

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

Tue 3rd 8.30am **PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH** @ the church.
 7pm **BIBLE STUDY** @ Catherine H's home.
 Wed 4th 1.30pm **CARD CRAFT** in the Community Room
 Thu 5th 9.30am **HOLY COMMUNION** @ St Brendan's.
 10.30am **BIBLE STUDY** @ the church.



MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Anglican Parish of Warnbro, bonded by grace, are called to serve the people and are committed to share the knowledge and love of God

NEXT SUNDAY - 8TH DECEMBER 2012 BAPTISM OF CHRIST

Readings: Genesis 1:1-5 Psalm 29
 Acts:19:1-7 Mark 1:4-11

1ST JANUARY 2012 NAMING AND CIRCUMCISION OF JESUS

‘God spoke of old by the prophets; but in these last days he has spoken to us by a Son.’

Hebrews 1.1-2

PEOPLE ON DUTY NEXT WEEK

	<i>Flowers</i>	Rona G.
	<i>Cleaning</i>	Janice K-S.
8.30am		10.00am
Mollie T.	<i>LPM</i>	Tina P.
Pat D. & Pat F.	<i>Welcomers</i>	Carla D.
Robin A.	<i>First Reading/Counting</i>	Jane G.
Milton B.	<i>Second Reading/Counting</i>	Janice K-S.
Mollie T.	<i>Intercessions</i>	
Kath & Flemming B.	<i>Morning Tea</i>	Diana B.

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Welcome to worship at St Brendan's. Please join us for morning tea after the 8.30am and 10am services.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God our Father,
you gave to your incarnate Son the name of Jesus
to be a sign of our salvation:
may every tongue confess
that he, who for our sake became obedient to the law,
is both Lord and Christ,
to your eternal glory;
for he now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Please pray that God's love, peace and healing comes to the following members of our community:

Jean G, Brenda H, Ron H, , Ronda C, Max N, Flemming B, Louise P, Jayne P, Colin W, Sadie W, Jane G, Basil H.



PSALM OF THE DAY

Psalm 8 – God of the Glorious Heavens

‘O Lord our Governor: how glorious is your name in all the earth.’

Psalm 8:1 (APBA)

Even with all the technology available to us, we can't count all the stars in the universe or estimate the light and energy that are generated through them. Still, knowing that the sun converts more than 250 million tons of matter into illumination and heat every minute gives us a clue of the immensity of what is occurring.

Yet even the centillions of stars that exist together pale in comparison to the splendour of God. And he wants to show his glory to others through you.

So whenever you feel insignificant consider the radiant heavenly bodies. Then remember that as his best creation, God is shining even more brightly in you.

***God, truly you are more brilliant and beautiful than all the stars in the universe!
May my life reflect your glory and draw others to you. Amen.***

© Moments of Peace from the Psalms

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Numbers 6:22-27 (Margaret B./Oliver S-J.)

Psalm 8

Galatians:4:4-7 (Bruce H./Carla D.)

Luke 2:15-21

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Amount needed per week to balance our budget: \$1,820.00

Plate: \$ 1,605.20

Direct Credit: \$ 513.01

Total: \$ 2,118.21

NOTICES

Name Badges: If you want a name badge, the form is in the foyer. See a councillor for the process of obtaining the badge if you are unsure. If you have a name badge please wear it so newcomers can more easily get to know who you are.

Fete Help Wanted: Fete 2012 will be on Sat 24 Mar. The committee is now meeting and requires an entertainment coordinator. Please contact Paul Doyle if you are interested.

Australia Day Breakfast: Gloria and Bill invite us to their home at 147 Penguin Road, Safety Bay for an Australia Day Breakfast commencing @ 8am. Please bring your food and Australia Day outfit. A barbecue is available for those who would like a cooked breakfast.

Fifth Sunday of the Month Service: As the congregation swells there are fewer people from either service knowing one another. It is intended that **every fifth Sunday of the month** we will have **one service at 9am** for all of us to interact and get to know one another. The first service will be held on the fifth Sunday of January -29 Jan @ 9am. Please let those around you who have been away know about this service. I encourage everyone to attend and stay for morning tea to get to know each other.