

## Dates for the Diary

- 25th April—ANZAC Day—shorter service in AB
- 28th April— Hoy—1.30pm
- May 5th—Wednesday Services resume
- 11th May—Bible Study resumes  
2pm at 37 Cawood Street.
- 17th May—Parish Council—1pm
- 26th May—Hoy—1.30pm
- 30th May—Combined Service at Uniting Church  
9.30am.

## St Aidan's Roster—18th April

1st Reading—June Cooke

2nd Reading—Kerryn Bennett,

## The Lighter Side of Life



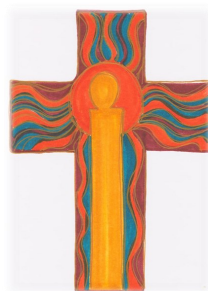
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## *Anglican Parish of the Otways*

11th April, 2021

### **Easter 2**



### **Priest in Charge -**

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Welcome to worship today.

Thankyou for adhering to our COVID restrictions:

- Use of Hand sanitiser
- Keeping 1.5 m apart
- Not mingling in porch

Your co-operation is appreciated

### **Regular Services**

#### **St Aidan's Apollo Bay:**

10am Sunday

10am Wednesday

6.30 pm Saturday

#### **Christ Church Carlisle River**

1pm-1st & 3rd Sundays

#### **St Anselm Beech Forest**

1pm-2nd Sundays

#### **St James Forrest**

4pm-2nd & 4th Sundays

#### **Laura Pengilly House**

10.30am- 2nd and 4th Mondays

### **Direct Deposit Details** **Anglican Parish Otways**

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Greetings in the name of Jesus.

We begin today by acknowledging the passing of Prince Phillip, the Duke of Edinburgh. Love him or not, he was a man of great enthusiasm for family, service to country, the Commonwealth and to God. Please hold Her Majesty the Queen and all the Royal Family as they mourn the passing of their loved one.

ANZAC Day falls on a Sunday this year and so our service that morning will be shorter than usual so those who wish may attend the community ANZAC Day service can.

Please note that the resumption of our Wednesday Service has been bumped by one week to May 5th. I need to attend an important event that day so will be unavailable.

Bible Study will resume on Tuesday May 11th at 2pm. It will be held at June and Michael's home at 37 Cawood Street. All are most welcome to attend.

Finally it is with much joy that I can announce that our regular combined Services with the Uniting Church will resume next month. We will be meeting for combined worship on May 30th at the Uniting Church. Please note service time is 9.30 am.

May the Lord bless you with peace and joy.  
Jenny



### Prayer of the Week

Risen Christ,  
whose absence leaves us in despair  
but whose presence is overwhelming:  
breathe on us with your abundant life,  
that where we cannot see we may have courage to believe  
that we may be raised with you. **Amen.**

Readings. Acts 4: 32-37; Psalm 133; 1John 1:1—2:2  
John 20:19-31

### ABM Reflection

Today the Psalmist extols the notion of families living together in unity. It's the same for the Church – unity (not uniformity) means that our ecclesiastical life ought to be one of supporting one another and building each other up in Christ's name. As the old hymn says, *The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord*. May we remember that in everything we do as members of the Church.

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### Prayer Points

#### Thanksgiving

- Give thanks for the work and witness of the church in the Indian Ocean.
- For the Diocese of Newcastle
- For the work of Anglicare in our Diocese
- For the parish of Kaironk Karando in the diocese of Aipo Rongo, PNG.

#### Petitions

- Healing for Peter, Summer, Chris, Erica, Susan, Margaret, and their families.
- For the homeless & those offering shelter.
- That everything we do may work towards the unity and growth of our parish and our diocese.