



# Diocesan E-Bulletin

Anglican Diocese of Perth Newsletter



12 December 2023



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# **EVENTS AND SERVICES**



#### PARISH ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SERVICE TIMES



# THE CALL OF GOD IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

QUE CALL FOR YOU?

Join us during Advent as we explore how God speaks to us in the New Testament.

WHEN

Saturday 18, 25 Nov + 2, 9, 16 Dec

8am Morning Prayer then Holy Communion
9am Advent course

WHERE

St George's Cathedral

**WHO** 

Dr Robert Myles

Senior Lecturer in New Testament

COST

Free

For for more information and to to book a place, email info@perthcathedral.org

St George's Cathedral

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St Mary Magdalene Church 113 Lysander Drive, Heathridge

Do you find it hard to celebrate at Christmas?

Join us for a very special Blue Christmas service.

Come with your grief, sadness, weariness, and fatigue, and allow yourself a quite space to reflect and draw near to God. Join us for a peaceful time of acknowledgement, prayer and reflection.

Find out more: <u>st-mary-magdalene-anglican-church.business.site</u>

TASTE OF WOLLASTON



FRIDAY, 15TH DECEMBER | ST AUGUSTINE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH 21 CALE STREET, COMO 6152

# Youth Performance

- Picnic, Sausage sizzle and pizza (6PM)
- Face painting
- Sing-A-Long / Carols (7PM)
- Candles & Song Sheets Provided

(Feel free to bring folding chair and picnic blanket)

For more information:

**Rev.James George-Priest in Charge** 



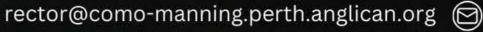
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## **Advent Quiet Morning**

# Saturday 16 December 2023 | 9.30am-1.00pm St John's, Fremantle

There will be a quiet morning at St John's, Fremantle on Saturday 16 December from 9.30am - 1.00pm. This date is known as 'O Sapientia' in the Prayer Book and marks the first of a series of great prayers that call on Christ to come using his mysterious titles in the book of Isaiah.



The quiet time will include prayers, short reflections, and some creative artwork. The morning will conclude with the Eucharist. A \$10 donation is requested.

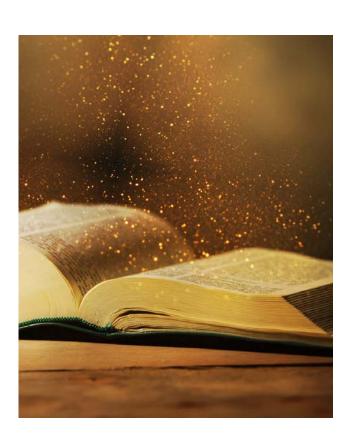
To sign up please email: <a href="mailto:admin@fremantleanglican.com">admin@fremantleanglican.com</a>

## Advent Bible Study: Hope in the Old Testament

# Mondays 18 December 2023 | 7.00pm St Andrew's Anglican Church 177 Stirling Highway, West Nedlands

Join us for this study with The Reverend Dr Sue Boorer BSC (Melb), Dip Ed (Melb), BTh (MCD), Thm (MCD), STM (Yale), Phd (Emory)

Advent is a season of hope, of waiting with expectation for the coming of Christ; both in the celebration of his birth at Christmas, and in his second coming. In these four sessions we will look at expressions of hope reflected in various traditions in the Old Testament, including the psalms, the wisdom literature, and the prophets.



Email <u>st.andrewsparishnedlands@gmail.com</u> for more information

#### **CMS-WA Summer Dinner**

# **Monday 22 January 2024 | 5.30pm Dalkeith Anglican Church - \$30.00**



CMS-WA is excited to welcome Bishop James Wong, who will be sharing about what God is doing in Madagascar, Mauritius and Seychelles. Mike Raiter will show us what God's Word says about the Hope of the Islands. Dinner will be a meal of paella and dessert, whist we mingle and enjoy fellowship.

James Wong is Archbishop of the Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean. Mike Raiter is the Director of the Centre for Biblical Preaching in Melbourne. He was formerly Head of Missions at Moore College and, more recently, Principal of Melbourne School of Theology.



# st LUKE'S

# Advent Calendar 2023

ADVENT 1 3 Dec **7:30am** Said Eucharist **9:30am** Sung Eucharist with Eliza Bourgault du Coudray, harp

CHRISTMAS EVE 24 Dec

11:00pm Midnight Mass

ADVENT 2 10 Dec **7:30am** Said Eucharist **9:30am** Sung Eucharist with Lisa Harper-Brown, soprano

CHRISTMAS DAY 25 Dec 7:00am Christmas
Eucharist
9:30am Christmas
Eucharist

GAUDETE SUNDAY 17 Dec 7:30am Said Eucharist
9:30am Sung Eucharist
with Sidney Harvey, cello
5:00pm Nine Lessons
and Carols with The
Winthrop Singers

EPIPHANY 31 Dec 9:30am ONLY Sung Eucharist

MONDAY 18 Dec

**6:30pm** Kids Prepare for Christmas

THE BAPTISM
OF OUR LORD
7 Jan

7:30am Said Eucharist 9:30am Sung Eucharist

ADVENT 4 24 Dec 9:30am ONLY
Sung Eucharist
with Lachlan Ross,
countertenor

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### Festival of Lessons and Carols

Sun 17th December, 4.00pm

Experience the music and poetry of Christmas with the St Cecilia's Singers, followed by refreshments.

#### Christmas Eve Mass

Sun 24th December, 9.00pm

In the darkness of night, the Light is born.

A Choral Mass with the blessing of the crib, and Victoria's spectacular O magnum mysterium.

# **Christmas Day**

Mon 25th December, 9.00am

A Choral Mass to celebrate the birth of Jesus.





# SPECIAL FILM SCREENING:

# ONE LIFE

# 4.15pm, Thursday 28 December 2023 Luna on SX, Fremantle

**Duration: 109 minutes** 



In 1938, Nicholas Winton, a mild-mannered British stockbroker became increasingly unsettled by the news of what was happening in continental Europe. After a spur-of-the-moment decision to join friends in Prague to help a growing number of refugees, his life and the lives of hundreds of Jewish children facing the threat of Hitler's regime changed forever.

Sir Anthony Hopkins masterfully portrays the deeply humble and reclusive Winton of the 1980s. When asked to declutter his office, Nicholas uncovers the long-buried folders noting names of all children he saved, sparking memories of his wartime experiences. Jumping between past and present, this scrapbook triggers a series of events that culminate in a celebration of his life-saving achievements when the BBC invites him to a television program with surprising consequences.

A story that deeply resonates in our time, as we continue to grapple with war, refugee crises, and growing antisemitism.

One Life offers a moving portrait and a reminder of how one person can make a difference.

Tickets: \$20:00

To order tickets, email marie.e.wilson@bigpond.com or phone 9335 4974

ALL WELCOME — proceeds to CCJWA Inc.



Thursday 11th January 2024 at 8 pm

# PERTH

ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

# VILLDI THE FOUR SEASONS

4 Concertos for Violin, Strings and basso continuo

# MOZART

Aria »Canzonetta« from the opera Don Giovanni

# **POPPER**

»Tarantella« for Violoncello and Orchestra op.33

# PAGANINI

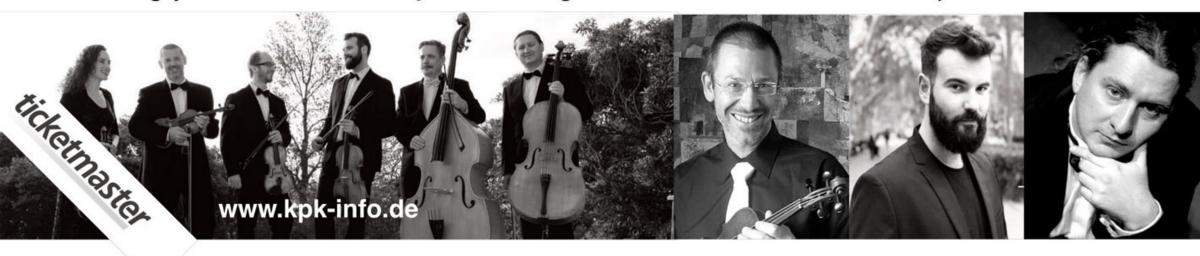
»Carnival in Venice« for Violin and Orchestra

# CHAMBER PHILHARMONIA COLOGNE (Germany)

Sergey Didorenko \* Violin

Jaime Roda Segrelles \* Baritone

Dima Gornowskij \* Violoncello



**Bookings** at

www.ticketmaster.com.au

Tickets at the door (cash sales only) one hour prior to the concert



# DINE RESONANCE



Artistic Director – **Dr Joseph Nolan** 

Presented by St George's Cathedral Foundation for the Arts

#### GLORIA

Presented in collaboration with West Australian Symphony Orchestra

Wed 27 March, 7.30pm Perth Concert Hall

#### SIR FRANCIS BURT MEMORIAL CONCERT

Trumpet **David Elton** & Organ **Dr Joseph Nolan** 

Thu 30 May, 7.30pm St George's Cathedral

# THE AUSTRALIAN STRING QUARTET

Tickets through asq.com.au

Thu 31 October, 7.30pm St George's Cathedral

# AVE REX – FROM ADVENT TO CHRISTMAS

Directed by Dr Joseph Nolan

Wed 13 November, 7.30pm St George's Cathedral



For ticketing information go to concert-series.perthcathedral.org/







# EMERGENCY APPEAL



# ABM AID has launched an appeal for the Al-Ahli Hospital in Gaza.

Your funds are needed more than ever as we support the Diocese of Jerusalem and the Al Ahli Hospital at this hour of great need as they continue to care for the injured and comfort the grieving.

If you are able, and would like to make a donation, please visit:

www.abmission.org/GazaEmergency







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Wednesday: 9:30am-1:00pm

Thursday: 9:30am-1:00pm

Friday: 9:30am-1:00pm

Saturday: 9:30am-1:00pm

# ACCEPTING

Good quality clothes and shoes,

bric-a-brac, books, toys and other treasures.

# NOT ACCEPTING

school textbooks, furniture, or electrical goods.

# ST LUKE'S INSTAGRAM

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# We'd love to hear from you

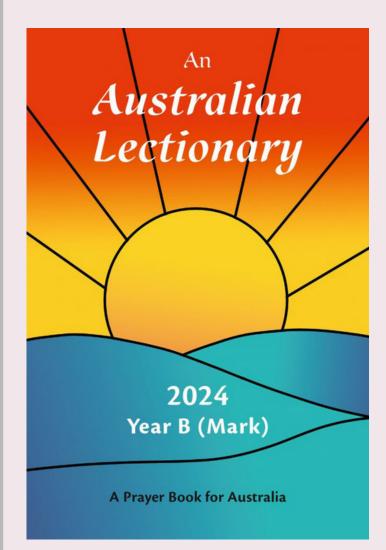




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Your input on the questions in this survey will help ACYM reshape its mandate as a standing commission of Synod.

**ACYMC Survey** 



## **LECTIONARIES FOR YEAR B, Mark, 2024**

APBA Lectionaries from St Johns Books, as a service provided by St Johns Books.

Please order by email <u>books@stjohnsbooks.com.au</u> and your order will be sent by the next post. Please let us know if you would prefer to collect lectionaries from a Fremantle address.

Our discounted price \$14.00 includes GST and postage will be added at cost. (RRP for Lectionaries is \$15.95).

Invoice will list bank transfer details.

YEAR B commences on the First Sunday of Advent 3 December 2023.



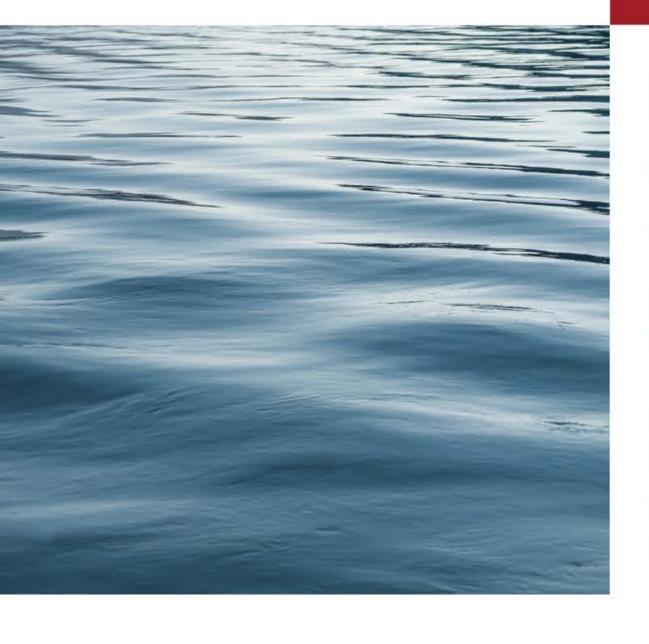
Thank you to all who have supported our Winter mission, we have had greater demand this year than in the past and have consumed our resources quicker than usual

We are now starting to prepare for our Christmas mission to the 80+ families in the extended area where we have existing relationships. Donations of money, food, or gifts (wrapped or unwrapped) would be greatly appreciated.

When parents of families in distresss come to collect their Christmas hamper they are also invited to choose a gift for themselves and their children and your donation will ensure that our most vulnerable families have food and gifts on Christmas day.



## **Doctor of Professional Practice**



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Deepen your practice and knowledge with the Doctor of Professional Practice.

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In 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2022 the federal government's Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Student Experience Survey ranked us #1 out of all universities in Australia. This includes metrics such as learner engagement, teaching quality and student support.

#### **EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**



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Integrating critical thinking, spiritual awareness and theological engagement with knowledge and lived experience, the program equips mature professionals to develop their research competency and make impactful contributions in their fields.

Graduates of the program are innovative and collaborative practitioners who integrate understandings of self, profession, systems and context. As thought leaders, they model what it is to do deep work.

**Download brochure** 

# 2024 MANDORLA ART AWARD ENTRIES NOW OPEN

With a prize pool of over \$50,000, Mandorla is Australia's most significant thematic Christian art prize. The Mandorla Art Award actively fosters a relationship between contemporary fine artists and the writings of the Hebrew and Christian scriptures. Open to all artists across Australia, working in any medium, Mandorla invites artists

to think laterally and with sensitivity by interpreting a new theme for each iteration of the award.

The 2024 theme: Refocus 'Let all that you do be done in love' (1 Cor. 16:14)

#### **PRIZES**

2024 promises to be Mandorla's most exciting award yet, with the inclusion of a major new prize category, the <u>New Norcia Artist Residency Prize</u>. This is a unique opportunity for an artist to live and create artwork in Australia's only monastic

town. In partnership with the New Norcia Benedictine Monastery, this one-month residency provides a studio, accommodation, meals and a \$10,000 artist fee.

In 2024, Mandorla will award five prize categories:

- · Mandorla Art Award Prize Acquisitive: \$30,000
- · Highly Commended Catholic Archdiocese Prize: \$5,000
- · Highly Commended Anglican Diocese Prize: \$5,000
- · People's Choice Prize provided by Benedictine Community: \$2,000
- · New Norcia Artist Residency Prize: 1-month residency and \$10,000

#### **JUDGES**

Finalist works are selected by an eminent panel of judges and shown in an exhibition in May 2024 at Holmes à Court Gallery in Gooyaman West Perth. The artwork awarded the Mandorla Art Prize is acquired into the Mandorla Collection, held at the New Norcia Museum and Art Gallery. The selection panel and judges for the 2024 Mandorla Art Award are:

Hannah Mathews - Director of Perth Institute of Contemporary Arts, WA Richard Lewer - Artist, Vic Dr Raewynne Whiteley - Theologian, WA

#### **ENTRIES**

Entries are open from now until **Friday 13 March 2024**. Artists can enter via the <u>online entry form</u>. The artwork can be in any medium and must have been produced in the last year and not previously exhibited.

#### CONTACT

Web: <u>www.mandorlaart.com</u>
Email: <u>info@mandorlaart.com</u>
Curator: <u>curator@mandorlaart.com</u>







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Above: Claire Beasein, 2022 Winner, *Chalice*, silkworm cocoons on cotton rag paper.

Below: Mikaela Castledine, 2018 Winner, *God is in the House*, Crochet cotton, glass and ceramic found objects



Mandorla Centre for Inner Peace Inc www.mandorlaart.com



# Centre for Christian Belief, Spirituality and **Australian Culture**

**Wollaston Theological College** 



Encouraging vital encounters with the living God and deepening awareness of the transforming work of the Spirit in Australian life

# TREE OF LIFE

# **Weekends Programme**

in Christian Spirituality, Spiritual Formation and Spiritual Direction

16 February - 18 February

24 May - 26 May

16 August - 18 August

16 November - 17 November

Applications are invited for the 10 positions available in 2024 for first year participants in the Tree of Life Weekends Programme in Spirituality, **Spiritual** Formation, Christian **Spiritual** Direction, Wollaston Theological College.

The Programme consists of four residential weekends per year for four years. Each weekend lecture/presentations, reflection, of consists case-studies, discussions, sharing groups, practicum in Spiritual Direction and Spiritual Formation, as well as prayer and worship in the Anglican Tradition.

This course is held at St John of God Retreat Centre, Gloucester Crescent, Shoalwater, and is open to both clergy and lay people who want to explore the Spiritual Tradition and deepen their own spiritual life.

It also provides a formation for spiritual director's and is now recognised by the Australian Ecumenical Council for Spiritual Direction as a programme meeting its Guidelines for the formation of Spiritual Directors

A brochure, providing details of the programme together with an application form, is available on request from the Programme Director.

**Enquiries may be directed to the Programme Director, The Reverend Ross Jones** 0404 233 780; e-mail <u>rossj6508@gmail.com</u>

## **Proposed Ignation Retreat 2024**

In response to a number of requests we are exploring the possibility of providing a 6-day Ignatian Retreat in 2024 and are inviting expressions of interest from those would like to attend. We would need to have at least 12 participants.

This is a directed silent retreat in which you will have the opportunity to pursue a time of prayerful discernment and grow closer to God.

The directors, one of whom will meet with you daily, are trained in the many forms of prayer suggested by St. Ignatius in The Spiritual Exercises, designed to strengthen the individual in the Christian life of 'action in contemplation', and to help you 'find God in all things'.

#### The estimated cost will be: \$1500

Registrations of Interest or Enquiries may be directed to The Reverend Judy Van Rossum: 0409 116 622 or alternatively email: <u>judithaclay1@bigpond.com</u>

**Download Registration of Interest Form** 



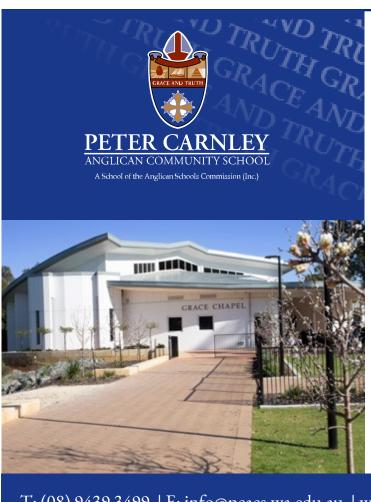
# **CLERGY NEWS/VACANCIES**

#### **Locum Tenens**

The Venerable Jack Thomson
The Reverend Frank Sheehan OAM

Woodlands-Wembley Downs South Perth

01.01.24-31.03.24 15.01.24-19.05.24



#### **SCHOOL CHAPLAIN**

Wellard, Perth, Western Australia

We are seeking a warm and engaging Anglican Priest to join our flourishing School community as School Chaplain.

The Chaplain plays a key role in the expression of Christian faith in the School, leading Chapel Services, working closely with the Religious Education staff and Pastoral team to support the mission of the School. This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to be the first Chaplain to experience the joy of delivering ministry in our beautiful new Grace Chapel.

If you are an articulate and engaging Anglican priest, keen to influence the next phase of our School's growth, this rewarding career move is for you. An exciting new journey awaits!

For further information visit our website. Applications or Expressions of Interest and Queries should be addressed to the Principal, Ms Felicity House, and submitted to <a href="mailto:principal@pcacs.wa.edu.au">principal@pcacs.wa.edu.au</a>

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# What's coming up:





10 Dec (Sat) 12-2pm Upper Burt Hall

Advent /'æd.vənt/

Meaning: a coming into place, view, or being; arrival.

What's your thought of Christmas?





Joy to the world, the Lord has come! We need Young Adults to come and help as we open our doors to the families following the City of Perth Light Trail.



St George's Cathedral Perth

MAY 2024

# COME AND SEE, COME AND FOLLOW

Revised Pilgrimage announced:

Turkey, Greece, Rome & Assisi.

For our new revised pilgrimage pack email precentor@perthcathedral.org



The Safe Ministry Team would like to thank everyone for the time and effort that is put into meeting Safe Ministry requirements to ensure that our parishes are safe environments for all.

We look forward to working with you all and providing further support to you in 2024.

The first Parish Screening Reports will be out in March!





Tuesday 16 January 2024. Closing date for submissions is by COB **Tuesday 9 January 2024** 



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