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<u>Mission Statement</u>: "To love God & to love our neighbours & become an increasingly relevant presence in our community."

"Our Eucharist, The Lord's Table comes in individual serves – all who seek God's mercy are welcome"

We invite visitors to sign our Visitors' Book, &

<u>SEPTEMBER 10 – 15th SUNDAY after PENTECOST:</u> "O God, You know us to be set in the midst of so many and so great dangers that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright: grant to us such strength and protection as may support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

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ST PAUL'S, NAROOMA: Sundays: 9am - Eucharist.

Wednesdays, 9am – Eucharist (1st Wed – Eucharist & Prayer for Healing) *Musicians:* Denise, David, Steve, Mick,

ALL SAINTS, BODALLA: Sundays: 11am - Eucharist

2nd & 4th Thursdays, 4pm – Evening Prayer *Musician:* Alma Stearn

Aged/Pastoral Care Deacon: Ven Jane Simmonds; 0438 134 635; jane.simmonds@bigpond.com Deacon in the Community: Rev'd Karly Ferguson – 0412 232 647

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 15th SUNDAY after PENTECOST:

Exodus 1: .1-14 Psalm 149 Romans 13: 1-10 Matthew 18: 10-20 Greeters & Readers: *Annemarie Jen M* Intercessions: *Thea Peter T* Greeters & Counters: *Marie & Frank Jen & Peter* St P Morning Tea today - *Thea* Sep 17 – George & Mary

FOLLOWING JESUS' INSTRUCTION IN MATTHEW 18 IS HARD FOR ME. I'M A CONFLICT AVOIDER. WWW.AGNUSDAY.ORG

ABM Pew Sheet Reflections 2023: "It's very easy to get stuck doing the same kind of things over & over, & thereby get ourselves into a rut. Perhaps that is why the Psalmist says to us today: "*O praise the Lord, and sing to the Lord a new song*'. Sometimes our religious life needs something new to allow it to develop & mature – we're called, after all, to have a child-like faith, not a childish one. This week, try...remembering always to praise our Redeemer, Jesus Christ.

- Lord, encourage me to 'sing a new song' to you this week, lest my spiritual life become stale.
- **Pray Healing for:** Juliat; Selva; Lindy C; Jan; Pam & Chris; Bob B; Karly; Wendy B; Stephen L; Kerrie Anne; Greg. ****Pray Comfort** for Bill's family, and for all who grieve.
- Pray for our Link Missionaries, the Tingle Family, working in Chiang Mai, Thailand.
- Pray for Revival; "pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest for workers in our field." Matt 9: 38
- Selva, Juliat, Lawrence & Marya: The family still await the Ministerial decision, their working rights have been withdrawn, & the family no longer have an income source; Please continue in prayer that "the Lord provides, and keeps them in perfect peace" as they wait, and that God's plan for each of them will be realized" Donations at: https://gofund.me/6985da47

"WHAT PRECEDES REVIVALS? A Green - The What, Why, How & When of Revival" - ETERNITY223

*Unprecedented Prayer for Revival; **Unusual unity among Christians *Heightened faith and expectation for a move of God. *

*'Music and worship have a lot to do with Revival. - Prof Stuart Piggin. (In the 1904-05 Welsh Revival Evan Roberts hardly said anything. He (just) encouraged his female singers to sing.
*"There's got to be a hunger. There's got to be prayer." – Pastor Jemima Varughese
*In 1889, Melburnian minister John MacNeil started prayer meeting with 4 other ministers on Saturday afternoons, & were joined by other denominational ministers praying for "the big revival.' Later that year, 700 ministers came to a Day of Prayer. In 1902, when evangelist RA Torrey arrived, thousands were eagerly awaiting an outpouring of the Holy Spirit. At the height, 250,000 (of the region's 1.2million) attended many simultaneous meetings in one night."

<u>**TUES SEP 12, 2-4pm – SEW'nSEWS:**</u> Come and enjoy fellowship and afternoon tea in the Noble Room while tackling some of your handicraft UFOs. Libby, 44767906, for enquiries.

SAT SEP 16, 10am-1.45pm, Moruya –<u>ANGLICARE DISASTER RECOVERY WORKSHOP</u> for New Recruits & Refresher Training. WWCC – (Working with Children Certificate) required <u>Helen.Bennett@anglicare.com.au</u>; PH: 6245 7188; disaster.recovery@anglicare.com.au

SAT SEP 16, 7.30pm at KINEMA: RIVER of ARTS Festival's FOREST THEATRE, featuring 8-piece live band performing all original songs & music synchronised with a cinematic screening of creatively produced & edited footage surrounding the subject 'our environment, our relationship with it and its future.' This show was born out of a deep concern for the declining health of our local forests & their ability to support biodiversity, particularly for threatened flora & fauna species due to logging, private clearing & climate induced bush fires. The show's compositions... exploring the healing & enriching power that nature provides to us all. Its creator, artist Richard Cooke is inspired by a uniquely sensitive region of state forest which surrounds his South Coast home. TICKETS \$20 adult/ \$15 concession from https://ticketing.oz.veezi.com/purchase/13501?siteToken=wg7253csp24hwg5ygrw4xd12nm

SUN SEP 24 – Last Day for BUSH CHURCH AID Boxes/ Donations, please.

SEP 28, 7.30pm – SOMA: MEETING to ratify changes to Constitution – for link to this meeting, email Rev Melinda McMahon, at <u>contact@sommaau.org</u>

<u>SAT SEP 30, 1.45-2.30pm at All Saints</u> – ANGLICAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY, who are visiting four of the most bushfire affected Sth Coast parishes will hand over ten \$50 vouchers redeemable at local garden centres/ businesses for recipients to re-establish their gardens. They will be at Boomerang Meeting Place, Mogo 12-1pm; Christ Church Cobargo 3.15-4pm; overnight in Bega (dinner at Club Bega, with guest speaker A/deacon Steve Clarke); and on SUN OCT 1 - 10am church service at St John's Bega. More INFO: Charles – 6241 4948.

WED OCT 11- FRI NOV 3 – Hall & Noble Room will be in use for HSC exams – details TBA

<u>NOV 10- NOV 21 - SOMA International</u> will be joining in a mega mission in South Rwenzori Diocese with opportunities for visiting other areas & dioceses around the same time. **More INFO from SOMA UK's website at this link**: <u>https://somauk.org/uganda2023</u>

"Just as I was about to pack up, a woman walked by and cautiously looked at our "Are you in need of prayer?" sign. She began to walk on but turned back and looked at me. (When) I asked if she would like prayer, she said: 'Yes'. The story she told before I prayed for her revealed she was in a very difficult place and had been walking the streets desperately asking God for help.

Such a privilege that He used me from 17,000km away, to show His love and support for His daughter." – Rev Peter Malone, SOMA, in Ireland.