



**SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2017**  
**TENTH 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:**

Mighty God and ruler of all creation, give new strength to our faith, that we may recognise your presence even when all hope seems lost. Help us to face all trials with serenity as we walk with Christ through the stormy seas of life and come at the last to your eternal peace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

## **ALPHA**

Our fourth session of Alpha will be held on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August at 6:00pm at 27 Cincotta Loop, Beeliar. The title of this session is “How can I be sure of my Faith?”

## **CHURCHSAFE TRAINING**

If anyone on the list below who has not attended Churchsafe in 2015, 2016 or 2017, they must do so before the end of this year - in keeping with Licensing requirements, Diocesan Policy requirements, and our commitment to safe ministry in the Diocese.

### **Churchsafe (who MUST attend)**

#### **Please check and see if you are on this list!**

*Parish Wardens / Parish Councillors (incl. Secretary and Treasurer)*

*Synod Representatives*

*Lay Pastoral Ministers/ Liturgical Assistant*

*Leader of a prayer group / Leader of a bible study group*

*Readers / Welcomers*

*Musical Director / Choir Leaders and Choir Members*

*Youth leader or worker or Sunday School teacher*

*Leader of Ministry team*

*Organiser of hospitality and catering*

*Co-ordinator of volunteers at a working bee, etc.*

***You may attend one of the following sessions but please book before going.***

*Date: Saturday 23 September 2017*

*Venue: Anglican Parish of Swanbourne, Mt Claremont*

*Time: Commencement at 1.30pm (sharp)*

*Date: Friday 6 October 2017*

*Venue: Burt Hall, 38 St Georges Terrace, Perth Cathedral*

*Time: Commencement at 1.00pm (sharp)*

*Afternoon tea provided*

*Date: Saturday 28 October 2017*

*Venue: Anglican Parish of Lakelands*

*Time: Commencement at 1.00pm (sharp)*

*Website: [www.perth.anglican.org/feel-safe/churchsafe](http://www.perth.anglican.org/feel-safe/churchsafe)*

## **CARE FOOD PANTRY FOR THOSE IN NEED:**

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.*

If you know of someone who is struggling financially and who might benefit by receiving a small care basket please let Revd Debbie know in strictest confidence.

## **NOTICES:**

### **Ladies Bible Study**

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August at 9.30am at the home of Ann Punch, 6 Plum Place, Spearwood. Phone no. 9418 4551. All Welcome.

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

**Ladies Bible Study:** Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August at 10:00am

**Fundraising Meeting:** Tues. 15<sup>th</sup> August 10.00am at St Edward's

**Alpha Group:** Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August at 6:00pm

**Garden Day:** Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> August at 9:00am Hilton

**Pie Lunch Fundraiser:** Sun 20<sup>th</sup> August following the service

## **St Michael's Prayers and Thanksgivings**

If you would like prayers to be published here, please give them to Revd. Debbie or E-mail them to [spearwoodchurch@gmail.com](mailto:spearwoodchurch@gmail.com). Please ensure that all parties involved are happy for the information to be made public.

**This Weeks Readings: 13<sup>th</sup> August**

Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28, Psalm 105:1-6,16-22, Romans 10:4-15, Matthew 14:22-36

**Next Weeks Readings: 20<sup>th</sup> August**

Genesis 45:1-15, Psalm 133, Romans 11:13-32, Matthew 15:21-28

Date	Welcome	Reader	Prayer	LA/LMP	Sacristan	M/Tea	Cleaning	Flower
13th Aug	Karl	Bernard Ann	Lorraine	Len Leonie	Lorraine	Len	Tongan Church	Tongan Church
20th Aug	Merv	Merv June	Maxine	Colleen June	Colleen	Bridgid		Colleen

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(See Matthew 14:24-33)

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**PETER'S EARLY ATTEMPTS TO WALK ON WATER WITH JESUS DISPLAYED AN INADEQUATE AMOUNT OF FAITH**