

Parish breakfast Sept. 17

THE first social event in the parish for over six months, a parish breakfast at All Saints, is less than two weeks away.

A full breakfast menu is on offer, all for \$10 a head. All proceeds to parish funds.

Please advise either Greg Fawell (AS) or Tom Winterbourn (SM) if you plan to attend (for catering purposes); if you have any special dietary requirements; or if you are prepared to help cater for the event.

The breakfast will start at 8am.

Increasing the number of social events is a key part of the overall "Growing the Parish" initiative, so your support will be appreciated.

Coby's appeal exceeds target

COBY Aylemore's appeal for funds to help fight Myeloma, which claimed the life of her husband Andrew 12 months ago, has exceeded expectations, with \$3343 raised by Sept. 1. The original target was \$1000. Myeloma is a type of blood cancer that develops from plasma cells (white blood cells) in the bone marrow. Coby worships at St Mary's with baby daughter Lucy.

Sentence: Whoever does not carry the cross and follow Jesus cannot be his disciple. Luke 14:27

Prayer of the Day: God of all ages, You call the church to keep watch in the world and to discern the signs of the times: Grant us the wisdom that Your Spirit bestows, so that with courage we may proclaim your prophetic word and complete the work you have set before us; through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You in unity of the Holy Spirit, one

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Order of service: HC1

Next Sunday's rosters

All Saints, Sept 11, 7.30am

Pre-cleaning: Bridgette Pivac

Sacristan: John Dendy

LA: John Dendy

Readers: Erica Hill and Rosalyn Tay-Brighton

Intercessions: Gaye Moses

Morning tea: Sheila Thillagaktnam

St Mary's, Sept 11, 10am

LA/sacristan: Marlene Perriman

Intercessions: Ian Ludlow

Host/covid cleaner: Sandra Humphrey

Readers: Janet Hewett, Gillian King

Power point: Joshua Ludlow

Morning tea: Ludlow family

Cleaning: Janet Hewett

Today's hymns

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Behold the Lamb

One Bread One Body

All Over the World

Today's Bible readings:

Jeremiah 18, v1-11

Psalms 139, v1-5, 12-18

Philemon v1-25

Luke 14, v25-35

Next week's hymns (Sept. 11)

Come as you are

Seek Ye First

The Lord's My Shepherd

Give Me Oil in My Lamp

Next week's Bible readings (Sept 11)

Jeremiah 4, v11-12, 22-28

Psalms 14

1 Timothy 1, v1-2, 12-19

Luke 15: v1-10



Passion and Purpose



The weekly bulletin of the Swan Anglican Parish

Ngaala kaaditj Noongar moort, keyen kaadak nidja boodja

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

Welcome to our service on 13th Sunday after Pentecost, Sept. 4, 2022

Please join us for fellowship and morning tea after the service

Big week for parish planning

THE coming week will have the potential to change the way we operate as a parish and will be critical to our future worship and pastoral outreach.

On Tuesday, the new parish council will be brought up-to-date by Bishop Jeremy James and Community building expert Allan Tranter on decisions made by the previous council to grow the parish.

And next Sunday (Sept 11), the whole parish has a chance to help determine our future direction.

The parish engagement, starting at 3pm in the Minchin Centre, will hopefully approve strategies to restore the vibrancy of our unique Swan Valley parish.

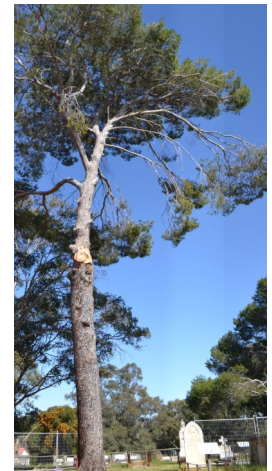
All parishioners are urged to attend, become engaged and commit to developing new strategies.

In another move to "grow the parish", church warden Mike Salmon is forming a development group, with a particular focus on outreach.

Locum priest Rev'd Rob Healy said he hoped there would be a renewal of unity in the parish, more social activities and a greater focus on outreach.

"I would like to see our church linked more to the community, offering a meeting place for your married couples and families with the parish serving food and having a vibrant Sunday School again," he said.

Limited use of porch



"The tree" is still with us but Diocesan Property has sanctioned the use of the church porch for those with a disability only. Other parishioners must continue to use the door facing the Minchin Centre. No date yet for the tree removal.

We welcome all visitors to our parish and particularly to our services, at All Saints on Sundays at 7.30am and St Mary's at 10 am on Sundays and 10am on Wednesdays. We look forward to you soon joining us on a more permanent basis.

ONE FINAL BITE OF THE NEPALI CHERRY Crosses donated by Hindu friend

DUE to the generosity of one of my Nepali Hindu friends, I have 40 necklace crosses to distribute to Swan parishioners.

They are white and made out of yak bone. I will reserve 20 for All Saints and 20 for St Mary's.

Similar crosses have been given to me in the past by my long-time friend Sahadev (Bimal) Dhamala, but this time he decided to donate a bigger number so I can share them with my fellow Swan Anglican parishioners.

Yaks are only found in the higher regions of Nepal, and other Himalayan nations, above 3500m. And they are used to carry supplies over mountainous terrain, particularly above the snow line.

So, if interested in obtaining one of the crosses, please let me know via email (twinterbourn@ozemail.com.au). My only request is that you genuinely want to wear



Bimal Dhamala with the 40 crosses he has gifted to the Parish of Swan.

one, rather than seeking one just because they are available for free!

First in, best dressed!

Mountaineering legend drops by

A TRUE mountaineering legend visited Kathmandu's Thamel tourist precinct just before I returned to Australia .



My friend Bimal Dhamala (see story above) was fortunate to meet the great man and is pictured with him at left. Bimal is at left of the pic and Sanu Sherpa at the right. Bimal is vice-president of the Thamel Tourist Development Council, which hosted a civic reception for the great Sherpa. —**Tom Winterbourn**

He is Sanu Sherpa, the only person to have climbed all 14 of the world's highest mountains — and he has done it TWICE! He has also climbed Everest, the highest of them all at 8848.86m (29,031.7ft), seven times.

Eight of the top peaks are in Nepal and the others are in Pakistan and the Tibet region of China. All are all above 8000m (26,247ft).

CHURCH LEADERS AT FLORENCE STOWELL FUNERAL

Anglican church leaders past and present were among the many mourners at the funeral service for former parishioner Florence Stowell in St Mary's on Aug 27.

The service was conducted by Archbishop Kay Goldsworthy, with former archbishop Dr Peter Carnley in the congregation. Florence died on Aug 17, aged 91.



**ABOVE:: The funeral service.
LEFT: The officiating clergy lead the funeral cortege after the service.**



Former Perth Archbishop and Primate of Australia, Dr Peter Carnley, and his wife Ann.



ABOVE: Coral Shaw, Hugh Stowell, Archbishop Kay, Angela Bazeley and Shirley Reynolds.



**ABOVE: Bishop Jeremy James with two visitors.
Left: Ashley, Jessica and Rebecca Sheardown with the processional cross Florence gave to Swanleigh.**



BELOW: Kitchen 'staff' Christine Fawell, Janet Hewett and Shirley Gollagher.

Help needed for Spring Fair

WITH just over a month to go before the parish Spring Fair, organiser Shirley Reynolds is urging all parishioners to get behind this major fundraising event.

It will be held at All Saints on October 8 and Shirley wants to ensure all the stalls are well supplied.

Items required include cakes and biscuits, jams and pickles, craft, plants and quality white elephant.

If you can provide any of these or help on the day, please contact Shirley on mobile 0459034512.