

Welcome to the Anglican Parish of Bodalla and Narooma

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Mission Statement:

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

SUNDAY JANUARY 27, 2019

Prayer of the Day – “Life-giving God, who sent Your Son Jesus to proclaim Your kingdom and to teach with authority: anoint us with Your Spirit, that we too may bring good news to the poor, bind up the broken-hearted, and proclaim liberty to the captive; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

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ST PAUL'S, NAROOMA:

Sundays: 9am – Eucharist.

1st Wednesdays of Month: 9am - Healing Eucharist & 3.30pm-6pm – Messy Church

Other Wednesdays: 9am – Eucharist, with Music Reflection

Musicians: Mary, David, Denise, Steve, Mick, Tim & Carol

ALL SAINTS, BODALLA:

Sundays: 11.15am – Eucharist

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

Musicians: Len Mulley & Alma Stearn

SUNDAY JAN 27 – 3rd SUNDAY after EPIPHANY:

Neh 8: 1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Ps 19 1 Cor 12: 12-31 Luke 4:14-21
Bill C Iris
Phil Doris

Morning Tea: Today – Jock/ Jenny Feb 3 – Thea/ Sally H Wed Jan 30 – Ken H/Sue H

ABM PEW SHEET REFLECTION 2019: "Often when we come to the word of God, we can be confronted by what we find inside. Today in the reading from Nehemiah we find that when the prophet Ezra read the scroll in the presence of the people they wept because of their disobedience. Similarly in the Gospel, we read how attentive the people in the synagogue were to Jesus as He went to preach in the synagogue, but as we will hear next Sunday would turn on Him later on. We should learn to see the scriptures as a great mercy from God through which we are able to learn more about His love for us. This love can be confronting, but it is never a cause for mourning or hopelessness."

- **Pray that** we might be able to understand the scriptures more fully, allowing us to be more equipped to do God's will.
- **Give thanks** for the Episcopal Church in the Philippines, remembering especially the communities with whom their social service organisation, E-CARE, works.
- **Pray for** the Tingle family, our link missionaries in Chiang Mai, - currently in Australia on leave; & needing to significantly increase their monthly support base.
- **Give Thanks & Pray for:** SRE: Narooma P/S – Mandy & Prudence – Bodalla P/S – Jenny & Jan; Narooma H/S Chaplain, Phoebe; ISCF – Chris & Prudence.
- **Pray Healing for:** Wendy B; Sylvia; Stephen L; Joy J; Pamela J; Lindy C; Kerrie Anne; Bob B; Greg; Stephen G; **Pray Comfort** for all who grieve.
- **Pray for:** Selva & Julyat, Lawrence & Marya, & for the success of their refugee appeal.

Frozen meals are available for people in need from St Paul's freezer, Ven Carol & Carol McCabe.

CLEANING ROSTER, St Paul's – Libby is looking for volunteers for her new roster, to help spread the load – if you can help out at all, please let her know - 4476 7906.



"Today, ask God to help you show His love towards those who irritate you." - TWFT

Good News! Mandy now leads our Youth & Families ministry–blessings, Mandy!

She says: "I hope you can come along (or pray for us) when we meet on:

WED JAN 30, 3.30-4.30pm for our MESSY CHURCH TRAINING DAY"

SUN FEB 3, at All Saints – dedication of the Lectern Bookmarks made by Marion.

MON FEB 4, 8pm @ St Paul's – CONCERT by Germany's **Chamber Philharmonia Cologne Orchestra** – playing Vivaldi, JS Bach, Tchaikovsky, Saint-Saens – tickets are cash only from 7pm at door, or (cheaper) from Narooma Visitor Centre, 4476 2881. A wonderful opportunity to hear an international orchestra playing such famous pieces – invite your friends!

WED FEB 6, St Paul's – join us: 9am PRAYER for HEALING Service, then a catch-up coffee
And/or **3.30pm, for MESSY CHURCH - A New Beginning.**

*"As always, thank you to everyone who prays for us & to those who can come to help!
With blessings always, and grace and peace in Christ, Mandy" - 0401 670 132.*

SUN FEB 13 – Nominations for P/Councillors, Wardens, Synod & Reserve Synod Rep Due. Please give thought & prayer to & for those who will be our leaders in the coming year.

FRI FEB 22, 2019, 4.30pm @ St Paul's – AGM & AEM – NOTE: the DATE has been CHANGED, so that we can meet our treasurer and get answers to our questions.

SAT APR 6, 11am – Bishop Elect Rev'd Dr Mark Short's consecration in Goulburn.

'We walk by faith, not by sight.' 2 Cor 5:7 KJV.

"Just like your car's headlights don't shine round the next corner, God will give you instructions on a 'need-to-know basis'.

And it's the only way to live! It keeps you dependent on Him, helps you to remember who's in charge and who deserves credit for your successes.

And by the way, God's leadings take a lifetime to learn, so don't get discouraged." - TWFT

A Prayer for this AUSTRALIA DAY Long Weekend:

"We bless You, God of the Universe, for this land, for its contrasts of landscape and climate, for its abundance of wealth and opportunity.

We bless You for our history with all its struggles in adversity, its courage and hope.

Give us in our diversity, tolerance and respect for each other and a passionate commitment to justice for all.

Bless us so that we might be a blessing to others.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

www.defenceanglicans.org.au - Bishop Ian, 2014.