

ANGLICAN PARISH OF SORRENTO AND RYE
ST JOHNS PT NEPEAN RD SORRENTO ST ANDREWS LYONS ST RYE

FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

26 March 2017



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OUR PARISH PRAYERS

Prayer of the week

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prayer for the Church:

- Diocese of Mexico (Bp Carlos Touche-Porter);
- The Anglican Church of Australia (The Primate Abp Philip Freier);
- St John the Baptist Wantirna South (Stephen Morris);
- Parish of Panton Hill – Pastoral Visit (Bp Philip Huggins);
- Parish of Croydon Hills and Wonga Park – Pastoral Visit (Bp Paul Barker);
- St Peter's, Murrumbeena with Holy Nativity (Bp Genieve Blackwell).

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 remember the lives of George Hodder and Joan Page whose anniversaries are at this time.

We celebrate the marriages of Duncan Mackenzie and Caroline Pickles along with Damian Moldrich and Lara Salembier at St John's this weekend.

“The reason many fail to joyfully proclaim Jesus Christ is because deep down they fail to joyfully adore Him”

God of Mission who alone brings growth to your Church. Send your Holy Spirit to bring vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, faith to our lives, hope to our communities, and love to our hearts.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

SENTENCE: “I am the light of the world”, says the Lord; “those who follow me will have the light of life.” *John.8.12*

COLLECT: Gracious God, in order that we children of earth might discern good from evil you sent your Son to be the light of the world: as the light of Christ shines upon us, may we learn what pleases you, and live in truth and goodness: through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

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Today’s Readings: *FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT*

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| 1 Samuel 16.1-13 | Psalm 23 | Ephesians 5.8-14 | John 9.1-41 |
| <i>Hymns:</i> | <i>103</i> | <i>588</i> | <i>585</i> <i>621</i> |

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Next week’s Readings: *FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT*

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| Ezekiel 37.1-14 | Psalm 130 | Romans 8.6-11 | John 11.1-45 |
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MARCH

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| Sunday 26 | Eucharist - St John’s | 8.30am |
| | Eucharist - St Andrew’s | 10.30am |
| | Messy Church – St Andrew’s | 4pm |
| Tuesday 28 | Craft Ladies – St Andrew’s | 10am |
| Wednesday 29 | Meditation Group – St Andrew’s | 8.45am |
| | Eucharist - St Andrew’s | 10am |
| | Lent Studies – St Andrew’s | 10.35am |
| Thursday 30 | Playgroup – St Andrew’s | 9.30am |
| Friday 31 | Friday Club – St Andrew’s | 10.30am |
| Sunday 2 | Eucharist - St John’s | 8.30am |
| | Eucharist - St Andrew’s | 10.30am |

DEADLINE FOR NOTICES IN THE PEW SHEET
WEDNESDAY’S BY 11AM

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday Sunday 9 April. 8:30am St Johns & 10:30am St Andrew's

Maundy Thursday 13 April. 7pm St John Sorrento. Holy Communion with Foot Washing at (Michael Payze has very kindly agreed to lead us in two reflections).

Good Friday 14 April. 8:30am St John Sorrento 10:30am at St Andrew Rye

Easter Sunday 16 April. 7:30am, 9am and 10.30am St John Sorrento
9am St Andrew Rye



MESSY CHURCH SUNDAY TODAY AT 4PM

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



On behalf of my son, Simon and myself, we would like to thank our Christian family at St John's for their support in sponsoring Simon for his *Head Shave for Cancer*. With your help, the sum of \$401.05 was raised. Many blessings.
Daphne Blore.



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.