

12 OCTOBER 2014 NEWS & COMING EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY

If you are new to the parish or visiting Welcome. Please accept this invitation to stay and join in with us for fellowship and a chat outside after the service, where tea and coffee will be served.

- Tuesday 14 October: 8.50am – Guild Meeting – Maheno Room
- Tuesday 14 October: 10.00am – Hoy/morning tea – Maheno Room - \$5
- Thursday 16 October: 9.30am - Mahjong with Barbara—Church
- Friday 17 October: 10.00am—Eucharist
- Saturday 18 October: 9.00am—McCaul/Senaweera Wedding
- Sunday 19 October: 7.30am—Sung Eucharist (Guest speaker from Gideons International)
- Sunday 19 October: 9.00am—Family Eucharist
- Sunday 2 November: 8.30am—The welcoming of Bishop Alison to bless the restored organ, new font, and Pascal Candle stand.

Cake and Book Stall: (A major fundraiser for the Parish).

Our next Cake and book stall is on Sunday 26th October. If you are unable to bake we are happy to have donations of flour, lemons, sugar etc delivered to the church! Thanks.

St. John's Guild:

St. John's Guild meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month in the Maheno Room. The meeting starts at 8.50am and discusses events, functions the guild have been asked to cater, and organising raffles. The monies raised from these activities are then distributed to various charities, decided by the guild.

After their meeting at 10.00am they run a Hoy Morning for many of the shut ins in the area, and anyone else who would like to join. Hoy is a card game, similar to bingo, and you are provided with cards and instructions on how to play. Prizes are given to the winners & losers, and a lovely morning tea is also provided. Cost is only \$5.

Due to ill health and the death of some of the members, there is a need to increase the number of guild members. If you would like to join this band of Christian ladies, please contact the Church office 33991508, or Peg Gladstone 3217 9589.

Children's Church

Children's Church happens each Sunday in term-time, during the 9:00 service. If you are visiting or here for the first time, your children are very welcome to join us. We meet in two groups:

Children's Church – for children in Year One to Year Seven

Little Children's Church – for children aged 3-years to Prep, younger children also welcome to attend with a parent.

Knitting Circle

The knitting circle meets once a month in the Maheno room, knitting squares that are then joined and made into rugs. They are also at present knitting Poppies, which will combine with other organisations to have 5000 Poppies which will go to the project. Between 2014 and 2018 Australia will commemorate the Anzac Centenary, marking 100 years since Australia's involvement in the First World War. And in 2015, there will be a large number of activities commemorating 100 years since the Anzac Gallipoli landing, and the 5000 Poppies project is one of these. Anyone wishing to join this lovely group of ladies and do some knitting or anyone wanting to learn to knit, contact the parish office on (07) 3399 1508.

Father John on Holidays:

Father John is on holidays until October 23rd. If you require a Priest during this time please contact Reverend Ceri Wynne on 0412 397 475 or Reverend Martyn Hope on 0418 177 785. Reverend Dianne will be officiating at the services.

NEXT WEEKS READINGS

Nineteenth Sunday after the Pentecost
Sunday 19 October 2013
Exodus 33.12-23
Psalm 99
1 Thessalonians 1.1-10
Matthew 22.15-33

Rostered Duties	7.30am	9.00am
L.A.'s	Robert Bland Vanessa Hanlon	Howard Greaver Sarah Davies
Readers	Ann Winfield Magaret Salter	Linda Mitchell Michael Smit
Intercessor	Michael O'Kearney	
Door	Graydon Clarke Lionel Rowe	Laurie Thomson Roy Family
Tea / Coffee	June Parker Pam Ganly	Dianne Coffey
Offertory Counter	Michael O'Kearney Margaret O'Kearney	Sarah Davies Allan Thomson
Children's Church	Sandra/Lyn	
Little Children's Church	Dorothy/Kylie	
Flowers	Elaine	