



Mission Statement:

To love God and to love our neighbours and become an increasingly relevant presence in our community.

**During Covid-19, our Eucharist is in individual serves only -
"This is the Lord's table – all who seek God's mercy are welcome"**

We invite visitors to sign our Visitors' Book,
Unfortunately, we are not yet able to share a cuppa after our services.

SUNDAY OCTOBER 18, 2020 - Almighty & everlasting God, in Christ You have revealed Your glory among the nations: grant that Your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in proclaiming the cross to be the way that leads to life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives & reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever & ever, Amen.

LOCUM PRIEST: Rev'd MANDY WHEATLEY – WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY
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ST PAUL'S, NAROOMA: Sundays: 9am – Eucharist.

1st Wednesdays of Month: 9am - Healing Eucharist

Other Wednesdays: 9am – Eucharist, with Music Reflection

Musicians: Mary, Denise, David, Steve, Mick,

ALL SAINTS, BODALLA: Sundays: 11.15am – Eucharist

2nd & 4th Thursdays, 4pm – Evening Prayer

Musicians: Len Mulley & Alma Stearn

Aged & Pastoral Care Deacon: Ven Jane Simmonds,

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Deacon in the Community: Rev'd Karly Ferguson – 0412 232 647

Youth & Families: Rev'd Mandy Wheatley, 0401 670 132; e: mmjcwheatley@bigpond.com

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Direct Deposits: Bodalla Parochial Council, BSB 082-744 a/c: 509821522 - Ref: Reg. Giving.

SUNDAY OCTOBER 18, 2020: 20th SUNDAY after PENTECOST –

Exodus 33: 12-23

Psalms 99

1 Thess 1: 1-10

Matt 22: 15-33

Jenny M

Jock M

Dale W

Jen M

ABM Pew Sheet Reflection 2020: "This Gospel reading contains the last of the challenges to Jesus by Jewish leaders. Firstly the Pharisees - educators of the common people in the Law, secondly the Herodians - supporters of the royal family of Herod and close allies of the Romans and thirdly the Sadducees - keepers of the temple and powerful collaborators with the Romans; all approach Jesus to trip him up and all fail. This section ends with astonishment of the crowd. Jesus shows himself again as the authoritative interpreter of Scripture.

- **Give us grace** to study the Scriptures that Jesus loved. Help us recognise Your wisdom in them.
- **Give thanks** for the work & witness of the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, NZ and Polynesia
- **Pray Healing for:** Marion, Karly; Wendy B; Sylvia; Stephen L; Pamela J; Lindy C; Kerrie Anne; Greg; Stephen G; **Pray Comfort** for all who grieve.
- **Pray for** our Link Missionaries, the Tingle Family, in Chiang Mai, Thailand.
- **Pray for** our Refugee Family, Selva & Juliat, Lawrence & Marya, still awaiting their visa appeal.
- **Pray protection & recovery** for our virus, drought, fire, & flood affected nation.
- **Prayer for selection of a new incumbent:** (APBA p.212) "Bountiful God, give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak Your word & minister Your sacraments; an encourager who'll equip Your people for ministry & enable us to fulfil our calling. Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment & patience, & to us give warm & generous hearts, for Jesus' sake. Amen."
- **Please continue to pray for revival,** & "pray the Lord of the harvest for workers for our field."
- **"Let all peoples use His name in blessing; all nations call Him blessed."** Ps 72:19 (APBA)

To MAKE OR CHANGE A RESERVATION for the 9am worship at St Paul's on Sundays &/or Wednesdays, please advise Rhonda: rhonda.both@me.com PH.: 0457 477 485.
A basket for your GIVING & DONATIONS is at the rear of the church near the door.

"When you get bogged down in the past, you miss what God has for you in the present, and fail to see its connection to your future.

The good news is that it's not too late to allow God to use you and move you forward on your journey.

He can heal the wounds others have inflicted on you.

He can make you wiser as a result of the poor decisions you made in the past.

It's not too late to become who you might have been.

God delights in transforming our weakness into strength. He can create treasure from what you've discarded as rubbish. Even if you've backslidden and detoured from the path you know He wants you to follow, now is the time to return to His road.

"I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good

and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.” (Jer 29:11 NLT)

So move forward, and don't look back.” - TWFT

EVENING PRAYER - Rev Karly reminds us that these services have resumed **at All Saints**, on the **2nd & 4th Thursdays** of the month, from 4pm. **Next Service: THURS OCT 22, 4pm**

NEXT SUN, OCT 25 – A BLESSING of the ANIMALS service at All Saints, after 11.15 service, & followed by **BYO lunch & chair**. *If it's too difficult to actually bring your animal along, simply bring a photo, & join in the fun & friendship with our furry & feathered friends!*

SUN NOV 1, 1pm-5pm, A GREAT OPPORTUNITY to learn important helping skills -

A FREE 'MENTAL HEALTH UNWRAPPED' Workshop:

NOTE: We plan to run this workshop from our Hall, which Covid-19 safely seats 20 people.

If you are interested, please let Marie know.PH: 0438 273726

This Workshop addresses mental health issues pastorally and practically.

Some of the topics covered include: ***Understanding Mental Illness, *Mental Health**

Friendly Churches, *Prayer & Healing, *Mental Illness & Ministry.

Or for more info: Embracing Ministries on info@embracingministries.org.” July Anglican News.

SAT NOV 14, 9.45am-3.30pm. FREE. ANGLICARE DISASTER RECOVERY TRAINING WORKSHOP, Batemans Bay. All training materials provided. **Bookings essential, RSVP to:** disaster.recovey@anglicare.com.au; **For more INFO:** Lesley – 0419 608 800.

ABM: “WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US on the LARAPINTA Trail, 21-27JUNE 2021. Help empower Aboriginal communities by going on this 7-day trekking adventure to the NT, to raise funds for the development of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander communities.

Larapinta Trail is one of Australia's most renowned tracks. Beginning in Alice Springs, the team will discover some of the most arduous but breathtaking sections of the trail, surrounded by unforgettable panoramic views of the desert landscape. Along the way, supporters will hear stories of the Western Arrernte Aboriginal people & reflect on their powerful connection to the landscape. **All funds raised on this adventure will go towards supporting ABM as they help overseas & local communities lift themselves out of poverty**, transforming their lives spiritually, materially, socially. **Physical Challenge: 3/5.**

Non-refundable Registration Fee: \$440pp. For Early Bird savings of \$150: Sign up before TUES 20 OCT 2020: abmission.org.au; Locked Bag Q4005, Queen Vic Bldg, NSW 1230”

at the time meant that I became too emotional to continue....

Sometimes a sentence from a sermon sticks in one's mind for the rest of time.

All these times of worship are special, little links in one's spiritual chain,

And an opportunity to feel closer to God.” – (John Cronshaw aka “Bus Pa”) Christian Fellowship Tours.

“Sometimes, just singing of the words of a hymn that resonated with my need