October 21st, 2018

Next week's services:

SUNDAY: 8am St Peter's: 10am **COMBINED SERVICE** All Saints'

WEDNESDAY: 10am St Peter's

TODAY'S READINGS

1 st READING	Job 38:1-7, 34-41
PSALM	Psalms 104:1-10, 26
2 nd READING	Hebrews 5:1-10
GOSPEL	Mark 10:32-45

*Praise the Lord
O my soul*

Psalms 104

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Isaiah 25:6-9, Psalm 24, Revelation 21:1-6a, John 11-32-44

Daily readings this week:

Monday	Psalm 118:1-18	Ezra 6:16-7:10	Matt 15:1-20
Tuesday	Psalms 124;125;126	Ezra 7:11-28	Matt 15:21-39
Wednesday	Psalms 13;131;133	Ezra 8: 15-36	Matt 16:1-12
Thursday	Psalm 135	Ezra 9	Matt 16:13-28
Friday	Psalms 137:1-6;138	Ezra 10:1-19	Matt 17:1-13
Saturday	Psalm 140	Nehemiah:1-2:8	Matt 17:14-27

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.



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, Catherine Fane, Joy Chellew, Betty Boyd, Bella, Gayee Minotti, Beryl Slocombe snr, Jim Wilson, Kathy Donaghey, Tom Wells.

....and for our members in residential care....

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

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

REFLECTION:

Jesus teaches the disciples a lesson through the question posed to him by Zebedee's sons. They want to be seated next to him when he comes into his glory. Jesus' response is that those seats are reserved 'for those for whom it has been prepared'. Greatness, he says, comes from service to others: 'Whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all'.

Pray that we can stop jostling for position and follow our Servant King by helping others whenever we are able.

Pray for the Anglican Church of Australia, giving thanks for all that is done in the twenty-three dioceses of our Church to further God's mission in the world.

Text: *The Rev Laurette Glasgow,.*

What's on this week?

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

HEARTS & CRAFT	<u>Monday</u>	St Peter's	10am – 1pm
KYB	<u>Monday</u>	at Dot Mueller's	10am
PRAYER MINISTRY	<u>Tuesday</u>	St Peter's	9.30 – 11.45am
PLAY GROUP	<u>Tuesday</u>	St Peter's	10-11.30am
	<u>Thursday</u>	All Saints'	10am-12pm
KNOW WHAT YOU BELIEVE	<u>Tues</u>	St Peter's @ 7.30pm	<u>Thurs</u> All Saints' @ 2pm
JIGSAW LIBRARY	<u>Wed & Sat</u>	All Saints'	10am-12pm
LABYRINTH	<u>Thurs & Fri</u>	All Saints'	12-5pm Thurs & 9-1pm Fri
PRAYER MEETING	<u>Saturday</u>	St Peter's	8.45-9.45am
CRAFTERS' STALL	<u>Saturday</u>	All Saints'	10am – 12pm
		All kinds of beads, sequins, crafty things.....	
ANNUAL REPORTS DUE	TODAY		



Coming up

FILM NIGHT AT THE WAVE IN SUPPORT OF BELLARINE SCHOOLS MINISTRY

"The Promise"

SATURDAY OCTOBER 27TH AT 7PM

Please consider attending this film night as this is an outreach to local schools, supported and run by us and other local churches. See the noticeboard.

#ALL SAINTS' DAY COMBINED SERVICE at ALL SAINTS Sunday October 28TH 10am.

#PARISH ANNUAL MEETING St Peter's after 10am service Sunday Nov 25th

#The next WEDNESDAY NIGHT WORSHIP (Search the Spirit) will be on

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 31ST 7.30pm at St Peter's, instead of the following week.

AFTERNOON TEA – GEELONG CHRISTIAN UNION SAT 27TH. Check the noticeboard.

COMBINED CHURCH SERVICE Church by The Bay Nov 11th 7pm Jill McCoy will be preaching



St Peter's Fair: Saturday November 10th

Thanks for everything you are all doing for the Fair; we know you are going to be baking, potting, collecting and encouraging everyone you know to come.

Di Daniels is again producing beautiful hampers to raffle at the Fair. She would love donations of Christmas type food items for the hamper, but you can also give her money to buy things. This can be given to Di or Frasers or put in a labelled envelop and placed in the collection plate. If you have any questions regarding the Fair don't hesitate to call Frasers but use the mobile number (0427 552 376) as we are often out.

Annual meeting Matters

Electoral roll revision

In the lead-up to the Annual meeting on Nov 25th, we are required to revise our electoral roll. This is not the same as the Parish Directory. It is a list of those entitled to vote at meetings, and you need to apply, if you wish to be included! Please check the list posted on the board, and, if you want to be added, fill in the application form at the back of the church

Review closes 10th Nov.

Nominations for Parish Councillors, Wardens and Incumbency Committee.

Nomination forms for parish council members, wardens and the parish representative on the incumbency committee are available at the back of the church. Nominations close on November 21st.



The Vicar's Voice

I would like to remind you that Bishop Kate will be visiting us in January.

If you would like to be confirmed, renew your confirmation commitment or be officially received into the Anglican community please contact me.

I am encouraged by the fact that several people have already contacted me about this opportunity.

THANKYOU

Tom and Judy Wells would like their church family to know how much they have appreciated everybody's prayers and support during the past weeks.

And a note from Anna... "I would like to express my thanks to my church family for their support, understanding and prayers during the past four months. To know you care has been a great comfort. Blessings" Anna Carey-Nicholson

WELCOME TO VISITORS:

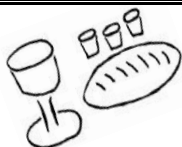
If you are visiting today we warmly welcome you and invite you to join us at the communion table, if that is your normal practice.

Please ask for gluten free wafers or fruit juice either at the door of All Saints', or at the communion table at St Peter's.



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.