

+Parish Directory+

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Community Centre

Administration Office

Service Times

Sunday

10:00 am Eucharist

Year's Mind: *Please remember in your prayers*

JULY

22nd Eileen Fleming
23rd Stanley Jones, Edna Brown, Isileli Fonua, Victor Handley, Margaret Joan Lane
24th Winifred Hemmings, Marjorie Edna Morgan, Donald Alan McLean, Lindsay O'Neill
25th Constance Lillian Coleman, Grace Guest, Kenneth Hardman
26th Harold John Pannell
27th John Elliott, Keith Mildenhall, Frank Carman, Olga Ritchie

Please pray for the sick and homebound, the lonely, the bereaved, those in nursing homes including: Anne Boyd, Terry, Tarquam, Nicholas, Val Shilton (Westhaven), Bp Andrew St John, Grace, Noel Soma and family, Catherine, Philip & Kate S, Maurie S, Wolly Borkut, Luz, Sally Boyle, Grace Elkanah, Lauren, Austin Byard and any other members or friends of the Parish whom you know to be ill.

Birthdays 25th Margaret Lynch
 27th Luz Hayes



The Anglican Parish of Footscray



+ St John the Evangelist, Paisley Street, Footscray +

21st t July, 2024

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

2 Sam. 7:1-14a; Psalm 89:21-38; Eph. 2:11-22; Mk. 6:30-34, 53-56

Parish prayer for growth

God of Mission,

Who alone brings growth to your Church,

send your Holy Spirit to give

Vision to our planning,

Wisdom to our actions,

Joy to our worship, and power to our witness

Help our church to grow in numbers

in spiritual commitment to you,

and in service to our local community,

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

2 Sam. 11:1-15; Psalm 14; Eph. 3:14-21; Jn. 6:1-21

Welcome to Visitors

We warmly welcome all visitors worshipping here today. You are invited to receive Holy Communion with us, if you would like to do so. You may like to talk with some of us over morning tea, and to sign the church visitors' book. It is very good to have you with us.

Our Sunday services are live streamed and available on Facebook, the link being as follows:

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/category/Religious-Organization/St-Johns-Anglican-Church-Footscray-103509047819846/>

ABM Reflection

Today's gospel reading shows us that Jesus considered rest to be an important facet of ministry once in a while, and yet the pressure to minister remains, with 'sheep without a shepherd' and the sick being ever present. How can we encourage our clergy to work hard and to be able to take restful breaks so that they do not suffer burnout? How can lay people play a leadership role?

- Pray for all those parish priests and chaplains (and their families) who find it hard to be able to take breaks because it is difficult for them to arrange cover.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Nippon Sei Ko Kai, the Anglican Church of Japan.

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Meetings

Parish Council met on Sunday 14th July
Churchwardens meet on Sunday 28th July

Missional Sundays at St. John's Footscray

*A Reflective Hour of Prayer, Praise, and Proclamation
with Engaging Music and Discussion*

Today's Roster 21st July 2024

Hymns	467; Nadja; SS; NB;SS;537
Reader	Catherine
Intercessions	Tarquam
Communion Assistant	Luz
Morning Tea	David, Theo, Jacqui, Nicholas

Next Week's Roster - 28st July 2024

Hymns	TBA
Reader	Terry
Intercessions	Catherine
Communion Assistant	Nadja
Cleaning	Dink Congregation
Flowers	Margaret
Morning Tea	David, Margaret

Missional Sundays at St. John's Footscray

(Embracing God's Story of Growth in Us through the LYCIG Model)

"He told them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed, which a man took and planted in his field. Though it is the smallest of all seeds, yet when it grows, it is the largest of garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds come and perch in its branches.'"

(Matthew 13:31-32)

DATES & TIME

Every Third Sunday of the Month during the 10 am Service

- **August 18**
- **September 15**
- **October 20**
- **November 17**

THEMES

- **August 18:** Creating a prayerful culture
- **September 15:** Implementing the 4 P's
- **October 20:** Developing engaging worship
- **November 17:** Becoming an inviting and welcoming Church

Join us as we embrace these themes and grow together in faith and community!

