PARISH OF ST CHRISTOPHER'S CITY BEACH PEW SHEET



Welcome to St Christopher's

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

Third Sunday in Lent 7 March 2021



Sentence

God spoke these words and said, 'I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.' Exodus 20.1

Collect (Prayer of the Day)

Lord our God, by your Holy Spirit write your commandments upon our hearts and grant us the wisdom and power of the cross, so that, cleansed from greed and selfishness, we may become a living temple of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

Lectionary Readings for 7 March 2021 Numbers 21.4-9; Psalm107.1-3,17-22 Ephesians2.1-10; John 3:14-21

SERVICE TIMES AT ST CHRISTOPHER'S



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

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

MIDWEEK HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: Wednesday at 10:00 AM

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

EVERY PERSON who enters St Christopher's church at **ANY TIME** will be required to register their attendance either by use of the SafeWA App or by completing the manual register provided.

Please **DO NOT** come to church if you are unwell - Please use **hand sanitiser** provided - Please maintain **safe social distancing**.





Reflection from Sacred Space on today's gospel reading (John 2.13-22)

The temple was the centre of Jewish life. It represented the location and the presence of God. Jesus is not against the temple but is against what the temple has become: a marketplace rather than a place to worship the Father. The Father who loves everybody equally and whose love could not be bought.

Jesus declares that a new Temple will be found in his own resurrected body. Instead of God's presence being confined to a single geographical site, God will be everywhere, making all things and all time potentially sacred.

We are the temple of God in the world', wrote St Paul. Have I really grasped this colossal reality that I am a living temple, in which the Word of God is eternally spoken?

(www.sacredspace.ie)





Please Pray For:



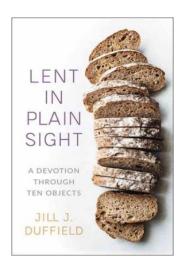
- Our parish community: those who are feeling isolated and anxious. The Parish Council, Lay Pastoral Ministers, Liturgical Assistants, Readers and Revd. Pat.
- The Anglican Church: Abp Canterbury Justin Welby; Primate Abp Geoffrey Smith, Abp Kay Goldsworthy AO, Assistant Bishops Kate and Jeremy.
- Those in need, sick or bereaved: Dennille, Joshua, Jenni, Hendy, Denise, Bethany, Margaret King, Margaret Perry, Colin, Pat, Paul, Margaret, Dennis, Emma, Todd, Nathan, Norma. & Shirl-Ann. For those who grieve Mel and family, Mandy and Bruce.
- This week: For the various Deanery's as they meets with Archbishop Kay and Bishop Jeremy to explore the mission plan for churches in the dioceses of Perth.

ROSTER FOR SUNDAY 14 MARCH 2021

| | 07:30 AM | 09:30am |
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| LPM/LA | Sarah Masterton | Nicole Deeny |
| WELCOMERS | J Campbell & M Nayler | B Cunningham & D Stewart |
| IST READING | Joy Campbell | Bev Cunningham |
| SECOND READING | Margie Nayler | Don Stewart |
| MORNING TEA | | I Jones & G Cherian |
| FRESHEN (No Flowers) | | |

DIARY DATES FOR MARCH 2021

| Wednesday 10 March | Holy Communion Service at 10:00AM |
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| Wednesday 10, 17 & 24 | Lenten Study Group 6.30-7.30PM preceded |
| March | by BBQ from 5:30PM onwards. |
| Thursday 18 March | Connect Luncheon Group 11Am-1PM |
| Sunday 21 March | Crosslinks Group St Nicholas's Floreat at |
| | 5.30PM |
| Tuesday 23 March | Ocean Gardens Holy Communion Service at |
| | 10.30am preceded by refreshments at 10am. |



LENTEN STUDY GROUP

God is often at work through the ordinary: ordinary people, ordinary objects, ordinary grace. Through the ordinary, God communicates epiphanies, salvation, revelation, and reconciliation. It is through the mundane that we hear Gods quiet voice.

Please Join us for our weekly Lenten Study Wednesday 3 March 6:30-7:30PM preceded by a BBQ (BYO Meat), and a time of fellowship from 5:30PM onwards should you wish to come earlier.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

JACKETS, JUMPERS, BLANKETS, DOONAS, EIDERDOWNS FOR PARISH OF ARMADALE COLLECTING IN MARCH

Commencing in March the Parish of Armadale will be collecting Jackets, Jumpers, Blankets, Doonas and Eiderdowns in support of its mission in the City of Armadale for those who are in need. If you have items to donate, please bring them to St Christopher's and Revd, Pat will arrange to drop them off or for Fr Jeff Astfalck to collect. Thank You!

CHORAL EVENSONG TO COMMEMORATE EDITH COWAN

Sunday 14 March; 5pm - 6pm; St George's Cathedral; Free

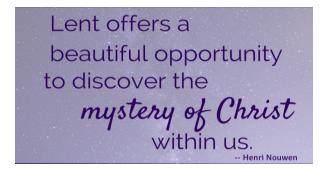
A special service commemorating the 100th anniversary of the election of Edith Cowan OBE JP as the first woman elected to any Australian Parliament. The Service includes reflections on her personal life by Ms Hilary Silbert, her political life by the Governor, The Honourable Kim Beazley AC, and on her faith and Church life by Archdeacon Angela Webb. The service will be followed by refreshments. Please RSVP to rsvp@perthcathedral.org for catering purposes. info@perthcathedral.org; 9325 5766



All kind expressions of sympathy and your attendance at Neil's funeral service is gratefully acknowledged and deeply appreciated by Mel, Tamara, Simone, Melanie, and the extended family.

Thank you to all who contributed in so many different ways to Neil's Funeral Service, as we came together to give thanks for his life among us and commended him to God's safe keeping. A recording of the service is available on St Christopher's website.

May he rest in peace and rise in glory





THE FIRST EASTER Sunday

21 March; 4pm; St Andrew's Church, Subiaco; Free

Readings from Peter Marshall's book "The First Easter" leading up to the death of Jesus on the cross, interspersed with appropriate music contributed by choirs - including St Mary's Cathedral choir - and members of the Royal School of Church Music. The format is similar to that of "Nine Carols and Lessons", with which most are familiar. The service will be about 1 hour. Steven Secker; rscm@stevensecker.com

EASTER SERVICE TIMES AT ST CHRISTOPHER'S

Sunday 28 March (Palm Sunday)

Holy Communion Service 7.30 and 9:30AM

Monday 29 March

Taizé Meditative Service 6.30-7.30PM

Wednesday 31 March

Holy Communion Service 10.00AM

Thursday 1 April (Holy Thursday)

Agape Meal 6.30-7.30PM

Friday 2 April (Good Friday)

Morning Worship & meditation on the Cross 9.00AM

Sunday 4 April (Easter Sunday)

Combined Holy Communion Service 9.00AM





and blessings to Milton who celebrates his birthday on Monday and to all who celebrate a birthday or anniversary this coming week!

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