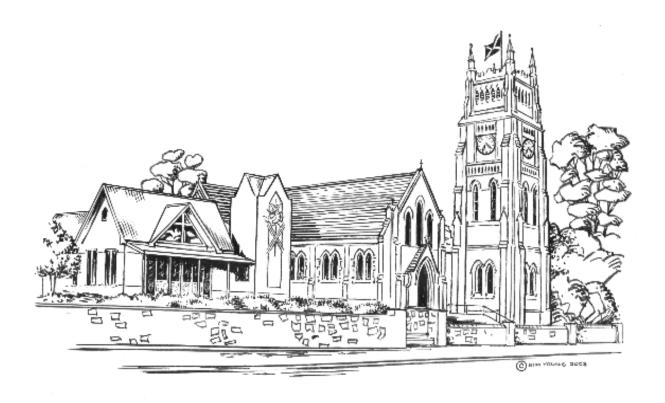
The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

17th August 2025 8.00am & 9.30am



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St Andrew's is a Christ-centred, sacramental, inclusive, thinking, praying and prayerful, missionoriented faith community

Today's Services

8.00am Holy Communion (said) 9.30am Holy Communion (sung)

Celebrant: The Rev'd Tracey Gracey Preacher: The Rev'd Jack Monaghan

Processional Hymn (please stand if able)

- 1. Living God, your word has called us, summoned us to live by grace, make us one in hope and vision, as we gather in this place.

 Take our searching, take our praising, take the silence of our prayer, offered up in joyful worship, springing from the love we share.
- 2. Living God, your love has called us in the name of Christ, your Son, forming us to be his body, by your Spirit, making one. Working, laughing, learning, growing, old and young and black and white, gifts and skills together sharing, in your service all unite.
- 3. Living God, your hope has called us to the world that you have made, teaching us to live for others, humble, joyful, unafraid.
 Give us eyes to see your presence, joy in laughter, hope in pain.
 In our loving, in our living, give us strength that Christ may reign.

Jan Berry (b. 1953)

Greeting

Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Blessed be God's Kingdom, now and forever.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. **And also with you.**

Sentence of the Day

'Is not my word like fire,' says the Lord,
'and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?'

Jeremiah 23: 29

Prayer of Preparation

Let us pray

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Parish Prayer

God our Father, you have made us members of Christ and of his church in this parish. May our worship be the offering of our hearts and lives to you. Help us to reach out in welcome to newcomers and visitors, to encourage and care for each other in friendship and fellowship, and to grow in grace, love and unity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Kyrie (said at 8.00am)

Lord, have mercy, **Lord have mercy**, Christ, have mercy, **Christ have mercy**, Lord, have mercy, **Lord have mercy**.

Kyrie (sung at 9.30am)

Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy.



Gloria (sung at 9.30am)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.



Prayer of the Day

Everliving God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking sin and all that hinders us, we may run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**.

Children's Talk

First Reading: Isaiah 5: 1-7
After the reading
Hear the word of the Lord,
thanks be to God.

Psalm 85

- ¹ Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, you that led Joseph like a flock: you that are enthroned upon the cherubim, shine out in glory;
- ² Before Ephraim, Benjamin and Manasseh: stir up your power, and come to save us.
- ⁸ You brought a vine out of Egypt: you drove out the nations, and planted it in.
- ⁹ You cleared the ground before it: and it struck root and filled the land.
- ¹⁰ The hills were covered with its shadow: and its boughs were like the boughs of the great cedars.
- ¹¹ It stretched out its branches to the sea: and its tender shoots to the Great River.
- ¹² Why then have you broken down its walls: so that every passer-by can pluck its fruit?
- ¹³ The wild boar out of the woods roots it up: and the locusts from the wild places devour it.
- ¹⁴ Turn to us again, O Lord of hosts: look down from heaven, and see.
- ¹⁵ Bestow your care upon this vine: the stock which your own right hand has planted.
- ¹⁶ As for those that burn it with fire and cut it down: let them perish at the rebuke of your countenance.
- ¹⁷ Let your power rest on the man at your right hand: on that son of man whom you made so strong for yourself.
- ¹⁸ And so we shall not turn back from you: give us life, and we will call upon your name.
- ¹⁹ Restore us again, O Lord of hosts: show us the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.

Second Reading: Hebrews 11: 29-12: 2

After the reading

Hear the word of the Lord, thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn (please stand if able)

- 1. May the mind of Christ my Saviour live in me from day to day, by his love and power controlling all I do or say.
- 2. May the word of God dwell richly in my heart from hour to hour, so that all may see I triumph only through his power.
- 3. May the peace of God my Father rule my life in everything, that I may be calm to comfort sick and sorrowing.
- 4. May the love of Jesus fill me, as the waters fill the sea; him exalting, self abasing this is victory.
- 5. May I run the race before me, strong and brave to face the foe, looking only unto Jesus as I onward go.

Katie Barclay Wilkinson (1859-1928)

Gospel Reading: Luke 12: 49-59 (please remain standing if able) The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke, chapter twelve, beginning at the forty-ninth verse. Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After the Gospel the reader says
For the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon – The Rev'd Jack Monaghan Assistant Deacon Parish of Gawler Affirmation of Faith (please stand if able)

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church.

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*Intercessions (please sit or kneel) – prepared by Suzanne Sexton*Let us pray for the world and for the church.

The response to each petition is:

Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

After the intercessions:

Almighty God, you have promised to hear our prayers. Grant that what we have asked in faith we may by your grace receive, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Prayer of Approach

Jesus said: Come to me all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Matthew 11:28

Let us pray

We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Confession

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy. Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, confident in God's forgiveness. A pause for reflection.

Merciful God,
our maker and our judge,
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
and in what we have failed to do:
we have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves;
we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.
Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you
in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Greeting of Peace (please stand if able)

We are the body of Christ.

His Spirit is with us.

The peace of the Lord be always with you and also with you.

Offertory Hymn – during this hymn the bread and wine for Holy Communion will be presented, and the Collection taken

- 1. The Lord is here he finds us as we seek to learn his will and follow in his way. He gives himself just as he gave his Word the God of promise greets us every day
- 2. The Lord is here he meets us as we share –
 This is the life he calls us now to live;
 in offered peace, in shared-out bread and wine,
 our God is gift and calls us now to give.

- 3. The Lord is here inviting us to go and share the news with people everywhere. He waits outside in need and help alike, the Spirit moves through deed as well as prayer.
- 4. So let us go, intent to seek and find, living this hope that God is always near. Sharing and trusting, let us live his love, that all the world may say 'The Lord is here.'

Christopher J. Ellis (b.1949)

Prayer over the Gifts (please remain standing if able)

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom. Blessed be God forever.

Great Thanksgiving Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

All thanks and praise, glory and honour, be yours at all times, in every place, holy and loving Father, true and living God.

We praise you that through your eternal Word you brought the universe into being and made us in your own image.

You have given us this earth to care for and delight in, and with its bounty you preserve our life.

We thank you that you bound yourself to the human race with the promises of a gracious covenant and called us to serve you in love and peace.

Above all, we give you thanks for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ:

born as one of us, he lived our common life and offered his life to you in perfect obedience and trust.

By his death he delivered us from sin, brought us new life, and reconciled us to you and to one another.

Therefore with angels and archangels, with apostles, and prophets, with holy men and women of every age, we proclaim your great and glorious name: (sung at 9.30am)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest.



Holy God, we thank you

for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that we who eat and drink them in obedience to our Saviour Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit, may be partakers of his body and blood, and be made one with him and with each other in peace and love.

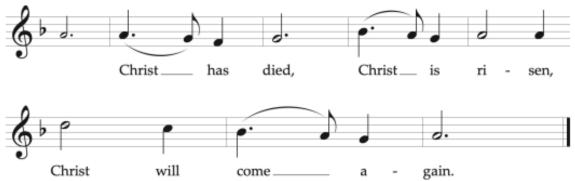
On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper, he took the cup,
and again giving you thanks
he gave it to his disciples, saying,
'Drink from this, all of you.
This is my blood of the new covenant
shed for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith: (sung at 9.30am)

Christ has died. Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.



Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded:

proclaiming his offering of himself

made once for all upon the cross,

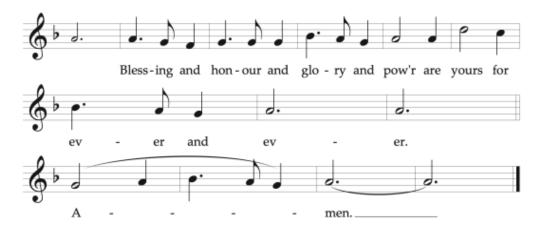
his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension,
and looking for his coming again,
we celebrate, with this bread and this cup,
his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice
for the sins of the whole world.

As we eat and drink this holy sacrament, renew us by your Spirit that we may be united in the body of your Son and serve you as a royal priesthood in the joy of your eternal kingdom.

Receive our praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom and in whom, by the power of the Holy Spirit,

we worship you in songs of never-ending praise: (Sung at 9.30am)

Blessing and honour, glory and power, are yours for ever and ever, Amen.



(Please sit or kneel)

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.

The Breaking of Bread and Communion

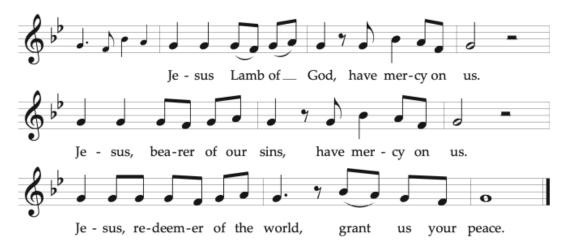
We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

We who are many are one body:

for we all share in the one bread.

The congregation joins in the Agnus Dei (sung at 9.30am)

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your peace.



Invitation to Communion

The gifts of God for the people of God. Come, let us take this holy sacrament of the body and blood of Christ in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts, by faith, with thanksgiving.

Administration of Communion

All who wish to receive Holy Communion are invited to come forward at the appropriate time. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please also come forward and indicate this by bowing your head.

Gluten-free bread is available upon request.

We kindly ask that you receive the bread and wine separately rather than dipping the wafer into the cup.

Communion Hymn

- 1. O God, you search me and you know me. All my thoughts lie open to your gaze. When I walk or lie down you are before me: ever the maker and keeper of my days.
- 2. You know my resting and my rising.
 You discern my purpose from afar,
 and with love everlasting you besiege me:
 in every moment of life and death, you are.
- 3. Before a word is on my tongue, Lord, you have known its meaning through and through. You are with me beyond my understanding: God of my present, my past and future, too.
- 4. Although your Spirit is upon me, still I search for shelter from your light. There is nowhere on earth I can escape you: even the darkness is radiant in your sight.
- 5. For you created me and shaped me, gave me life within my mother's womb. For the wonder of who I am, I praise you: safe in your hands, all creation is made new.

Bernadette Farrell (b. 1957), based on Psalm 139

Prayer after Communion

Let us pray

Gracious God,
we thank you that in this sacrament
you assure us of your goodness and love.
Accept our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving
and help us to grow in love and obedience
that we may serve you in the world
and finally be brought to that table
where all your saints feast with you for ever.

Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

Final Hymn (please stand if able)

- 1. Sing, my soul, when hope is sleeping, sing when faith gives way to fears; sing to melt the ice of sadness, making way for joy through tears.
- 2. Sing, my soul, when sickness lingers, sing to dull the sharpest pain; sing to set the spirit leaping: healing needs a glad refrain.
- 3. Sing, my soul, of him who shaped me, let me wander far away, ran with open arms to greet me, brought me home again to stay.
- 4. Sing, my soul, when light seems darkest, sing when night refuses rest, sing though death should mock the future: what's to come by God is blessed.

John Bell (b.1949) & Graham Maule (1958–2019)

Blessing & Dismissal

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord:

In the name of Christ. Amen.

Organ Postlude – we sit in reflection

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Please join us for Morning Tea in the Parish Centre following the 9:30 Service.

Do we have your contact details?
We would love to have your details so that we can keep you up to date with the life of the parish.

Contact forms (yellow) are available to complete at the back of the church – please ask one of our friendly welcomers, and return the form to them (or place in the offertory bowl) when completed.

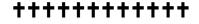
You can request a name tag on the sheet at the back of the church.

Many thanks.

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<u>Please remember in your prayers this week:</u> Maggie Crewes; Rhonda Gilmour; Don Gilmour; Allan Edgar; Kathy Edgar; Rosalie Harding; Emily Harding

We give thanks for the life of Nicholas Carney, and pray for his family as they mourn his loss.



Introducing The Hebron Rescue Child Centre, East India

My name is Linda Pirie and I have been part of the music department at St Andrews' School since 2010. I would like to introduce you to the Hebron Rescue Child Centre.

My late father was an Anglican minister in NSW and VIC, and in his later years he developed a deep love for the people of India. As a result, he helped set up a ministry in Dhanbad, near Kolkata, India, in collaboration with a Bishop from the church of East India. This ministry includes Hebron Rescue Child Centre, which currently houses and educates around 100 abandoned children from the most impoverished areas around Dhanbad. In January this year I visited the work my parents had pioneered, meeting the children personally.

The children that are cared for at the Hebron Centre receive a safe, secure home environment, sometimes for the first time in their young lives. Without this Centre their futures would be extremely bleak. On the campus the children receive food, education and care. As this is a very poor area of India, often children are abandoned due to extreme poverty, disability and disease. The needs are great, and I, along with my husband and sister, intend to assist this work in an ongoing way, both financially and by visiting each year. We were very touched to meet the children, who were cheerful and so happy to meet us, despite their lack of worldly possessions. One young boy, we were told, smiled for the first time while we were there. His short life up to then had been one of abandonment and suffering on the streets.

The Centre has a small farm to feed the children, and have needs such as irrigation systems, a tractor to plough the land, along with more day-to-day practical needs such as clothing and hygiene items. Would you consider becoming involved?





Notices

In the Parish

- ❖ CONFIRMATION: If you or a family member would like to explore Confirmation or being received into the Anglican Communion, please speak with Tracey to find out more as she will be holding Confirmation classes on the 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th September at 5pm.
- ❖ CELEBRATION OF PETS TODAY: Sunday 17th August 2pm on the Rectory Lawns with afternoon tea and children's activity in the Parish Centre. If weather is poor, we will move into the Parish Centre.
- ❖ THANK YOU to the participants and organisers of the recent Games Day. A total of \$1559 was raised − a great success! Thank you also to those who donated via the National Trust, your contributions will support the commencement of garden wall restoration.
- ❖ GARDENING AND PACKING HELP NEEDED: Much-loved parishioner Rosalie Harding has moved to residential care at ESTIA − Hope Valley. Volunteers are needed for a garden working bee at her house on Saturday, August 23rd, from 10:30 am to 5:00 pm. Any time you can give is appreciated. Help will also be needed with packing after the sale. Contact Tracey to volunteer and receive the address.
- ❖ LUNCHTIME ORGAN CONCERT: Greg Crawford will be giving a free organ concert on Thursday 28th August, 1pm at Pilgrim Uniting Church on Flinders St. The programme includes Stanley, Bach, Mendelssohn and Howells.
- ❖ ABM NEW GUINEA MARTYRS DAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 6PM: Sung Eucharist at St Cuthbert's Prospect will be held to honour the memory of the New Guinea Martyrs and celebrate the ongoing service of the Anglican Church of PNG. A light supper in the Parish Hall will follow, please RSVP for catering purposes by 29th August via info@abmission.org.au or 1300 302 663.
- ❖ FILM AFTERNOON Regal Theatre, Kensington Rd, Kensington Park. Sunday October 5th at 2pm. Film: Downton Abbey: The Grand Finale. Bookings are open at trybooking.com/DCWGP
- ❖ DONATIONS: Offertory envelopes for the current year are available on the table near the Choir Vestry at the back of the Church. If you wish give electronically, please donate to this account: Account name: St Andrew's, Walkerville; BSB: 633-000; Account number: 144 103 314; Reference: "Offering" + your name please.





Join Adelaide Anglicans for lunch with

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Speaking about God in the modern age

Grace, Awe and Hope

Saturday 20 September 2025 | 11:30am

Memorial Hall, St Peter's College

Join prominent Christian author, journalist and columnist Julia Baird as guest speaker as she shares her thoughts on hope, awe, and grace, followed by a Q&A session with Bishop Sophie Relf-Christopher.

A diocesan gathering of encouragement as we look to build on Archbishop Geoff's legacy for a vibrant future.

Join us for coffee and tea at 11.30. The talk will begin at 12.00 followed by a light luncheon.

This a free event but booking is essential for catering. Follow this link https://events.humanitix.com/hope-awe-and-grace-adelaide-an-glicans-lunch-with-julia-baird or use the QR Code.





Diary Dates

Sunday 17 August Pentecost 10	8.00am 9.30am 2.00pm	Holy Communion (sung)
Tuesday 19 August	9.00am	School Services (Church)
	1.00pm	
Wednesday 20 August	9.00am	Office open until 5pm
	10.30am	,
Thursday 21 August	9.00am	School Services (Church)
	7.30pm	Home Fellowship (Newells')
Friday 22 August	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	10.00am	Staff Meeting (Office)
	2.00pm	Cleaning (all facilities)
Sunday 24 August	8.00am	Holy Communion (said)
Pentecost 11	9.30am	Holy Communion (sung)
and School Baptism & Admission to Holy Communion		
Wednesday 27 August	9.00am	ArtsNational lecture (Parish Centre)
, G	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	2.00pm	Rostrum Club (Parish Centre)
Thursday 28 August	9.00am	School Services (Church)
, G	7.30pm	ArtsNational lecture (Parish Centre)
Friday 29 August	9.30am	Office open until 5pm
	10.00am	Staff Meeting (Office)
	2.00pm	Cleaning (all facilities)
Sunday 31 August Pentecost 12	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Communion (said) Holy Communion (sung)

Readings for next Sunday (Pentecost 11)

1st Reading: Jeremiah 1: 4-10 Psalm 71

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12: 18-29 Gospel: Luke 13: 10-17

Rosters for today, Sunday 17th August (Pentecost 10)

Celebrant: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Tracey Gracey Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Jack Monaghan

Readers: 8.00am Brian Zwar

9.30am Christine Thomas

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Suzanne Sexton Lay Assistants: 8.00am Darren Fleming

9.30am Biffy Ormsby

Server: 9.30am John Beer Welcomers: 8.00am Brian Zwar

9.30am Michael Thomas; Rob Dow

Morning Tea 9.30am Frances Wilson; Molly Radakovitch;

Joan Beer Cake: Needra Silva

Rosters for Sunday 24th August (Pentecost 11)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Tracey Gracey

Readers: 8.00am Ray Newell

9.30am Lisa Cirocco; Alison Draca

Prayer Leader: The Rev'd Tracey Gracey

Lay Assistants: 8.00am Darren Fleming

9.30am Wayne Butcher; Virginia Shek

Server: 9.30am Adam Harris Welcomers: 8.00am Ray Newell

9.30am Robin Coleman; Tony Holloway

Morning Tea 9.30am Jennie Coleman; Donna Coombe;

Yvonne Facy Cake: Yvonne Facy

Rosters for Sunday 31st August (Pentecost 12)

Celebrant & Preacher: 8.00 & 9.30am The Rev'd Tracey Gracey

Readers: 8.00am Janet Martin

9.30am Suzanne Sexton

Prayer Leader: 9.30am Lyn Dow

Lay Assistants: 8.00am Virginia Shek

9.30am Sharon Gray

Server: 9.30am Michael Thomas

Welcomers: 8.00am Volunteer needed

9.30am Volunteer needed

Morning Tea 9.30am Sharon Gray; Donna Coombe

Cake: Biffy Ormsby