# 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'.

# Sixth Sunday after Pentecost 4 July 2021



#### Sentence

Of Jesus many said, 'What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands!' (Mark 6.2)

# Collect

O Lord our God, you are always more ready to bestow your good gifts upon us than we are to seek them; and more willing to give than we desire or deserve: in our every need, grant us the first and best of all your gifts, the Spirit who makes us your children. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen



## **SERVICE TIMES AT ST CHRISTOPHER'S**



SUNDAY HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE at 07:30 & 09:30AM

COMBINED HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: First Sunday of the Month at 09:00AM

MIDWEEK HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: Wednesday at 10:00AM

Please visit our website: <u>stchristophersanglicanchurchcitybeach.weebly.com</u> 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.

#### COVID - 19 SafeWA

**ANYONE** entering St Christopher's church at **ANY TIME** is required to register their attendance either by use of the SafeWA App or by completing the manual register provided.

Please use hand sanitiser provided and maintain safe social distancing

Please **DO NOT** come to church if you are unwell.





## REFLECTION ON TODAY'S GOSPEL READING: Mark 6.1-13

They left the synagogue a bit enthralled. This local whom they knew as a man and boy for years, seemed very wise. Somehow his words reached them. I wonder how we might name the wisdom of Jesus. Jesus had three big statements in his teaching: God loves each of us with an infinite love; we are all brothers and sisters; and good will overcome evil. The wisdom of Jesus was not just a statement. He lived it. His way of life was sharing this love by healing, consoling, and telling his stories. People found the love of God in him. He called them and also calls us to believe with joy that all of us are brothers and sisters. Jesus treated people with love, and they knew it.

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# Please Pray For:



- Our parish community: those who are feeling isolated and anxious. The Parish Council, Lay Pastoral Ministers, Liturgical Assistants, Readers and Revd. Pat.
- The Anglican Church: Abp Canterbury Justin Welby; Primate Abp Geoffrey Smith, Abp Kay Goldsworthy AO, Assistant Bishops Jeremy and Kate.
- All in need, sick or grieve: Jocelyn, John, Les, Colin, David, Dan, Shirl-Ann, Revd. Joyce, Les, Sheila, Natalie and Bob.
- This week: Those in our state, nation, and world whose lives continue to be affected by the coronavirus, and for NAIDOC Week.

# LECTIONARY READINGS & ROSTER FOR SUNDAY 11 JULY 2021

LECTIONARY READINGS	2 Samuel 6.1-5, 12b-19; Ps 24;Ephesians 1.1-14; Mark 6.14-29	
	07.30AM	09.30АМ
LPM/LA	Sarah Masterton	Bev Cunningham
WELCOMERS	D Haynes & A Boyer	Andrew & Pat Scotford
IST READING	Ann Boyer	Natalie Laurenson
SECOND READING	Deborah Haynes	Andrew Scotford
MORNING TEA		Elaine Embleton
FRESHEN / FLOWERS	Melanie Elliott	

#### LECTIONARY READINGS & ROSTER FOR SUNDAY 18 JULY 2021

LECTIONARY READINGS	2 Samuel 7.1-14a; Ps 89.21-38; Ephesians 2.11-22; Mark6.30-34, 53-56	
	07.30АМ	09.30АМ
LPM/LA	Joy Campbell	Elaine Embleton
WELCOMERS	J Munt & L King	Lynne & Mike Roberts
IST READING	Jocelyn Munt	Lynne Roberts
SECOND READING	Lyn King	Mike Roberts
MORNING TEA		Natalie Laurenson
FRESHEN / FLOWERS	Joy Campbell & Margie Nayler	

# DIARY DATES FOR JULY 2021 (Subject to COVID Restrictions)

Monday 12 July	Parish Council Meeting 6PM	
Thursday 15 July	Social Connect Luncheon Group 11AM – 1PM	
Sunday 18 July	Crosslinks Service, St Nicholas' Church, Floreat Park 5.30рм	
Wednesday 21 & 28	Mid-week Holy Communion Service 10.00AM followed by	
July	Reflection Group	
Friday 23 July	Christmas in July Parish Dinner 5.30 for 6PM	
Tuesday 27 July	Ocean Gardens Holy Communion Service 10.30AM preceded by	
	morning tea at 10AM	



God of Truth – You are pure and true – we worship you for who you are. There is no one like you – for you shine in the darkness.

Enable all the peoples of this Country to desire, listen and understand the True History of this Land. For only then can we walk this journey together.

Jesus, you are the tree life. Help us to be your instruments of Truth, by the Power of your Holy Spirit.

We pray for discernment and wisdom to impart your Truth. Deliver us from devastation and bring about Healing to Country and our communities." **Amen** 

Under current COVID Health & Safety regulations we are not 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. Alternatively you could consider giving by direct debit. Forms are available in the foyer or on our website.



Your continued donations to the church and its ministry and mission is very much appreciated.



Normally led by a member of the congregation, intercessory prayer or the 'prayers of the people' forms an important part of our worship. The word intercession comes from Latin inter (to go) cedere (between) so it means to 'go between' or to 'intervene'. In intercession we uphold people and issues before God asking him to bless, heal, guide and act for good. Leading the intercessions of a gathered community of faith is an important, but not a daunting task. If you feel called to this ministry or would like to know more please speak to Revd Pat.



Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (July 11) Mark 6.14-29 This is one of the most horrific scenes in the gospels. John the baptizer is the helpless and innocent one, standing for the truth. He will suffer and die because of a weak ruler, Herod. He is laid in a tomb and disappears from human history. This all points to Jesus: he is also a great prophet, innocent, but doomed to suffer and die because of

the weakness of Pontius Pilate. We are being warned not to lose faith in Jesus: he too will be laid in a tomb, but through his resurrection he will change the story of humankind. Discipleship is demanding. Like Jesus, each of us in our own way is called to serve and to give our lives for the sake of others. Lord, do not let me lose courage when things go wrong. Let me keep on trying to do good. (www.sacredspace.ie)



#### FRIDAY 23 JULY 2021

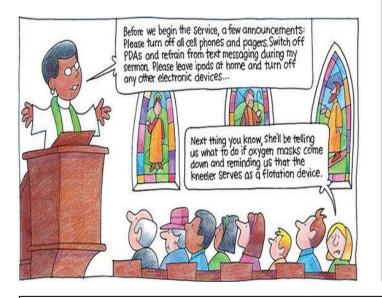
5.30pm for 6pm start!

Please join us for a time of festive fellowship and fun

CHRISTMAS INSPIRED FOOD MUSIC & MORE

RSVP to Joy Campbell joyecampbell@bigpond.com (0419927237) or sign the list in the foyer.

\$10 donation.



#### **DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR MISSION**

Come Holy Spirit!

Give us new confidence in your grace, new words for the mission we share, new strength to go where you send us, new spring in our step, as we set out to spread our faith in changing times,

Archbishop Kay Goldsworthy

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.





St Christopher's contribution to the recent Churchlands Youth Care Council Quiz Night was outstanding. Attendance, donations of prizes and Joy's donation of the Italian Hamper (\$500+ alone) all contributed to the proceeds of \$3030. In addition our generous parishioners gave \$320.



PLEASE NOTE – MIDWEEK HOLY COMMUNION AND REFLECTION GROUP WILL NOT TAKE PLACE
ON WEDNESDAY 7 & 14 JULY



Congratulations & Blessings to all who celebrate a birthday or anniversary in the coming fortnight!