

St Paul's Anglican Church - Balga-Mirrabooka

Paul's Epistle

30th June 2019

The Third Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome to Church

Sunday Services

Eucharist

8.00 am

Sung

Eucharist

9.30 am

Sudanese

Dinka

Service

11.30am

Parish

Priest

The Rev'd

Alan Forsyth

(Locum Tenens)

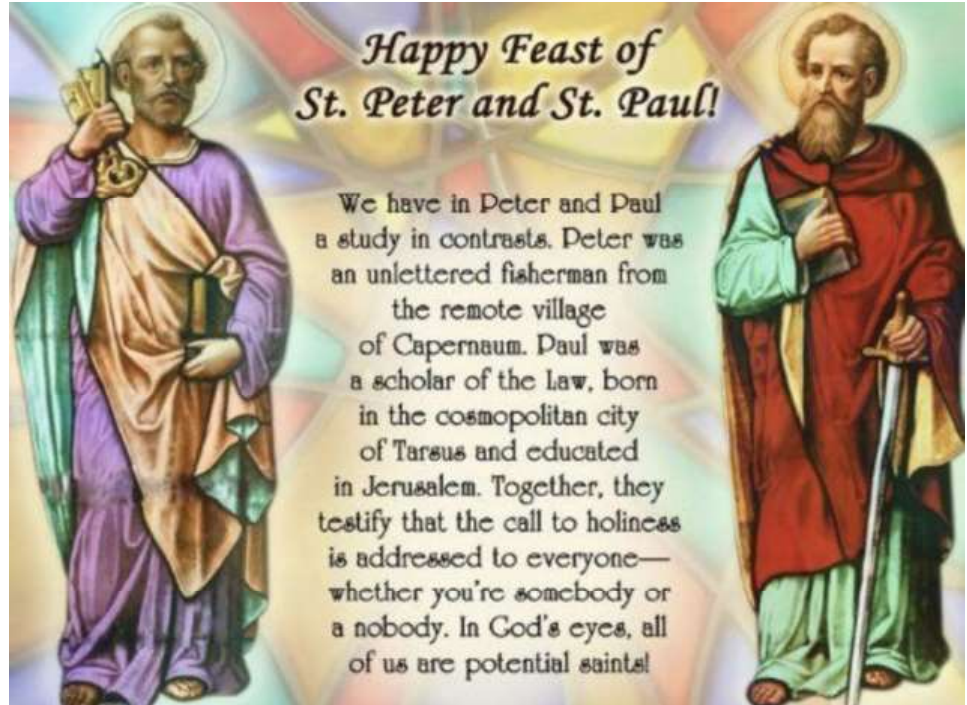
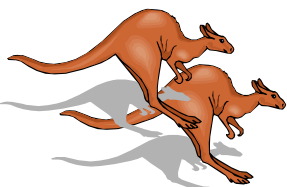
Associate

Priest:

The Rev'd

Timon

Yanga



The Third Sunday After Pentecost [OS 13]

— Sunday 30 June 2019

2 Kings 2.1-2, 6-14

Psalm 77.1-2, 11-20

Galatians 5.1, 13-25

Luke 9.51-62

Justice: In the first part of today's Gospel we find ourselves with those hotheads, James and John. They want some kind of misplaced justice for Jesus, whom the Samaritans refused to welcome because he was on his way to their rivals in Jerusalem. 'Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?' Well, no, actually. Love, actually. In the second part of the reading, we learn that anyone wanting to strive for God's kingdom has to put it above anything else. To do anything else would be unjust to those who yearn for the coming of God's kingdom of love, hope and justice.

Pray for all who are looking at what has to be done so they too can follow Christ in their daily lives.

Give thanks for all who donate to ABM to help us spread the Gospel of love, hope and justice.

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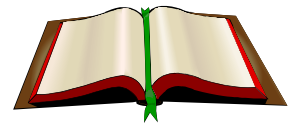
Bible Readings: 7th July

2 Kings 5.1-14

Psalms 30

Galatians 6.7-18

Luke 10.1-12, 17-24



Readings

Type into your browser: <http://www.stpaulsmirrabooka.org.au/>

For username type: parishioner

For password type: parish1 And do the sum below, then click login

SUNG EVENSONG

The school sung Evensong with full choir is on every Wednesday during school term at 5pm.

Sentence

Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for Jesus' sake will find it.

ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

Wednesday lunch-time concerts at St. George's Cathedral, Perth:

1.00 p.m. - 1.45 p.m.

July 3 & 31;

August 7 & 21

September 4 & 18.

For details, see notice board in the foyer of St. Paul's.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY in June to

Laura Wood & Cynthia Annels 15th;

Joshua Bush 23rd; Nigel Holden 24th;

May the dear Lord bless you, Shower graces on you;

May He guide you forever: Happy birthday to you!



60TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

You can learn a lot by looking at foundation plaques and we have three of them. Have a look at them today. Two are inside the church on the wall near the Chapel of **St Julian** and one on the outside near the entrance to the Foyer. The two inside speak to the earlier locations of the church buildings. The first church for the Parish of Nollamara was named ***Christ the King***, in Nanson Way, Nollamara and was opened in May 1959. In 1980 the church changed its name to **St Paul's**.

Several years later **St Paul's** moved to a new property opened in December 1987 on the corner of Poinsettia Way and Mirrabooka Ave, Mirrabooka as the Parish of Nollamara-Mirrabooka. The Nanson Way site was then purchased by the Buddhist Society of WA which still operates there.

The Parish worked out of the Poinsettia way property for about ten years but decided to sell the property in 1997 and move to the John Septimus Roe Anglican Community School. The former church became a Mosque for some years but is now vacant land.

At the school, **St Paul's** congregation began worshipping in a school building until our current church was opened in May 1998. In about 2004 we were asked to host a congregation of Anglican Sudanese Dinka people who are still part of our parish. Since then both the Balga (**The Church of the Good Shepherd**) and later Ballajura (**St Julian's**) parishes have closed and we have been enriched by the former members who subsequently joined **St Pauls**.

The Parish was renamed Balga-Mirrabooka in 2007. So 2019 is the 60th anniversary of this much amalgamated and relocated Parish and we continue our ministry in this community to the Glory of God.

Ken Evans

FRIENDSHIP GROUP

There will not be a meeting of St Paul's Friendship Group in July but instead a Mid-year luncheon at The Greenwood Hotel on Thursday 11th July. Final numbers for booking to Tony by Sunday 7th July.

2020 TOURS

There are three 2020 tours being organised by Anglican Tours. These are as follows:

Israel. A tour of Israel, Palestine and Jordan, 4th - 22nd May, 2020;

Oberammergau. Oberammergau Passion Play, Germany and Switzerland, 22nd July - 5th August, 2020;

India. November 2019 or 2020.

A small number of "Expression of Interest" forms are available in the foyer of the church.