



GOODIES FOR GOODNA

Goodna Parish has updated what they need to best support their local community, so please see if you can donate some of the following items:

Shampoo, deodorant, dishwashing detergent, toilet paper, tissues, kids snacks, UHT milk, or money to purchase eggs on the day the goods are delivered to Goodna. Please **do not** donate the eggs themselves as donations are delivered monthly.



DONATIONS FOR MISSION TO SEAFARERS CHRISTMAS BAGS

Mission to Seafarers Brisbane is again preparing Christmas gift bags for isolated seafarers and would greatly appreciate donations of small items that would be worthy of a Christmas bag gift, or financial donations towards the purchase of these items. Please use the bank details below. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible and a receipt will be provided (please add name to the payment for receipts).

Mission to Seafarers Brisbane
BSB: 704 901 Account: 0000 3660
Contact Captain Ross Nicholls on
0408 189 519 or presmtsbrisbane@gmail.com
for further details.



REFERENDUM DAY CAKE STALL AND SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Our most heartiest thanks to all involved in planning, stocking, and running the Cake stall and Sausage sizzle yesterday whilst the referendum polling booth was in our Maheno Room. It's such an important fundraising ministry for the parish. We could not have done it without you. Well done all of you!

15th October 2023

20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

7.30AM - EUCHARIST

9.00AM - FAMILY EUCHARIST

ST JOHN
THE BAPTIST
— EST. 1888 —
ANGLICAN CHURCH
IN THE HEART OF BULIMBA



COME, SUP WITH GOD - BY LISA ANN MOSS DEGRENNIA

Come, sup with God all you who thirst
All you who hunger be the first
Feast on Christ's Body and his Blood
O taste and see this meal of Love

Come, children, elders, blind, and spent
Come, foolish, able, indigent
Confess, repent, and then receive
Forgiveness flows abundantly

Come often, friend, for here is grace
made manifest in time and place
Christ's mercy floods our brokenness
with healing balm and righteousness
Come to be changed. Come to be fed.
Come savor Christ, the Life, the Bread.
Drink deep the gift of healing poured
and leave a vessel of our Lord.

Sing Praise to Christ our Host and meal
Whose saving work provides the seal
for us once bound, now freed from death
to live for Christ with every breath

Source: revlisad.com

To arrange direct debit for your regular giving,
please use the account details:
BSB 704 901 Account number 00014573.
Account name Bulimba Anglican Parish

THIS COMING WEEK IN THE PARISH

WEDNESDAY	18th	9.30am	Knitting Circle
FRIDAY	20th	10.00am	Eucharist
SUNDAY	22nd	7.30am	Eucharist Eucharist and Children's Church

ROSTERED DUTIES 22/10	7.30AM	9.00AM
L.A.'S	Roslyn/Felicity	Roland/Charmaine
MUSIC	Robert	Wendy
READERS	June/Felicity	Swanson Family/Mel H
INTERCESSOR	Linda M	Charmaine
MORNING TEA		
WELCOMERS	Allan T/Sue G	Alan S
AUDIO VISUAL	Allan T	Volunteer
FLOWERS Caroline	CHURCH CLEANING Wendy/Sara	

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READINGS AND PRAYERS FOR TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SENTENCE FOR THE DAY:

This is our God for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Isaiah 25.9

THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY:

Saving and healing God, you have promised that those who have died with Christ shall live with him: grant us grace to be continually thankful for all you have done for us, and in that thankfulness to be eager to serve and live for others, so that we and all your children may rejoice in your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

FIRST READING: EXODUS 32. 1-14

LINDA MITCHELL SARAH DAVIES

When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down from the mountain, the people gathered around Aaron and said to him, 'Come, make gods for us, who shall go before us; as for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him.' Aaron said to them, 'Take off the gold rings that are on the ears of your wives, your sons, and your daughters, and bring them to me.' So all the people took off the gold rings from their ears, and brought them to Aaron. He took the gold from them, formed it in a mould, and cast an image of a calf; and they said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!' When Aaron saw this, he built an altar before it; and Aaron made proclamation and said, 'Tomorrow shall be a festival to the Lord.' They rose early the next day, and offered burnt-offerings and brought sacrifices of well-being; and the people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to revel. The Lord said to Moses, 'Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshipped it and sacrificed to it, and said, "These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!"' The Lord said to Moses, 'I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation.' But Moses implored the Lord his God, and said, 'O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, "It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth"? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, "I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it for ever." ' And the Lord changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

PSALM 106.1-6, 20-24

1. Praise the Lord; O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good:
and his mercy endures for ever.
2. **Who can express the mighty acts of the Lord:
or fully voice his praise?**
3. Blessed are those who act according to justice: who at all times do the right.
4. **Remember me, O Lord, when you visit your people with your favour:
and come to me also with your salvation,**

Parish Prayers

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

In The World: -

- ◇ The Anglican Church of Kenya
- ◇ The Diocese of Melbourne: †Philip Freier; Assistant Bishops - †Genieve Blackwell, †Bradly Billings, †Paul Barker, †Kate Prowd; Clergy and People

In The Diocese:

- ◇ The Parish of Everton Park:
- ◇ Oratory of the Good Shepherd
- ◇ St Paul's School, Bald Hills: Leadership Team; Chaplain - Mark Leam; staff & students

Pray for those in need:

Bronwyn, Duncan Family, Kerrie, Douglas, Helena, Roy, Williamson Family, Rev Helen Phillips, Helen, Rev Paul Bland, Joan, Pam, Laurie, Kerry, Dorothy, Gary, Bob, Karen, Eileen, Samantha., Ian, Brian, John S.

5. That I may see the prosperity of your chosen: that I may rejoice with the rejoicing of your people, and exult with those who are your own.
- 6. *We have sinned like our ancestors: we have acted perversely and done wrong.***
20. At Horeb they made themselves a calf:
and bowed down in worship to an image.
- 21. *And so they exchanged the glory of God:
for the likeness of an ox that eats hay.***
22. They forgot God who was their saviour:
that had done such great things in Egypt,
- 23. *Who had worked his wonders in the land of Ham:
and his terrible deeds at the Red Sea.***
24. Therefore he thought to destroy them: had not Moses his servant stood before him in the breach, to turn away his wrath from destroying them.

SECOND READING: PHILIPPIANS 4.1-9 ANN WINFIELD DONOVAN SPARKS

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved. I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 22.1–14

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, "Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet." But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, "The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet." Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests. 'But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, "Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?" And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.'

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Prayer for our new Archbishop Elect Jeremy Greaves

Almighty God, by your Son Jesus Christ you gave many excellent gifts to your apostles, and commanded them to feed your flock. Bless Jeremy now called to be our next Archbishop. So fill him with your truth, and clothe him with holiness, that as a pastor of your Church he may diligently preach your word, and rightly teach your people, to the glory of your name, and the benefit of your Church. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Prayer for our New Rector

Bountiful God, give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments; an encourager who will equip your people for ministry and enable us to fulfil our calling. Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment and patience, and to us give warm and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

In Memory

16th October—22nd October

Joan Valarie Kerr (2013)



International Pregnancy & Infant Loss Awareness Month

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Every year on October 15, around the world people remember and celebrate the little ones held dearly in their hearts, but no longer in their arms.

Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day is observed worldwide on 15 October. It is a special day where families and their supporters remember the little ones gone too soon. Any type of loss is included, including early pregnancy loss, miscarriage, TFMR, Ectopic Pregnancy, Molar pregnancy, chemical pregnancy, stillbirth, neo-natal death, SIDS, SUDI, SUDC, and accidental. No matter the loss, it is a day to remember. We acknowledge the specialness of this day by acknowledging it for the whole month.

On October 15 we take the time to remember the little ones forever in our hearts. Buildings across the country will light up in purple in the evening.

Every year on October 15, around the world, people light a candle at 7 pm (in their time zone) to participate in the Wave of Light to remember and honour their little ones who have died. No matter how far along you were in your pregnancy, you are invited to participate and share your photo of your candle or light by #WaveofLight and #StandingSilent.

For more information or to find support please go to:

www.sands.org.au/pregnancy-and-infant-loss-awareness-month



TRIVIA NIGHT



7.00pm 28th October

It's that time of year again and the social committee are getting a little too excited about upcoming family trivia night! **Teams will consist of tables of 6 people** with platters of snacks to be provided. It would be great to see y'all there for the fun, frivolity, and prizes. We can't forget the prizes! It wouldn't be trivia without prizes! Be there or be square! **Ticket \$20pp or \$100 per table.**

YOU CAN'T LIVE
A FULL LIFE
**ON AN EMPTY
STOMACH.**



"Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet.' But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business" Matt 22:4-

