

Dates for the Diary

- Bible Study , resumes in July, 2pm St Aidan's Hall
- 23rd June —July 1st—Jenny on leave
- 19th July—Parish Council 1pm St Aidan's
- 28th July—Hoy—1.30pm St Aidan's Hall
- 1st August—AGM Following Service in Apollo Bay
- 29th August—Combined Church service at St. Aidan's focusing on the environment.



St Aidan's Roster—4th July

1st Reading—Michael McMahon ,
2nd Reading—Freda Martin
Morning tea—Gladys Riches



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Anglican Parish of the Otways

27th June, 2021

5th Sunday after Pentecost



Priest in Charge -

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Welcome to worship today.

Thankyou for adhering to our COVID restrictions:

- Wearing face masks
- 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

6.30 pm Saturday (Oct-April)

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

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Greetings in the name of Jesus.

Welcome Robyn and David Pierce. It is a joy to have you leading worship in Apollo Bay this morning and I am very grateful to you both. I hope your time with us is a blessing. I also hope that worship in the other centres is uplifting and meaning full.

As you all know Richard and I are enjoying some time with our dear friends from Darwin. Erika and Arthur served with us at Woolanang Homeland Christian College and we are grateful, in these difficult times, to be able to spend some time with them. We look forward to getting home next week with our grandson's in tow!

While with us, Cameron is riding to raise funds for Autism Australia. Having 2 autistic children in the family this is very close to his (and our) heart and so if you see him out on his bike, please encourage him. I just hope he doesn't wear Grandma and Papa out while riding around town!

May the Lord bless you with peace and joy.
Jenny



Prayer of the Week

O Christ for whom we search,
our help when help has failed:
give us courage to expose our need
and ask to be made whole,
that, being touched by you,
we may be raised to new life in the power of your name. Amen.

Readings. 2 Samuel 1:17-27; Psalm 130
2 Corinthians 8:7-15
Mark 5:21-43

ABM Reflection

The writer of Psalm 130 knows the depths of despair and from that state he cries out to the Lord, because *with the Lord there is mercy and ample redemption*. And so it is for us: if we are feel hopeless or miserable because of some situation that's tumbling over our heads, crashing like waves all over us, then all we need to do is turn to the one who can rescue any of us from the *multitude of their sins*. Praise God for such abundant mercy and care



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Prayer Points

Thanksgiving

- Give thanks for the work and witness of the church in Pakistan
- For those involved in Police, CFA and SES Chaplaincy
- For those willing to step up to see ministry continues in the parish during Jenny's absence.
- For the parish of Togban in the diocese of Aipo Rongo, PNG.

Petitions

- Healing for Peter, Summer, Chris, June, Susan, Margaret, Ann-Marie, Kay, Ron, Isha, Ravi, Sheela and their families.
- for all those who find themselves overwhelmed by circumstances – whether of their own making or because of the folly of others. Pray that God will lift them out of their distress and strengthen their heart.