

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

22ND FEBRUARY 2015

ST PAUL'S: 8 & 10AM

ST DAVID'S 8.30 AM



In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptised by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

Mark 1:9-11

ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, MANUKA
DIOCESE OF CANBERRA & GOULBURN

WELCOME TO ST PAUL'S AND ST DAVID'S CHURCHES

Welcome! On behalf of the clergy and people of St Paul's Church, Manuka and St David's, Red Hill. A large-print version of this bulletin is available from the sidespeople and at St Paul's a hearing loop is installed in the first five rows. *Please silence all phones and pagers for our worship.*

Visitors. If you are visiting, let us know. We encourage you to stay after the service for coffee and fellowship in the Hall.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

8AM - ST PAUL'S

CELEBRANT
The Rev'd Sonia Neville

PREACHER
The Rev'd Susan Bridge

LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
Kay Pendlebury

INTERCESSOR
Kay Pendlebury

READER
Kay Pendlebury

SIDESPEOPLE
Len Goodwin, Les Whaley

BREAKFAST
Pauline Forster

ORGANIST
Susannah Bishop

8.30AM - ST DAVID'S

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The Rev'd John Campbell

PREACHER
The Rev'd John Campbell

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Heather Schmitzer

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MORNING TEA
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ORGANIST
Robert Goodrick

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PREACHER
The Rev'd Susan Bridge

DEACON
The Rev'd Susan Bridge

PRIEST ASSISTING
The Rev'd Hartley Hansford

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Setting at 10am: *Kyrie* (Iver Kleive), *Sanctus* (Jan Sandstrøm), *Agnus Dei* (Thomas Caplin) (sung by the choir)

Gathering in God's Name

HYMN TIS 591

- 1 Forty days and forty nights
you were fasting in the wild,
forty days and forty nights
tempted, and yet undefiled:
- 2 let us your endurance share
and from earthly greed abstain,
with you watching unto prayer,
with you strong to suffer pain
- 3 And if Satan on us press
flesh or spirit to assail,
Victor in the wilderness,
grant we may not faint or fail.
- 4 Keep, O keep us, Saviour dear,
ever constant by your side,
that with you we may appear
at the eternal Eastertide.

Words: George Hunt Smyttan 1822-70 and Francis Pott 1832-1909 *alt.* Tune: *Heinlein*

The service continues on page 119.

SENTENCE (8.30 AM ONLY)

The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news. *Mark 1.15*

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

God of the new and eternal covenant, as the forty days of the great flood swept away the world's corruption and watered new beginnings of righteousness and life: grant to us, who are washed clean and born again in the saving flood of baptism, the wellspring of your grace, that your gift of new life may flourish once again; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

A READING FROM GENESIS 9:8-17

Please be seated

THEN God said to Noah and to his sons with him, 'As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.' God said, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.' God said to Noah, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth.'

thanks be to God.

PSALM 25:1-10 (*Said by the congregation in alternate verses at 8 & 10 am and by all the congregation at 8.30am*)

- 1 In you, O Lord my God, have I put my hope:
in you have I trusted, let me not be ashamed, nor let my enemies triumph over me.
- 2 Let none who wait for you be put to shame:
but let those that break faith be confounded and gain nothing.

- 3 Show me your ways, O Lord:
and teach me your paths.
- 4 **Lead me in the ways of your truth, and teach me:
for you are the God of my salvation.**
- 5 In you have I hoped all the day long:
because of your goodness, O Lord.
- 6 **Call to mind your compassion and your loving-kindness:
for they are from of old.**
- 7 Remember not the sins of my youth, nor my transgressions:
but according to your mercy think on me.
- 8 **Good and upright is the Lord:
therefore will he direct sinners in the way.**
- 9 The meek he will guide in the path of justice:
and teach the humble his ways.
- 10 **All the paths of the Lord are faithful and true:
for those who keep his covenant and his commandments.**

A READING FROM 1 PETER 3:18-22

For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight people, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you – not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

For the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God

HYMN — TIS 684

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| <p>1 Love will be our Lenten calling,
love to shake and shatter sin,
waking every closed, cold spirit,
stirring new life deep within,
till the quickened heart remembers
what our Easter birth can mean.</p> <p>2 Peace will be our Lenten living
as we turn for home again,
longing for the words of pardon,
stripping off old grief and pain,
till we stand, restored and joyful,
with the Church on Easter day.</p> | <p>3 Truth will be our Lenten learning:
hear the Crucified One call!
Shadowed by the Saviour's passion,
images and idols fall,
and, in Easter's holy splendour,
God alone is all in all.</p> |
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (10am only)

Choir: Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.

Congregation: **Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.**

Choir: We do not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

Congregation: **Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.**

THE HOLY GOSPEL — MARK 1:9-15

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

✠Glory to you, ✠Lord Jesus ✠Christ

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praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

THE SERMON - ST PAUL’S - THE REV’D SUSAN BRIDGE

- ST DAVID’S - THE REV’D JOHN CAMPBELL

A brief period of silence is observed for reflection on the sermon.

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THE GREETING OF PEACE - Page 127

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY HYMN — TIS 585 (*During the singing of this hymn, the gifts of bread, wine and money are brought to the altar*)

1 I heard the voice of Jesus say,

‘Come unto me and rest;

**lay down, O weary one, lay down
your head upon my breast.’**

**I came to Jesus as I was,
weary and worn and sad;**

**I found in him a resting-place,
and he has made me glad.**

2 I heard the voice of Jesus say,

‘Behold, I freely give

**the living water; thirsty one,
stoop down and drink and live.’**

**I came to Jesus, and I drank
of that life-giving stream;**

**my thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
and now I live in him.**

3 I heard the voice of Jesus say,
'I am this dark world's light;
look unto me, your morn shall rise,
and all your day be bright.'
I looked to Jesus, and I found
in him my star, my sun;
and in that light of life I'll walk
till travelling days are done

Words: Horatius Bonar 1808-89 *alt.* Tune: *Kingsfold*

OFFERTORY PRAYERS

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING - Page 151 and then page 128

COMMUNION (at 10am: Choir: Rheinberger *Abendlied*)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION - Page 151 and then page 143

BLESSING - Page 151

HYMN — TIS 249

1. No weight of gold or silver
can measure human worth;
no soul secures its ransom
with all the wealth of earth;
no sinners find their freedom
but by the gift unpriced,
the Lamb of God unblemished,
the precious blood of Christ.
2. Our sins, our griefs and troubles,
he bore and made his own;
we hid our faces from him,
rejected and alone.
His wounds are for our healing,
our peace is by his pain:
behold, the Man of Sorrows,
the Lamb for sinners slain.
3. In Christ the past is over,
a new world now begins.
With him we rise to freedom
who saves us from our sins.
We live by faith in Jesus
to make his glory known:
behold, the Man of Sorrows,
the Lamb upon his throne!

Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith 1926- . Tune: *King's Lynn*
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DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

Please remember in your prayers: The Sick: Monica Freeman, Barbara Osborne, Norma Rigby.

The Departed: Bishop Barbara Darling.

To add a name, call or email the parish office. The person's permission is required. Names remain on the prayer list for four Sundays only, unless the parish office is advised otherwise.

Pastoral visits for the sick. Please let the Parish office know if you know of someone who is sick who may appreciate a pastoral visit.

News and Announcements

*To add a notice, email or call the Parish Office by 1.30pm on the **Tuesday** before the notice is to appear.*

We warmly welcome the Norwegian choir KoriAustralia to St Paul's today, and thank them for sharing their music with us. The choir will give a short concert after the 10am service this morning - come back into the church after morning tea. Their visit also coincides with the arrival of the King and Queen of Norway in Canberra today.

Fork & Talk today in St Paul's Hall will commence at 12.30, after the short concert by KoriAustralia. Bring a plate to share. Punch supplied \$15/head, \$40 family. Funds to the Hall Restoration Fund. Please contact Ros Deane for seating: 6288 9018.

Parish meeting. There will be a meeting with the Bishop and consultants regarding the development of the Manuka site in St Paul's Hall on **25th February** at 7pm. You are urged to attend this important meeting.

Discovery Group invites you to join us for morning tea next Wednesday **25th March**. These morning teas are informal occasions held on the last Wednesday of each month. Join members of the congregation from St Paul's and St David's at the Le Rendezvous Café, Manuka Court (between Bougainville St and Palmerston Lane) from 10.30 am. Morning tea follows the 10 o'clock service which you are most welcome to attend.

Walking Group - Our first walk for 2015 will be on Saturday **28th February** from Orroral Camping Ground via side of creek, former tracking station and heritage trail - 15 kms return on good track with manageable undulations. Please bring usual track snack, lunch and some afternoon tea. Please meet at Namadgi Visitor Centre outer carpark at 9am for a 19km drive on sealed road to the Camping Ground. Facilities there and at former tracking station. Leaders Mike & Margaret Roach 6281 6096.

Tapestry/Handicraft Group will meet at the home of Jenny Hodge on Wednesday **4th March** commencing at 2pm. The address is 108/19 State Circle, Forrest, telephone Number 6161 3864.

A date for your diary. Bridge & Mah Jong at St Paul's Hall Thursday **12th March** 10.30 am to 3 pm. \$25/head, morning tea, lunch with a glass of wine provided. Contact Ros Deane 6288 9018 for bookings.

Walking group. Saturday **14th March** - A Ramble to see The Tardis! This walk will be led by Margaret and provide Parishioners and Walkers with an opportunity to see The Tardis, taking a well graded undulating walk to Red Hill. We shall proceed to the Carousel Little Brother Cafe for own expense coffee etc. - thence Tardis and take over 200 steps down to the bottom track. Please meet at the unrestricted car park behind the gym at Deakin Shops for a 10.30 a.m. departure. Please allow 2 hours for the return trip and stop times. RSVP to Margaret & Mike Roach on 62816096 or mrroach.16@bigpond.com by 11th March.

World Day of Prayer. More than 3 million people in over 170 countries join in an ecumenical service on the first Friday in March each year. This year the service will be held at St Paul's Church at 11am on Friday **6th March**. Everyone is welcome. A light lunch will follow the service.

Wanted! Mike Roach is keen to establish the year that our walk group commenced their activity. He thinks it was 1996 or thereabouts, so if you have the information, please advise Mike on 62816096 or email mrroach.16@bigpond.com.

Monday morning walks, from 7.15 am to 8.15 am. Commencing on Monday **16th March**, Kay and Susan will lead a guided reflective walk through the parks around Manuka from 7.15 am to 8.15 am. A walk to still the mind and brighten the body ready for the week ahead. Meet outside the Art Oven bakery, Franklin Street, 7.15 am sharp. Coffee afterward if we feel like it.

Mindfulness on Wednesdays, from 12.30pm to 1.15 pm. Commencing on Wednesday **18th March**, Kay will lead an *An Introduction to Mindfulness*. In these short weekly conversations, we will look at the nature and benefits of mindfulness, and – more importantly – learn some practices to incorporate into daily living that will help us be mindful, aware, more productive and happier. Meet in St Paul’s church hall, 12.30 pm. Bring your lunch. Tea and coffee provided.

Annual reports. Please submit any reports for this year’s Annual General Meeting by **8th March** so they can be included in the AGM report book. Guidelines for the reports have been emailed to people who wrote reports included in last year’s reports book. If you have not received the guidelines, but will be writing a report, please contact the office for a copy.

The Centre for Lay Ministry and Mission will present a course on *Working Disciples* on Saturday **18th April** at St John’s Canberra (Reid). A brochure outlining the course details is available from St Paul’s Office.

NEXT SUNDAY – 1ST MARCH - SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

LECTIONARY TEXTS: Genesis 17:1-7; 15-16; Psalm 22:24-32; Romans 4:13-25; Mark 8:31-38

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Anne Maybanks
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Rob May
READER
Claudia Hyles
SIDESPEOPLE
Robyn Scheiger
BREAKFAST
Rob & Christine May
ORGANIST
TBA

8.30AM - ST DAVID’S

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Robert Goodrick

10AM - ST PAUL’S

CELEBRANT
The Venerable John Gibson
PREACHER
The Rev’d Dr Brian Douglas
DEACON
The Rev’d Dr Brian Douglas
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The Rev’d Hartley Hansford
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