



SUNDAY 16th JULY 2017
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

A warm welcome to St Michael's Spearwood. Children are especially welcome. We do hope that you will find the worship uplifting and that your relationship with Jesus Christ is enriched through it.

If you have any questions about what we do here or about the Christian Faith in general I would be happy to make time to discuss them or any other issues with you.

Gluten free wafers are available for Communion, if you require these please speak to the service leader.

Revd Debbie

Prayer of the Day:

Bountiful God,
we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word:
by your Holy Spirit,
help us to receive it with joy, and to live according to it,
that we may grow in faith and hope and love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen

Jumble Sale Items needed.

St Edwards are collecting good quality Jumble items for their future Jumble Sales. If you have anything to donate please bring along to church or give us a call and we will arrange to come and collect it. Thank you. Phone: 9337 5969

Cleaning Roster - Can YOU help?

We all enjoy worshipping in a clean clutter-free space but this doesn't happen by chance. There is someone working in the background who makes this happen. A very few people take turns in cleaning and freshening the church for us to use, but the team is too small. We need to grow this team to make this ministry easier and I'm sure many of us could lend a hand with this, no previous experience needed! Therefore, we are looking for volunteers to help occasionally on our cleaning roster. If you can help please call the church office, thanks.

Date for Diary

Invite your friends and family to the Pie lunch fundraiser at the home of Ann Punch, 6 Plum Place, Spearwood on 20th August.

Ladies Bible Study (Note: *Earlier Start This Week*)

Monday 17th July at 9:30am at the home of Ann Punch, 6 Plum Place, Spearwood. Phone no. 9418 4551. All Welcome.

CRAFTERS

As we look ahead, hoping to organize some Fundraising activities for the church I would like to encourage any crafters among our congregations to start thinking about collecting/making up a few crafts that may be sold at future events such as Christmas, Easter, Mother's Day and Father's Day activities.

HOME to RENT

If you know of a responsible person/family who are looking to rent a reasonable priced home in the Hilton area please will you pass their details to Revd. Debbie or one of our wardens. Thank you.

ALPHA

The first of five sessions will be starting on Tuesday July 25th at 6.00pm. Please let Debbie know if you are coming and if you have any special dietary requirements. Venue TBA. Thanks



GARAGE SALE TRAIL

On October 21st-22nd the Perth Garage Sale Trail will be taking place and it would be great if St Edwards and St Michaels could be involved. We already have a co-ordinator at Hilton and are looking for someone at Spearwood who would be willing to co-ordinate the bookings and stalls at St Michaels. Please put the date in your diary and consider if you might like to have a table of your own at the church. If not, you may like to help by running a church stall, donating goods, or baking cakes etc. If you think that you would like to be involved please let Revd. Debbie know 0473 368268.

CARE FOOD PANTRY FOR THE NEEDY

*For I was hungry and you gave me food; I was thirsty and you gave me drink; I was a stranger and you made me welcome....”
(Matt. 25:35-36)*

We are collecting food, toiletry items, gift and petrol vouchers, in fact any items that can be distributed to families in need. There is a basket in church where such items can be placed as an offering. Please ensure that the donated items are still in date and of a good non-perishable quality. Your donation and help is very much appreciated by us and especially by the people in need who will receive your gift of love.

Some example of items that may help: Long-life milk, tinned food, soup, beans, canned vegetables, canned fish, meat & fruit, baby food jars and tins, Biscuits, crackers, dried pasta, noodles and sauces, Rice, Packets sauces etc. Shampoo, Conditioner, Soap, Deodorant, Shaving Gel, toothbrushes etc.

Refreshing the Diocesan Website

Since my arrival in Perth some ten weeks ago I have had plenty of feedback about all sorts of things, the Diocesan website being one of the key subjects of said feedback. The Diocesan website is many things to many people and I am convinced that it is nigh on impossible to design and maintain a site which meets everyone's expectations. Having said that, we can always do better and we are going to have a look at what we might be able to do in refreshing the site. I also stress that this will be a project that will take a little time to put together, Sarah Stirling, who is the Diocesan Office Graphic Designer and Website Coordinator, will be undertaking this project amidst her other duties. To help us get an idea of what a website needs to be for some of its key stakeholders we have prepared this simple survey that you may wish to complete. We will use your constructive feedback to help shape the project and hopefully its outcomes. The survey only takes a few minutes and can be found at this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KFPNR7R>.

The survey will remain open until the evening of 2 August 2017.

Kind regards

Keith

This Weeks Readings: Genesis 25.19-34, Psalm 119.105-112, Romans 8.1-11, Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23

Next Weeks Readings: Genesis 28:10-19a, Psalm 139:1-11, 23-24, Romans 8:12-25, Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Date	Welcome Reader	Prayer	LA/LMP	Sacristan	M/Tea	Cleaning	Flower
16th July	Len	Bernard Leonie	Lorraine Leonie	Lorraine Leonie	Brigid	Tongan Church	Tongan Church
23rd July	Karl	Audrey Maria	Maxine	Len Lorraine	Lorraine	Bern Barb	Audrey Turner

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