

TIDINGS 22 DECEMBER 2019



WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT ST PETER'S BRIBIE ISLAND

If you are new or visiting, please complete the 'Care Card' that is available from the welcomers. The words for the service are displayed on the screens. Any requests during the service to sit or stand are advisory only; please feel free to adopt the posture that best allows you to worship God fully. If you are able to stay after the service, we would love to meet with you over a "cuppa".

WEEKLY WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday at 7.30am - Holy Eucharist
Sunday at 9.30 am - Holy Eucharist
Wednesday at 10.00 am - Holy Eucharist

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday 22 December - Nine Lessons & Carols
Sunday 23 February - Parish AGM

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Christmas Eve - Tuesday 24th Dec
6pm - Contemporary Eucharist
11pm - Traditional Eucharist
Christmas Day - Wednesday 25th Dec
8.30am - Traditional Eucharist



PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The Parish Office will be closed on Wednesday 25th December, Friday 27th December and Wednesday 1st January.

MIDWEEK EUCHARIST

There will not be a 10am Wednesday Service on Wednesday 25th December or Wednesday 1st January.

READINGS & HYMNS THIS SUNDAY

BIBLE READINGS

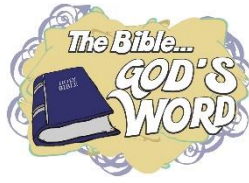
Advent 4

Isaiah 7.10 -16

Psalms 80. 1 - 7, 17 - 19

Romans 1. 1 - 7

Matthew 1. 18 - 25



HYMNS

TIS 258 Praise to You

TIS 161 Tell Out My Soul

TIS 288 Not the Powerful

TIS 265 O Come Emmanuel

TIS 289 Christmas Is Coming

SENTENCE

A virgin shall conceive and bear a son,
and his name shall be called
Emmanuel : God with us.

Matthew 1.23

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Gracious God, you chose the virgin
Mary, by your grace, to be the mother
of our Lord and Saviour : so fill us with
your grace, that with her we may
rejoice in your salvation, and in all
things embrace your will; through
Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and
reigns with you in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

BIBLE READINGS NEXT SUNDAY

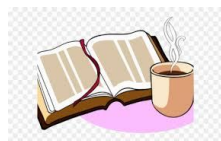
Christmas 1

Isaiah 63.7-9

Psalms 148

Hebrews 2.10-18

Matthew 2.13-23



FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Birthday Celebrations:

Phillipa Pfyne 22nd, Pearl Kenyon 25th.

Those in Need:

David Lower, Bev Grimmer, Keith,
Vivienne Bourne, Pat Birrell, Naz
Hudda, Kaye Bush, Jason Black, Patrick.

Continuing Prayers for those in Need:

Heather & Bernie, David Wiseman,
Sharon Parsons, Hannah, Destiny,
Trinity, Kristin, Lucy Wiseman, Joan
Fisher, Phillipa Booth, Graham, Carol
Freeman, Paul Challen, Loraine
Hetherington, Elizabeth & Nicholas
Kubler, Nastassja Dootson.

In Memoriam :

Edwin Johnson 22nd/1986, Thomas
Oates 25th/1972, Fay Bacchi 25th/2014,
Malcolm Robb 26th/ 1992.

HOLY COMMUNION

Worshippers who have a cold/virus or have had one in the past week are requested to receive Holy Communion in one kind; that is to receive the bread and not the wine. To reduce the spread of illness, please abstain from drinking or intinction from the common chalice. Intinction by communicants is not recommended. Intinction from the chalice increases the risk of spreading illness because the ends of fingers can come into contact with the wine. If you have some other reason for intinction, please use the intinction cup with the priest.

NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS – *TONIGHT at 6.00pm*. This is the most famous Carol Service, created and first performed in 1880. The story of Jesus, the fall of humanity, the promise of the Messiah, and the birth of Jesus, told in nine short Bible readings interspersed with carol singing. There is a list in the Narthex should you wish to volunteer as a reader of one of the lessons.

VOLUNTEERS FOR CHRISTMAS SERVICES - There is a list in the Narthex for those who would like to assist with the Christmas services - Welcomers, Sidespersons, Readers, LAs and AV operator all required. Thank you if you have already indicated your willingness to assist.

FLASHLIGHT PENS ARE BACK - These pens which combine the convenience of a pocket flashlight in a silver barrel with blue ink and St. Peter's Logo are now available from Lynn Macbeth or the Parish Office. Cost remains at \$5.00 and make an ideal Christmas gift.

TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE - Transportation assistance is being offered for people who need a ride to get to church on a Sunday morning. Interested persons should contact Frankie Park on 3408 8648 by Friday afternoon each week, so a driver can be allotted. If you can assist as a driver, please contact Frankie. Drivers will not be required to provide weekly transport.

CHRISTMAS BOWL - The Christmas Bowl appeal is the longest-running ecumenical appeal in Australia. Started in 1949 by Rev Frank Byatt to help refugees from World War II, it is our way of forging a loving connection between Christian communities here in Australia and people around the world who are experiencing dreadful hardship and suffering. The money raised from the Christmas Bowl is given across all of Act for Peace's programs. Funds donated to the Christmas Bowl help feeding the hungry by providing emergency food parcels to people affected by conflict and disaster; provide lifesaving medical treatment for families without access to healthcare; and provide refugee families fleeing war with essential food rations, hygiene parcels and psychosocial support. If you would like to donate please place your gift in an envelope marked 'Christmas Bowl'. There are some printed envelopes available in the narthex.

PARISH AGM - The Parish Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 23 February after a combined 8.30am service. Parish Groups that wish to submit a report for the AGM booklet need to email their report to the Parish Office by Friday 24 January. Nominations are called for the positions of Churchwarden, Parish Nominator and Parish Councillor and these nominations need to be submitted to Fr Steven by Sunday 16 February. Anyone over the age of 70 who wishes to nominate for the position of Churchwarden or Parish Nominator should submit their nomination to Fr Steven prior to the next Parish Council meeting on Wednesday 8 January for endorsement by Parish Council.

PARISH CONTACTS DETAILS

Cnr Banya & Foster Sts., Bongaree
PO Box 1087, Bongaree, 4507
phone: 3408 3191
www.stpetersbribie.org.au
www.facebook.com/anglicanbribie/

PARISH OFFICE

Wednesday & Friday 9am to 12 noon
Office entrance situated off Toorbul Lane
phone: 3408 3191
email: office@stpetersbribie.org.au

PARISH CONTACTS

PARISH PRIEST / RECTOR

Fr. Steven Schwarzrock 3408 3191
rector@stpetersbribie.org.au
Fr. Steven's Day Off is Saturday

CLERGY LICENSED TO PARISH

Bishop Bruce Clark 3408 7618
Rev. Carolyn Payne 0447 542 950
Rev. Marilyn Cullen 0412 473 539

HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY

Aileen Johnson 3410 8407 (Tuesday)
Anne Wrigley 3408 6489 (Wednesday)

CHURCHWARDENS

Kay Benson 3408 1058
Margaret Peterson 5497 6978
Greg Rollason 3408 1998

TREASURER

George Grant 3410 7912

PARISH NOMINATORS

Kay Benson 3408 1058
Vivienne Bourne 0438 081 865
Margaret Peterson 5497 6978

SYNOD REPRESENTATIVES

Jeff Eustace 0412 353 820
Karen Llewellyn 0428 456 297

PARISH COUNCILLORS

Lorraine Daniels 0414 802 733
Lyn Macbeth 5497 5268
Jenny Sullivan 5497 5617

SACRISTAN

Royce Voss 3410 0348

BANK ACCOUNTS FOR GIVING

Account Name - Bribie Island Parish
BSB 704-901 (*BSB for all Accounts*)
General Fund Account # 00000040
Youth Fund Account # 00015173
Building Fund Account # 00012557
Please use all the zeros

SETS OF GIVING ENVELOPES ALSO AVAILABLE

CONTACTS FOR PARISH GROUPS

HOME GROUPS

Tuesday - Margaret Peterson 5497 6978
Wednesday - Barry Hancox 0408 444 051
Thursday - Joan Norton 3408 0774
Friday - +Bruce Clark 3408 7618

MU BRIBIE ISLAND

Meetings 4th Monday of the month in Coinda.
Contact: Debbie Eustace 0413 027 349.

PRAYERS FOR MISSION GROUP

In Recess until 2020. Contact: Joan Norton
3408 0774

BRIBIE ANGLICAN CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

BACS meet at 10.00am each Wednesday for
coffee and chat at the RSL.
Contacts: Phyllis Adams 3408 0901
or Denise Shearer 3408 1598

SEASONS LOSS AND GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Contacts: Lorice Keith 5497 6212
Margaret Peterson 5497 6978

SINGING GROUP

In Recess until February 2020
Contact: Margaret Peterson 5497 6978

MAINLY MUSIC

Meets fortnightly on Wednesday at 9.30am
In Recess until School Resumes in 2020
Contact: Fr. Steven 3408 3191

DIOCESAN PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

Greg Milles 1800 242 544

The Anglican Church SQ takes all complaints of misconduct very seriously. The Director of Professional Standards will respond to all complaints or information of misconduct in relation to child sexual abuse, sexually inappropriate behaviour, sexual assault or sexual harassment.