Forster-Tuncurry Anglican Parish

Spring Program, 2017

**

One Parish – Four Centres

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*“We will connect meaningfully with our community in order to inspire hope and transformed lives through faith in Jesus.”*



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⌘ TERM PROGRAM ⌘

Traditional Services

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| **Date** | **OT/reading** | **Epistle/reading** | **Gospel/reading** |
| 3rd Sep | Ex 3.1-5 | Rom 12.9-21 | *Matt 16.21-28* |
| 10th Sep | Ex 12.1-14 | Rom 13.1-10 | *Matt 18.10-20* |
| 17th Sep | Ex 14.19-31 | Rom 14.1-14 | *Matt 18.21-35* |
| 24th Sep | Ex 16.2-15 | *Phil 1* | Matt 20.1-16 |
| 1st Oct | Ex 17.1-7 | *Phil 2* | Matt 21.23-32 |
| 8th Oct | Ex 20.1-4, 7-9, 12-20 | *Phil 3* | Matt 21.33-46 |
| 15th Oct | Ex 32.1-14 | *Phil 4* | Matt 22.1-14 |
| 22nd Oct | Ex 33.12-23 | *1 Thess 1.1-10* | Matt 22.15-33 |
| 29th OctCombined Ref DVD | *Romans 1.14-23* | *Romans 3.8-26* | *Romans 5.1-10* |
| 5th Nov Reformation DVD2 | *Ephesians 2.1-10* | *Titus 2.11-14* | *Luke 18.9-14* |
| 12th Nov Reformation DVD3 | Acts 20.32,1 Cor 10.11-12,  Heb 4.12,2 Peter 1.20-21 | *2 Tim 3.14-17* | *Psalm 19* |
| 19th Nov Reformation DVD 4 | *Heb 9.1-28* | *1 Cor 11.23-34* | *Heb 4.14-16* |
| 26th Nov | Ezek 34.11-16, 20-24 | Eph 1.15-23 | *Matthew 25.31-46* |
| 3rd Dec | Isa 64.1-9 | 1 Cor 1.1-9 | *Mark 13.24-37* |
| 10th Dec | Isa 40.1-11 | 2 Peter 3.8-15a | *Mark 1.1-8* |
| 17th Dec | Isa 61.1-4, 8-11 | 1 Thess 5.12-28 | *John 1.6-8, 19-28* |
| 24th Dec | 2 Sam 7.1-11, 16 | Ps 89.1-4, 19-27 | *Luke 1.26-38* |
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Contemporary services

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| **Date** | **Focus passage** | **Topic** |
| 3rd Sep | *Matt 16.21-28* | Following Jesus |
| 10th Sep | *Matt 18.10-20* | “Sheep on the fringe” |
| 17th Sep | *Matt 18.21-35* | “A forgiving church” |
| 24th Sep | *Philippians 1* | A life worthy of the Gospel |
| 1st Oct | *Philippians 2* | Being Saved |
| 8th Oct | *Philippians 3* | The goal of the heavenly prize |
| 15th Oct | *Philippians 4* | Stand firm and rejoice! |
| 22nd Oct | Acts 3.1-26 | Peter empowered to heal |
| 29th OctCombined Ref DVD | See the full list | **Faith** Alone – Martin Luther |
| 5th Nov Reformation DVD2 | in the Traditional | **Grace** Alone – John Calvin |
| 12th Nov Reformation DVD3 | services | **Bible** Alone – William Tyndale |
| 19th Nov Reformation DVD4 | above. | **Christ** Alone – Thomas Cranmer |
| 26th Nov | *Matthew 25.31-46* | Christ the King! |
| 3rd Dec | *Mark 13.24-37* | Advent 1: Keep Awake! |
| 10th Dec | *2 Peter 3.8-15a* | Advent 2: The truth of scripture |
| 17th Dec | *1 Thess 5.12-28* | Advent 3: Until the Lord returns |
| 24th Dec | *Luke 1.26-38* | Advent 4: A blessing from God |

It’s the 500 year anniversary of the reformation, so a special DVD series on the reformation will be shown during the services shown above. ⌘ GROWTH GROUPS ⌘ - During School term

**K.Y.B. KRAMBACH 1st & 3rd Mondays** @ 1.30pm Contact **Peg Sawyer**

**Doug Dowling Tuesdays** @ 5.00pm.Contact **Doug Dowling**

**St Paul’s NABIAC Alt. Tuesday** @ 6.00-7.00pm. Contact **Geraldine Carson**

**St Nicholas Thursdays** @ 10.30am. Contact **Rev Bill** Contact **Rev Bill**

**St Alban’s Thursdays** @2.00-3.00pm. Contact **Heather Dwyer**

**Clive and Lyn Fridays** at 1.00-3.00pm. Contact **Clive Davies**

⌘ KIDS CONNECT ⌘ - During School term

**Toddler Time** (0-5yrs + Parents/carers) **Mondays** @ 9.30am St Alban’s Church Hall

Contact **Trisha Harris**

**Special Religious Education (SRE), Fridays** Forster & Tuncurry,9.30am - 11.30am

Contact **Rev Mark**

**SRE, Fridays** Krambach,9.30am & 10.00amContact **Dennis Ang**

**Scripture in Forster – Tuncurry (SIFT) Committee** Chairperson **Dennis Ang**

⌘ FOCUS ON PRAYER ⌘- During School term

**Wednesday** 8.45am St. Alban’s after Tea, toast & Theology

**Prayer Chain** Contact the Parish office

⌘ FOCUS EVENTS! ⌘

**Working Bee Parish Hall – more details later**

**Men’s Dinner Tuesday 3rd October** 6pm @ St Alban’s Hall

**Games afternoon 2nd Saturday** 1pm @ St Nicholas

⌘ VITAL GROUPS ⌘

**Op-Shop –** Monday to Friday 9am - 4pm; Saturday 9am to 12.30pm

**Book-Shop –** Monday to Wednesday & Friday 9am - 12pm. Saturday 10am-1pm

**Gardening Group –** St Alban’s Tuesday mornings 9am

**Walking Group –** meet at St Alban’s carpark each 1st & 3rd Monday morning

**Court-care – Twice monthly –** Contact Suellen Belton for more info…

**Rugrats – Tuesday** @ 10.00 am St Alban’s Hall.

**Parish Council** 2nd **Tuesday** of each month @ 4.00 pm St Alban’s Hall.

**Mini-Lunch 2nd Wednesday** of each month @ 11.30 am St Alban’s Hall.

**Tea, Toast & Theology** every Wednesday @ 8 - 8:45am St Alban’s Hall.

**Pastoral Partners -** Contact Clive Davies for more info…

⌘ ST. ALBANS SERVICES ⌘

Saturdays: 5.30 pm Contemporary *+ Communion*

Sundays: 8.00 am *Holy Communion* ***\*\****

9.30 am Contemporary (Communion on the last Sunday) *\*\**

⌘ GATHERINGS AT OTHER CENTRES ⌘

**Tuncurry, St. Nicholas** *9.30pm Every Sunday – Holy Communion* ***\*\****

*9.30pm Every Thursday – Holy Communion*

**Nabiac, St. Paul’s** 11.30am Contemporary – 1st Sunday

*11.30am Holy Communion*  **–** *3rd Sunday*

**Dyers Crossing** 11.30am Contemporary – 2nd Sunday

*11.30am Holy Communion – 4th Sunday*

***\*\*The parish combines (5th Sunday) at St Alban’s on 29th October @ 9.30am***

⌘ RETIREMENT VILLAGES ⌘

Estia Forster 10.30am 1st Friday of the month – Rev Bill

Estia Tuncurry 10.30am 1st arr. by ministers Fraternal – Pat Sanderson

Glaica 3.00pm 1st Wednesday of the month – Rev Bill

Kularoo 2.00pm 3rd Wednesday of the month – Rev Bill

⌘ LEADERSHIP ⌘

Rev Mark Harris – Senior Minister/Rector……………. Ph: 0425 265 547

(Day of rest – either Thursday or Friday) Email: rev[markharris@icloud.com](mailto:markharris@icloud.com)

Rev Bill Green – Priest in Local Mission…………………… Ph: 0488 570 028

(On Duty Wednesday-Friday and Sunday) Email: [wpgreen5@bigpond.com](mailto:wpgreen5@bigpond.com)

Rev Helen Quinn – Deacon in Local Mission………….Ph: 0427 592 723

(On duty by arrangement) Email: rqu783662@bigpond.com

Lay Ministry Team:

Clive Davies Pat Sanderson Phillip Castle Dennis Ang

Home Visitation:

Rev Mark Rev Bill Rev Helen Pat Sanderson

Parish Council Executive:

Clive Davies – Rectors Warden Kit Carson – Peoples Warden

Judy Hall – Peoples Warden and Parish Secretary

Phillip Castle – Acting Treasurer

Parish Councillors:

Dennis Ang Suellen Belton Peter Board John Sanderson

Heather Dwyer Barry Levick Heather Webster – Safety Delegate