

St Paul's Anglican Church - Balga-Mirrabooka

Paul's Epistle

18th August 2019

The Tenth 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)

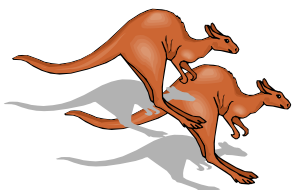
Associate

Priest:

The Rev'd

Timon

Yanga



Ordinary Sunday 20

[Pentecost 10]

– Sunday 18 August

Isaiah 5.1-7

Psalms 80.1-2, 8-19

Hebrews 11.29 – 12.2

Luke 12.49-59

Our New Testament readings today encourage us to persevere in faithfulness to Jesus despite any suffering because of opposition, which can come even from family members.

Jesus also urges us to 'judge.....what is right' and make our peace with God now rather than suffering the penalty of God's judgment (which the people of Judah were also warned about in the 1st Reading).

Give thanks for those whose actions have been inspired by their faith, and pray for God's 'power' to follow their example.

Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines.

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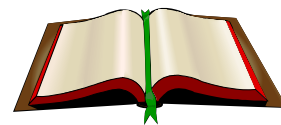
Bible Readings: 25th August

Jeremiah 1.4-10

Psalms 71.1-6

Hebrews 12.18-29

Luke 13.10-17



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

'Is not my word like fire,' says the Lord, 'and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?'

ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

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

1.00 p.m. - 1.45 p.m.

August 21

September 4 & 18.

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY in August to

Alva Garton 3rd; Adam Wood 12th; Barry Tester 17th

David Heaton 19th; Mei Wood 20th;

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

May He guide you forever: Happy birthday to you!



ROSTERS

The Roster Sheet for September, October and November will be in the foyer for the next two weeks. If you are going to be unavailable for any time over this period can you please note it on the sheets or send me an email at warkcar@iinet.net.au. Wayne and I and Terry and Jillian Eason will be absent during September and some of October so there will be some slots to fill, if you are able to assist please note it on the sheets, or again, send me an email. I particularly need people to help with the counting and banking. All help will be appreciated.

Thanks, Anne Carter

God Is Not Distant

Do you ever feel that God
Is distant and aloof?
Do you wonder if He cares
And has the time for you?

Do you think Christ would've died
If you were the only one?
Do you think God had such love
To have sent His only son?

I think God cares enough for us
To do this and much more
He's never distant and aloof
In this, you can be sure

He always said He'd never leave,
Nor will He forsake us,
He only wants to spend some time,
To share with us His love

We often say, 'God doesn't care
And there isn't any hope'
But it's maybe at those desperate times,
He's working in us the most

God loves us all, way to much,
To leave us as we are
That's why He sends to us the rain
To soften our hardened hearts.