

One service next Sunday

THERE will be only one service in the parish next Sunday (July 14) and that will be in St Mary's, starting at 9am.

The combined service will celebrate the church's patron saint, St Mary. The actual anniversary date is the following day, August 15.

We celebrate Mary, Mother of Our Lord to remind us of the role she played in the salvation of humankind. The title "Mother of God" is a western derivation from the Greek Theotokos, which means "God-bearer".

Mary was chosen by God to bring Jesus Christ into this world and her willingness to do so is a cause for great celebration.

Any contributions to the expected bigger-than-usual morning tea would be appreciated.

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Next Sunday's rosters

Combined service at St Mary's no roster required for All Saints

St Mary's, Aug 14, 10am

LA/sacristan: Sarah Zuiddam Intercessions: David Zuiddam Host/covid cleaner: Janet Hewett

Readers: Sarah Zuiddam, Sharon Zuiddam Power point: Timothy Zuiddam

Today's hymns

Great is your faithfulness Alleluia, alleluia Behold the Lamb The Power of Your Love

Today's Bible readings:

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20 Psalm 50:1-8, 23-24 Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 (17-28) Luke 12:32-40 [Genesis 15:1-6; Ps 33:13-21]

Next week's hymns (Aug. 14)

Tell Out My Soul Mary did you know? Mary Heard the Angel's Message One More Step along the world I go

Next week's Bible readings (Aug 14)

Isaiah 5:1-7 Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19 Hebrews 11:29 -12:2 Luke 12:49-59 [Jeremiah 23:23-29; Ps 82]

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Ngaala kaaditi Noongar moort, keyen kaadak nidja boodja

We acknowledge the Noongar people as the original custodians of this land

Welcome to our service on 9th Sunday after Pentecost, August 7, 2022

Please join us for fellowship and morning tea after the service

Commit to growing the parish

THE next two months will hopefully see significant developments in our drive the Parish Council acceptto "grow the parish".

Firstly, the new Parish Council will meet with Bishop Jeremy and community building expert Allan Tranter on August 21 and then on September 10, Bishop Jeremy and Mr Tranter meet with the parish to seek input and ideas for moving for-

ward together.

At the Parish Consultation with **Bishop Jeremy** in 2021, parishioners shared thoughts and ideas on growing the parish

and committed to developing a blueprint

for moving forward with

positivity and energy. Following that meeting,

ed an offer by Bishop Jeremy to seek the services of Mr Tranter. The parish council had met the bishop and Mr

Bishop Jeremy. Tranter on two occasions, but a third meeting has been ar-

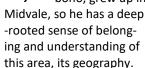
> ranged to bring the new council up-to-date on the proposal. Mr Tranter comes with a wealth of experience in working with diverse community and cor-

porate bodies to enable the building of positive

and forward-thinking groups and communities. He is co-founder of Cre-

> ating Communities Australia with wife Donna. and both are directors.

> Mr Tranter. who is offering his services probono, grew up in



The parish engagement" on September 11 will start the real process of moving forward and growing our future, both financially and physically and also as a witnessing and caring community. This meeting will start at 3pm so please come along and commit.



Allan Tranter

Tony's passion for tidy churchyards

NOT many parishioners would know his name, but Tony Murace has done more for the parish over recent years than most other people -- and saved us many thousands of dollars.

The excellent condition of the grounds at All Saints and St Mary's over the years has been basically down to Tony.

Tony works for the Department of Justice and his job is to gainfully use offenders who have been given community service sentences by the courts.

And he chooses to spend time at both our sites at no cost to the parish.

Tony has also helped out in the catering of some church functions in the Minchin Centre in recent years.

Parish councillor Mike Salmon, also an active volunteer groundsman, described Tony's efforts as "simply wonderful" while former church warden Sharon Zuiddam said the excellent state of the church grounds

Prayer for new priest

BOUNTIFUL God, please give to this Anglican Parish of Swan a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak Your word and minister Your sacraments: an encourager who will equip our people for ministry and enable us to fulfill our calling.

Give to those who will choose wisdom, discernment and patience and to us give warm and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen

was basically down to Tony and his team.

Only last week, Tony was seen weeding the garden beds in front of the Minchin Centre.



— MONEY FOR JAM! ———

Every little bit helps! Since the start of this financial year – just over a month ago – the parish has banked almost \$700 from its little "cottage industries".

The money has come from:

*Containers for Change \$346 (\$520 since the initiative started).

*Jams and preserves \$141.

candles \$168.

*Craft Group item sales \$25.

These fund-raising efforts are making a valuable contribution to church finances and thanks must go to those who so willing support the efforts.

In particular we thank Sarah (Simpson) for her jams and preserves, Karl and Helga (Aldinger) for the recycled candle *Recycled boutique workshop, Marlene

(Perriman) and Mike (Salmon) for coordinating the Containers for Change donations and the Swan Anglican Craft Group ladies for their cards and craft items.

So. now's its time for you to start rummaging through your neighbours' bins and turning their cans and bottles into cash for the parish! Or sell them some jams or crafts.

LEFT: Tony and one of his "charges" after completing the pruning of an olive tree alongside the path to St

APPEAL TO MARK COBY'S LOSS

TO mark the death of her husband Andrew 12 months ago, Coby Aylmore will be trying to raise as much money as possible during August for Multiple Myeloma

August 28 is the first anniversary of Andrew's death to multiple myeloma, an aggressive form of cancer which affects the bone marrow.

Australia.

For the next three Sundays, Coby will be fund-raising at St Mary's, where she is a regular worshipper with baby Lucy, born after Andrew died. Lucy was baptised in St Mary's on April 24.

Donations can be made via the OR code (displayed) or cash boxes in the Minchin Centre. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

> All funds raised will go directly to Multiple Myeloma Australia, which helps those living with multiple myeloma and their families by providing in-home care, medicines, treatment research, disease research and a whole lot

more.

Coby said information about the charity would be displayed alongside the donation boxes in the Minchin Centre.

Things you should know

VALE SHIRLEY MILES: Sadly we record the death of Shirley Miles, mother of Doug and a parishioner at St Mary's until fairly recently. The funeral service will be in St Mary's on Tuesday (Aug 9) at 9am followed by refreshments in the Minchin Centre. Volunteers to make tea/coffee would be appreciated.

PROBLEM PAVERS: If there's anyone out there with experience of laying pavers, there's a job waiting for you at St Mary's! The path leading from the Minchin Centre to the church has a few "sunken" pavers which are now deemed to be a hazard. If you can help, please see one of the parish councillors.

NEW ROSTERS: Print-outs of the new guarterly St Mary's rosters are now available in the Minchin Centre display cabinet. There are still a couple of vacant spots to be filled.

PARISH BREKKY: Please note in your diary Saturday, September 10, as the date of the parish breakfast at All Saints.