

PARISH OF ST CHRISTOPHER'S CITY BEACH

PEW SHEET



A warm welcome to St Christopher's.
All are invited to morning tea after
the 9am & 9.30am services.

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Cheques for the parish to be made
payable to: '**ACF: Parish of City Beach**'

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
10 July 2022



Sentence

Do to others as you would have them do to you. Love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return.

Luke 6.31, 35

Collect

Eternal God,
you have taught us through Christ that love is the fulfilment of the law: help us to love you with all our heart, with all our soul, with all our mind, and with all our strength, and our neighbour as ourself; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.



SERVICE TIMES AT ST CHRISTOPHER'S



SUNDAY HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE 07.30 & 09.30am

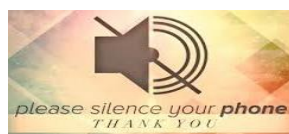
COMBINED HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: **First Sunday of the Month** 09.00am

MIDWEEK HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: Wednesday 10.00am

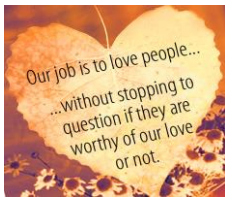
TAIZE PRAYER SERVICE: Second Monday of the month 6.30pm

CROSSLINKS SERVICE: Third Sunday of the month 5.30pm (St Nicholas' Parish Hall, Floreat)

Please visit our website: stchristophersanglicanchurchcitybeach.weebly.com for sermons,
liturgical & prayer resources & other links



Ngala kaaditj Nyoongar moort keyen kaadak nidja boodja.
 We acknowledge the Nyoongar people as the original custodians of this land.



Reflection for Pentecost 5C - Luke 10:25-37

Jesus the Teacher is approached by many individuals. Some are genuinely seeking God and wish to do better. Others, like the lawyer of today's reading, is 'testing' Jesus. It is possible, of course, that he is in good faith; he may also be a genuine searcher, but simply more

cautious and suspicious than the others who come to Jesus. The religious officials in the story - the priest and the Levite - fail the test (probably the fear of ritual impurity prevents them from responding as neighbours to the stricken man). Meanwhile, the Samaritan, an ethnic and religious outsider is the hero.

What is striking is how Jesus seems to 'raise the bar' when he is speaking to individuals. When he preaches generally to the crowd, he invites and encourages. But to the individuals who offer themselves, or ask further questions, he challenges them to go that bit further. Is this my experience of being a Christian? Where do I find myself being 'stretched'?

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- Our parish community: The Parish Council, Lay Pastoral Ministers, Liturgical Assistants, readers, Bill Leadbetter our formation student, and Revd. Pat.
- The Anglican Church: Abp Canterbury Justin Welby; Primate Abp Geoffrey Smith, Abp Kay Goldsworthy AO, Assistant Bishops Jeremy, and Kate.
- All who are in need, sick or grieving: Lyn King, Ann Boyer, Revd. Joyce, Les, Norma, Colin, Dan, Karyn, Mert, Elsa, Tonia, Alicia, James, Shirl-Ann, Bev, Peter.
- For an end to all hostilities in Ukraine and peace in our world.
- For Revd. Joanna Colgan who is to be ordained priest on July 10.

Please inform Revd. Pat or Joy Campbell if you would like a name added or removed from the list.



LECTIONARY READINGS & ROSTER FOR SUNDAY 17 JULY 2022

LECTIONARY READINGS : Amos 8.1-12; Psalm 52; Colossians 1.15-29; Luke 10.38-42		
	07.30AM	09.30AM
LPM/LA	Ann Boyer	Sarah Masterton
WELCOMERS	Jocelyn & David Munt	J Davis & D Shepherd
FIRST READING	Jocelyn Munt	Judith Davis
SECOND READING		Elise Jarman
MORNING TEA		Isobel Jones
FRESHEN & FLOWERS	Joy Campbell & Margie Nayler	
IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO DO YOUR DUTY PLEASE SWAP AND LET REVEREND PAT KNOW!		



Anointing and prayer for healing is available immediately after Holy Communion. Please sit in the chair next to the votive candle. Alternatively, please speak to Revd. Pat.

Reflection for Pentecost 6C - Luke 10.38-42



The story of Martha and Mary is, in a way, a contrast to last week's story about the Good Samaritan. It restores a balance in our following of Christ. The story about being a neighbour could lead us to think that only if we are *doing* things are we loving God.

Martha was a doer. Martha, we are told, was "burdened with much serving". Serving is something that Jesus himself did constantly and he urged his followers to do the same. After Martha had complained about her sister, Jesus told her that she was "anxious and worried about many things". A true servant does not experience anxiety and worry. It signifies a lack of peace. Because Mary seemed to be doing nothing, Martha saw her as idling and even selfish. Martha must have been somewhat surprised when Jesus said that Mary had "chosen the better part" which would "not be taken from her."

What was that better part? Was Mary just sitting at the feet of Jesus and doing nothing? No. We are told that she was "listening to him speak". Listening to his message is something Jesus tells his disciples and the crowd they need to be doing all the time. That listening involves understanding, accepting and assimilating that message so that it becomes part of our very selves. If we do not spend time listening to him, how can we know that our activity is properly directed?

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LECTIONARY READINGS & ROSTER FOR SUNDAY 24 JULY 2022

LECTIONARY READINGS: Hosea 1.2-10; Psalm 85; Colossians 2.6-15; Luke 11.1-13		
	07.30AM	09.30AM
LPM/LA	Joy Campbell	Elaine Embleton
WELCOMERS	Pru Cowan & Kaye Hatherly	D Stewart & B Cunningham
FIRST READING	Pru Cowan	TBC
SECOND READING		Don Stewart
MORNING TEA		Natalie Laurenson
FRESHEN & FLOWERS	Deborah Haynes & Helen Feutrill	
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DIARY DATES FOR JULY 2022

TAIZE SERVICE	MON 11 JULY – 6.30PM
MIDWEEK EUCHARIST & REFLECTIONS	WED 13, 20 & 27 JULY – 10AM
CROSSLINKS SERVICE (St Nicholas' Floreat)	SUN 17 JULY – 5.30PM
TODDLER JAM	MON 18 & 25 JULY – 9.30AM
PARISH COUNCIL MEETING	WED 20 JULY – 4PM
CURSILLO EVENSONG ST GEORGES CATHEDRAL	SUN 24 JULY – 5PM
OCEAN GARDENS EUCHARIST SERVICE	TUE 26 JULY – 10AM

COMMON CUP

Following the reinstatement of the Common Cup communion may now be received in both kinds. However, intinction (the act of dipping the bread in the wine), is *not* permitted. There will be some who do not yet feel able to share the Common Cup, and will choose to continue receiving in one kind— this is entirely and appropriately, a personal choice.

COVID SAFETY

Wearing masks and sanitizing hands in church is not essential but encouraged.
Thank you for your cooperation

HEALTH WORK & SAFETY

Health Work & Safety in the parish is the responsibility of all, and we encourage everyone to promptly report all unsafe matters you see within the church building or grounds to Bob Laurensen (9341 5914) or David Munt (9385 9323). Please check out the Health and Safety noticeboard in the hall regularly for important information including 'emergency evacuation' procedures.

St Christopher's TAIZE
Templetonia Crescent, City Beach
MONDAY 11 JULY 6.30PM



*a service in prayer and song and
silence and scripture*

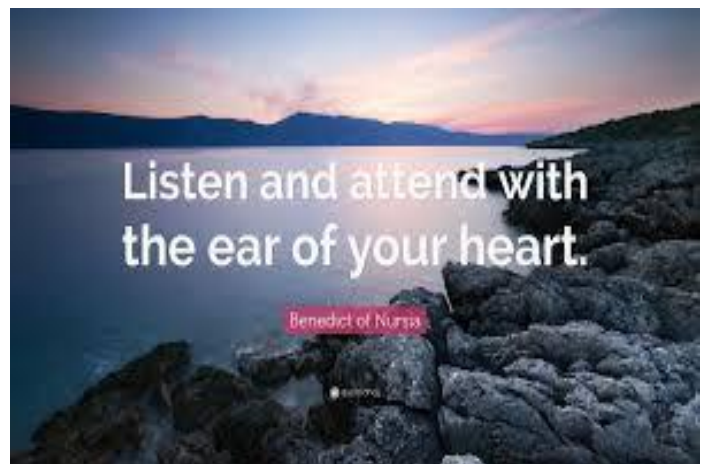


Every day the Lord gives us a reason to celebrate our blessings. On Theo's baptismal day, we have even more reasons to be joyful. Thank you for being present on such a significant occasion.



Weekly
Offering

We are not currently taking up a collection during the service. You will find the offertory plate at the back of the church at the entry to the worship area. Direct debit forms are also available in the foyer and on our website.



ASCENSION CONNECTION

Our weekly food collection is used to support Ascension Connection— a weekly walk-in food relief service run by the Anglican Church of the Ascension, Midland. All donations are most gratefully received. Thanks to Dick Shepherd who coordinates delivery.



Congratulations and blessings to all who celebrate a birthday or anniversary in the coming fortnight!



A SINCERE THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTE TO THE MINISTRY AND LIFE OF OUR CHURCH IN SO MANY DIFFERENT WAYS. GOD BLESS YOU!

