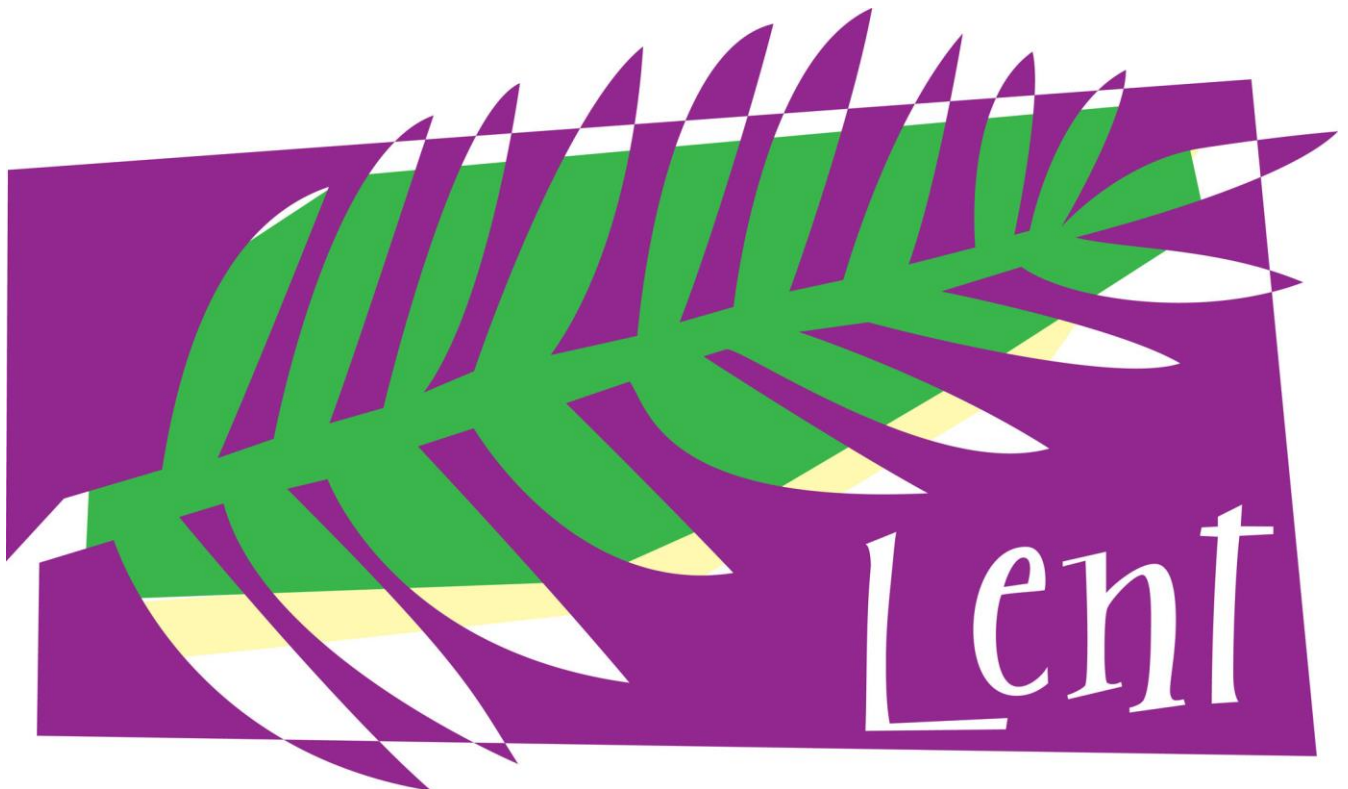


# ANGLICAN PARISH OF SORRENTO AND Rye

ST JOHNS PT NEPEAN RD SORRENTO ST ANDREWS LYONS ST RYE

## *THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT*

19 March 2017



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# OUR PARISH PRAYERS

## *Prayer of the week*

Lord God, our Redeemer, who heard the cry of your people and sent your servant Moses to lead them out of slavery: free us from the tyranny of sin and death and, by the leading of your Spirit, bring us to our promised land: through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

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## *Prayer for the Church:*

- Diocese of Mbale (Bp Patrick Gidudu);
- The Diocese of The Northern Territory (Bp Greg Anderson);
- Converge International (Lindsay McMillan);
- Surfcoast Parish (John Webster);
- Lancefield-Romsey Parish – Pastoral Visit (Bp Philip Huggins);
- All Saints, Clayton – Confirmation Service (Bp Paul Barker);
- St John and St Agnes, Malvern East - Pastoral Visit.

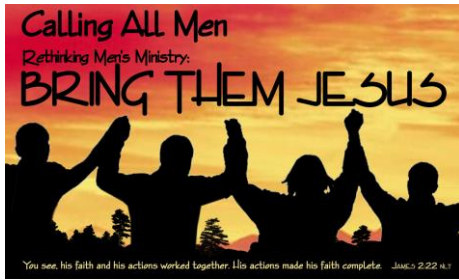
## *For those unwell*

We pray for Michele Grey, **Seth Hindson, Alison Walsh, Margaret Capp, Sally, Brent Liszczak, Elspeth Fleming, Elvie Mudge, David Booth, Ben Heyes, Lucy, Philippa Slingsby, Patricia, John Caudry, David Gibbons, Robert John Wallace** and Max Morris.

We celebrate the baptisms of Gigi Johnson and Harriet Cameron today at St John's  
We wish Max Turner (18<sup>th</sup>) and Jessica Turner (23<sup>rd</sup>) a very Happy Birthday .

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Heavenly Father,  
how can I come to you with my problems  
when there are so many people who  
are suffering far more than I am?  
I feel needy and selfish, but I don't know  
where to turn or how to deal with  
things the way they are.  
I ask in prayer that you show me some light  
upon which I can focus my heart and my hope -  
light that will lead me forward through the darkness  
knowing that on the other side of suffering  
there will be eternal joy.  
Lord, please hear my prayer.



## **CALLING ALL MEN!!!**

**SATURDAY 25 MARCH**

**WHERE:** Parish Centre - St Andrew's

**TIME:** 8.30am **COST:** \$5

**GUEST SPEAKER:** *John Galloway*

**BOOKINGS:** Parish Office by Wednesday, 22 March – 5985 1399



The first Trading Table for 2017 at St Andrew's will be on 2 April. As our stocks are down, anybody willing to supply jams, pickles, cakes etc... would be greatly appreciated. Helpers are needed on the day to set up and sell. Speak to Helen Lake if you can be of assistance, ph: 0437 776 673. Thank you.



**MESSY CHURCH SUNDAY 26 MARCH AT 4PM**

**A way of being church for families involving fun for all ages, based on creativity, hospitality and celebration.**

**Friends are like angels without any wings,  
blessing our lives with the most precious things**

**SENTENCE:** "The water that I will give," says the Lord, "will become in you a spring of water welling up to eternal life." *John.4.14*

**COLLECT:** O God, the fountain of life, to a humanity parched with thirst you offer the living water that springs from the Rock, our Saviour Jesus Christ: stir up within your people the gift of your Spirit, that we may profess our faith with freshness and announce with joy the wonder of your love. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

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**Today's Readings:**     ***THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT***

Exodus 17.1-7            Psalm 95                Romans 5.1-11            John 4.5-42  
*Hymns:*                584                        598                        590                        583

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**Next week's Readings:**   ***FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT***

1 Samuel 16.1-13        Psalm 23                Ephesians 5.8-14        John 9.1-41

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**MARCH**

<b>Sunday 19</b>	<b>Eucharist inc Baptisms - St John's</b> <b>Eucharist - St Andrew's</b> Parish Council – St Andrew's	<b>8.30am</b> <b>10.30am</b> <b>12noon</b>
<b>Tuesday 21</b>	Working Bee – St John's Craft Ladies – St Andrew's	<b>9am</b> <b>10am</b>
<b>Wednesday 22</b>	Meditation Group – St Andrew's <b>Eucharist - St Andrew's</b> Lent Studies – St Andrew's	<b>8.45am</b> <b>10am</b> <b>10.35am</b>
<b>Thursday 23</b>	Playgroup – St Andrew's	<b>9.30am</b>
<b>Friday 24</b>	Friday Club – St Andrew's Wedding – St John's	<b>10.30am</b> <b>3pm</b>
<b>Saturday 25</b>	Men's Breakfast – St Andrew's Wedding – St John's	<b>8.30am</b> <b>3pm</b>
<b>Sunday 26</b>	<b>Eucharist - St John's</b> <b>Eucharist - St Andrew's</b> Messy Church – St Andrew's	<b>8.30am</b> <b>10.30am</b> <b>4pm</b>