

## Collects for September

**1 September:** Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

**8 September:** Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always resist the proud who confide in their own strength, so you never forsake those who make their boast of your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**15 September:** O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**22 September:** Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

**29 September:** O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

# ANGLICAN PARISH OF SORRENTO AND RYE

St John's Pt Nepean Rd  
Sorrento



St Andrew's Lyons St  
Rye

## September 2019

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## September Readings

### 1 September

Jeremiah 2.4-13 PS81.1,10-16 Hebrews 13.1-8,15-16 Luke 14.1,7-14

### 8 September

Jeremiah 18.1-11 PS139 1-5,12-18 Philemon 1-25 Luke 14.25-35

### 15 September

Jeremiah 4.11-12,22-28 PS14 1 Timothy 1 Luke 15.1-10

### 22 September

Jeremiah 8.18-9.1 PS79.1-9 1 Timothy 2.1-10 Luke 16.1-13

### 29 September

TBA

### 6 October

Lamentations 1.1-6 PS137 2 Timothy 1.1-14 Luke 17. 1-10

# Weekly Diary

- Sundays:** 08:30am - Eucharist at St John's Sorrento  
10:30am - Eucharist at St Andrew's Rye
- Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>** 10:30am - Joint Service at St Andrew's Rye
- Tuesdays:** 09:30am – Ladies Craft Group - St Andrew's  
**Tuesdays:** 09:30am – Bible Study at St John's Fellowship Room
- Wednesdays:** 08:45am - The Meditation Group - St Andrew's  
10:00am - Eucharist - St Andrew's  
10:45am - Bible Study at St Andrew Rye
- Thursdays:** 08:15 - 09:15 Bread Café [Cooked on 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays]  
09:30am - Playgroup - St Andrew's
- Fridays:** 11:00am - Friday Club - St Andrew's

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## Parish News

**Trading table at St Andrew's Rye:** Next one is the first Sunday of September.

**Nexus: 10 September:** More Zen Tangling with Marg MacDonald. 2pm @ St Andrew's.

**Pew Sheet deadline:** The cut-off date for the October edition is 20 September.

**Parish Council:** Meets on Tuesday 17 September at 7pm.

**We hold close in prayer:** Kate and Florence. Annette Croad. Joyce Phillingham. Gavin Johnstone (Lesle Gibbon's son). Wilma Quinton (recently bereaved).

**More widely we pray for:** The people of Hong Kong.

**Getting married:** We pray for Ben and Lauren who will be married at St John's on Saturday 12 October at 3:30 pm.

# Parish News



**We are building bridges over breakfast at St Andrew Rye.** On average we cook for over 90 people (mostly school children) on the first and third Thursday of each month at 08:15am. Please come along and reach out your friendly hand.



Come, let us tell of the  
LORD's greatness; let us  
exalt his name together.  
Psalm 34:3

**Sunday 29 September 10:30: Joint Service at St Andrew Rye** followed by a lunch. Kindly bring some food with you so we can lay on a buffet. We shall welcome Archbishop Jeffery Driver and hear more about Newton Theological College, PNG. There will not be a service at St John's Sorrento.



***“God of mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, and power to our witness. Help our parish to grow in number, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen”.***



There will be two performances at St John's Sorrento on 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> October at 2.00 pm. These chamber performances of Handel's beloved oratorio come to us via 20 international singers and instrumentalists from Germany. Tickets available now on [Trybooking.com](https://www.trybooking.com)—search for Messiah Sorrento and book on line. Enquiries- please phone: 0408 316 938.



### **Exciting News!**

Subject to all things being equal (very rarely they are) a new organ will be installed at St John Sorrento sometime during mid-September. It may take up to three weeks to fully install it so we will be using the piano in the transitional period. The pew sheet for July & August contained lots of technical specification and history about the organ should you wish to re-read about it. Donations towards the cost will be much appreciated. Please contact Ken Barelli for further details.



If you have something that you'd like to discuss with me then why not ask me to come and see you in your home or meet me at the Parish Centre?

I bless homes if you'd like your home blessed. Fr Nick.