



ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF WANGARATTA

PAROCHIAL DISTRICT OF WANGARATTA WEST & THE WARBYNS

24th November 2024

Last Sunday after Pentecost—Christ the King

Dear Parishioners,

We were shocked to learn early this week of the sudden death of Cathedral parishioner Peter Leach. In a short time at the Cathedral Peter involved himself in many of the practical aspects of parish life. He will be sadly missed by all at Holy Trinity.

This week we are in week 2 of our 3 week, Diocesan wide Stewardship programme. It is styled as three “C’s”

- 10 Nov: *Committed to Community.*
- 17 Nov: *Committed to Creation*
- 24 Nov: ***Committed to Christ.***



This week we collect the Stewardship Response Forms and give thanks for God’s blessings on us. From the responses we will be in a better position to plan for the year ahead in terms of ministry and outreach and setting and meeting financial budgets. Ultimately we have to “cut our coat to match our cloth” and without your input the parish councils operate in the dark.

Today is the Annual Parish Meeting for The Parish of The Holy Trinity. *A reminder that Apologies for the meeting MUST be made to the Vicar and cannot be given by someone on your behalf.*

Today is the beginning of the last week of our Church Calendar Year—next Sunday begins a new year and the Gospel According to Luke will be the dominant Gospel. But before we reach Advent Sunday we will celebrate Saint Andrew’s Day, for all with Scottish, Russian, Greek or several other heritages, this is a special day. According to Eastern Orthodox tradition, the apostolic successor to Andrew is the Patriarch of Constantinople.

Other places and people under the patronage of Andrew include: Barbados, Georgia, Ukraine, Cyprus, Romania; fishermen, fishmongers, rope-makers, textile workers, singers, miners, pregnant women, butchers, farm workers.

And don’t forget the Artisan’s Market at St Michael’s on St Andrew’s Day.

Peace and Joy, Neil Hicks.

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 26th November—Parish Fellowship - Remel 185, Whorouly—midday.

Saturday 30th November—Artisan Market @ St Michael's

ARTISAN MARKET

Our next market is only a week away.

It will be a busy week for us all with cooking getting organised as well as Parish Fellowship on Tuesday!

The Cake Stall box is ready with supplies for your baking, labels are available for your plants, *where possible please label and name colour if not in bloom.*

Anglican Church Calendar 2025

\$16.50 ea. at
The Cathedral Shop.



Christmas Raffle -

There are 3 Hampers for this Raffle.

Thankyou for all donations.
Raffle drawn December 15th.
Ticket Books available now.
\$2 per ticket.

—Parish Fellowship—Midday,
26th November
at Remel 185 Whorouly.

**Bus leaving from
St Michael's
at 11.15am.**

BYO DRINKS

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voucher in an envelope will
ensure it is given to them*

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**Tickets \$10 for adults and \$8 for children
including cordial or a cuppa and a biscuit**



WHAT'S ON & DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, 25th November—Ember Day

James Noble, pioneer Aboriginal deacon (d 1941)

Revelation 14. 1-5. Psalm 24. 1-6. Luke 21. 1-4.

Tuesday, 26th—Ember Day

Revelation 14. 14-19. Psalm 96. 9-13. Luke 21. 5-11.

9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer—St Michael's Hall.

10.15 a.m. Bible Study (shorter version).

11.15 a.m. Bus leaves for Remel 185, - St. Michael's.

Wednesday, 27th—Ember Day

Revelation 15. 1-4. Psalm 98. Luke 21. 12-19.

9.30 a.m. Craft Group—St Michael's Hall.

10.00 a.m. Eucharist—Holy Trinity Cathedral—Lady Chapel.

Thursday, 28th—Ember Day

Revelation 18. 1-2, & 21—19. 9a. Psalm 100. Luke 21. 20-28.

Friday, 29th—Ember Day

Revelation 20. 1-4, 11 — 21. 2. Psalm 84. 1-7. Luke 21. 29-33.

~~6.00 p.m., The Chosen, screening in St Michael's, then a light tea in Hall.~~

Saturday, 30th **ANDREW, Apostle and Martyr**

Deuteronomy 30.11-14. Psalm 19. 1-6. Romans 10. 8-18. Matthew 4. 18-22.

Artisan Market—set up 7.00 a.m.

Sunday 1st December, First Sunday of Advent

9.30 a.m., Eucharist @ St Michael's, Wangaratta.

11.00 a.m. Ante Communion @ St Paul's, Glenrowan.

Jeremiah 33. 14-16. Psalm 25. 1-10. 1 Thessalonians 3. 9-13. Luke 21. 25-38.

EMBER DAYS: Their early history and original purpose are obscure. At first there were apparently only three groups, perhaps taken over from the pagan religious observances connected with harvest, vintage, and seed-time; in this form they traditionally date back to the time of Pope Callistus I (c. 220) and were certainly well established at Rome in the time of Pope Leo (440–61), who preached a series of Embertide sermons. From Rome their observance spread through W. Christendom. From at least the 5th cent. the Ember seasons were recognized as esp. appropriate for Ordinations, and the BCP provides prayers for those 'to be admitted into Holy Orders' to be said every day in the Ember Weeks. The association of Ember days with prayer for ordination candidates is preserved in modern Anglican liturgies.

Thus in Australia we have two times when prayers 'For the Ministry of the Church and for Ordinands (Ember Days)' are encouraged, these times being the weekdays following the day of Pentecost and the week preceding St Andrew's Day.

Sunday 24th November 2024

- ◆ **The World:** Brunei, Malaysia, Singapore.
The United Nations: all UN agencies.
- ◆ **Australia:** Ambassadors and Diplomats. Trade Missions.
- ◆ **The Church in our nation:** Roman Catholic Church.
- ◆ **Anglican Church of Australia:**
The Diocese of The Murray: Bishop Keith Dalby (*on leave*)
Administrator: The Venerable Simon Waters. Clergy and People.
- ◆ **Our Diocese:** Bishop Clarence Bester (*Michelle*). (*Kian & Kyle*).
The Parochial District of Tallangatta: P-i-C: Maryann Leonard (*John*)
the Parish leaders and community at Christ Church, Tallangatta.
The Mission District of Thurgoona: Mission Priest: Maryann Leonard (*John*)
the Parish leaders and community St John's, Thurgoona.
- ◆ **Confirmation Anniversary:** 26/11, Donald White.
26/11, Robyn Coles.
28/11, Jayne Jarrad.
- ◆ **Our Parish:** .
The Co-operating Ministry between our parish and Wangaratta Parish.
- ◆ **Those in Need:** Warren Gould. Rob Butler. Mark Heaton. Shirley Cameron.
Bp Garry Weatherill. Josef. Wayne. Michael E. Kaye McKenzie.
- ◆ **Year's Mind: 24th—30th November.**
[24/11] Vera Slaughter, 2006. Ron Nippress, 2001.
Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord.
And may light perpetual shine upon them.

Prayer of the week (*pray daily*) {OS 34}

Stir up we pray you, O Lord,
the wills of your faithful people,
that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works,
may by you be plenteously rewarded;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



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