

ST NIC'S NEWS

OCTOBER 2021

Welcome to St Nicolas Anglican Church

Carine-Duncraig

Cnr Beach Road & Poynter Drive,
Duncraig, WA 6023

Anglican
Church
Diocese of Perth



Thank you, everyone who completed and handed in the questionnaire about parish events etc.; results will be collated and shared with you once we are sure they are all in. We aren't planning to try and do everything on the list all at once, because that would be impossible and exhausting! The idea is to get a feel for the sort of thing people have energy and enthusiasm for, that would enhance parish life. Watch this space.

The Synod of the Anglican Diocese of Perth will begin, God willing, on Friday October 8th with a Eucharist in the cathedral, and continue over the weekend at HBF Stadium, Mt Claremont. Karen Chapman and Ed Scott are our Lay Members of Synod- each parish has two plus their clergy.

Synod is like the Parliament of the diocese, as legislation is updated, office-bearers elected, reports of Anglican organisations presented, and motions on all kinds of topics are debated. It is an important aspect of the life of the Diocese and your prayers are asked for the important work that is to be done. This year three significant pieces of legislation are being presented: new statutes concerning Professional Standards, Clergy Appointment and Licensing, and Clergy Discipline. These statutes have been extensively discussed and worked on over the past few years because of their importance to parishes and clergy.

If you would like to know more about Synod please speak to Ed or I: this will be Karen's first Synod as last year's was cancelled (due to COVID 19).

God bless,
Lorna

CONTACTS

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<https://www.facebook.com/StNicolasCD>

PLEASE REMEMBER TO:

- sign in using the list or **Safe WA** app
- wear masks at all times, if mandated
- wash your hands and use sanitizer,
- sneeze /cough into your inner elbow,
- don't touch your face,
- greet one another with a smile,
- sit beside those with whom you live,
- otherwise maintain physical distancing.

Thank you



Everything you need to join in the service is on the screen. The Liturgy is taken from *A Prayer Book for Australia*.

Youth of all ages are invited to join our Sunday School stories, reflections and games. This is in the hall during the 09.30 service in term-time, after a blessing from Revd. Lorna. They then re-join their families at Holy Communion.

The family room is available for any children and parents who need a quiet space. There are also activities and books at a small side-table in the church for young worshipers who need to wriggle or entertain themselves in during the service.

Have you scanned in with the Safe WA app today? Or signed the Covid contact register? It is still vital that we all do this every time we come to St Nic's.



OFFERINGS

We no longer pass the plate around, so please put your offering in the bowl near the font before the service or during the offertory hymn. To make your offering using bank transfer or direct debit these are the bank details:

**Anglican Parish of Carine Duncraig,
BSB 706-001, Account 30003057**

BIBLE READINGS

3 October Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Job 1.1; 2.1-10, Psalm 26, Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12, Mark 10.2-16

10 October Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Job 23.1-9, 16-17, Psalm 22.1-15, Hebrews 4.12-16, Mark 10.17-31

17 October Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

Job 38.1-7 (34-41), Psalm 104.1-10, 26, Hebrews 5.1-10, Mark 10.(32-34) 35-45

24 October Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

Job 42.1-6, 10-17, Psalm 34.1-8 (19-22), Hebrews 7.21-28, Mark 10.46-52

31 October Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

Ruth 1.1-18, Psalm 146, Hebrews 9.11-15, Mark 12.13-17, 28-34

CREATIVE PLAY WORKSHOPS FOR KIDS (AGES 5-12)

Cost \$10 per child per workshop.

Monday 4th October & Friday 8th October

1pm - 3pm

The workshops are facilitated by a pre-service teacher and WWCC checked volunteers.

All materials are provided for the children.

Parents/guardians are welcome to stay for the duration of the workshop.

Food will not be provided. It is recommended that children bring a water bottle.

Each workshop has different activities so feel free to sign up to more than one.

Cash payment on the day required for entry.

**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
PLACES ARE LIMITED
SO BOOK EARLY!**

To book, email Nikki:

nicolalandmark@outlook.com

with your preferred date,
child's name, age and
parent/guardian mobile
number.

*Water colour painting
Box construction
Collaborative drawings and paintings
Exploring and disassembling old
technology
Experimenting with oil pastels
Decorating pots and planting seeds
Collaging
Rock painting
String art
And much more!*

DIARY

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| OCTOBER | 1 | Fri | - Heartmoves (weekly) | 09:00 – 10:00 | Hall |
| | 2 | Sat | - Men's Breakfast (1 st Sat) | 07:30 – 09:00 | Hall |
| | 3 | Sun | - Eucharist 7.30am and 09.30am with Sunday School - Book stall by St John's Bookshop after services | | Church Hall |
| | 4 | Mon | - Creative Play Workshop | 13.00 – 15.00 | Hall |
| | 5 | Tues | - Morning Prayers (weekly) - Craft And Chat (weekly) | 08:30 13:30-16.00 | Church Hall |
| | 6 | Wed | - Eucharist (weekly) - WAGS (weekly) | 09:15 10:30 – 15:00 | Church Hall |
| | 7 | Thur | - | | |
| | 8 | Fri | - Heartmoves (weekly) - Creative Play Workshop - (SYNOD) | 09:00 – 10:00 13.00 – 15.00 | Hall Hall |
| | 9 | Sat | - (SYNOD) - Cursillo (2 nd Saturday) - ASG (2 nd and 4 th Sat) | 08:00 – 09:00 12:00 - 16:00 | Church Hall |
| | 10 | Sun | - Eucharist 7.30am and 09.30am with Sunday School - (SYNOD) | | Church |
| | 11 | Mon | - Friendship Group (2 nd Mon) | 19:30 – 21.30 | Hall |
| | 12 | Tues | - Morning Prayers (weekly) - Craft And Chat (weekly) - Parish Council Meeting | 08:30 13:30-16.00 19:30 | Church Hall Hall |
| | 13 | Wed | - Eucharist (weekly) - WAGS (weekly) | 09:15 10:30 – 15:00 | Church Hall |
| | 14 | Thur | - Toddler Jam (weekly 9.30-11.00) | 08.30 – 11.30 | Hall |
| | 15 | Fri | - Heartmoves (weekly) - Delivery of specimens for plant stall please | 09:00 – 10:00 13:30 – 15:00 | Hall Back garden |
| | 16 | Sat | - Plant stall & coffee morning - <i>Submissions for next newsletter</i> | 09:00 – 14:00 | |
| | 17 | Sun | - Eucharist 7.30am and 09.30am with Sunday School - Plant stall after services | | Church |
| | 18 | Mon | - Mother's Union birthday lunch | 12:00 | Kingsley |

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| OCTOBER | 19 | Tues | - Morning Prayers (weekly) | 08:30 | Church |
| | | | - Craft And Chat (weekly) | 13:30-16.00 | Hall |
| | 20 | Wed | - Eucharist (weekly) | 09:15 | Church |
| | | | - WAGS (weekly) | 10:30 – 15:00 | Hall |
| | 21 | Thur | - Toddler Jam (weekly 9.30-11.00) | 08.30 – 11.30 | Hall |
| | 22 | Fri | - Heartmoves (weekly) | 09:00 – 10:00 | Hall |
| | | | - Hexagon Patchwork (4 th Friday) | 10:00 – 14:00 | Hall |
| | 23 | Sat | - ASG (2 nd and 4 th Sat) | 10:30 – 14:30 | Hall |
| | 24 | Sun | - Eucharist 7.30am and 09.30am with Sunday School | | Church |
| | | | - Mother's Union Bring & Buy stall ± 10.30 | | Hall |
| | 25 | Mon | - | | |
| 26 | Tues | - Morning Prayers (weekly) | 08:30 | Church | |
| | | - Craft And Chat (weekly) | 13:30-16.00 | Hall | |
| 27 | Wed | - Eucharist (weekly) | 09:15 | Church | |
| | | - WAGS (weekly) | 10:30 – 15:00 | Hall | |
| 28 | Thur | - Toddler Jam (weekly 9.30-11.00) | 08.30 – 11.30 | Hall | |
| 29 | Fri | - Heartmoves (weekly) | 09:00 – 10:00 | Hall | |
| 30 | Sat | - November newsletter printed | | | |
| 31 | Sun | - Eucharist 7.30am and 09.30am with Sunday School | | Church | |

Mothers' Union

Our annual **Bring and Buy Stall** will be held following both services on **Sunday October 24th**.

There will be cakes, slices, biscuits, jams and relishes for sale and all proceeds will go to our overseas project, which is supporting the training of facilitators in Papua New Guinea with their Parenting Program, as well as to assist in various programs in the northern dioceses of Australia- the Diocese of North West Australia, the Diocese of Northern Territory and the Diocese of North Queensland.

Your support is always very much appreciated.

We will be celebrating **our branch's birthday** on **Monday 18th October** with lunch at the Kingsley Tavern, commencing at 12 noon. The Kingsley Tavern is at 90 Kingsley Drive and there is plenty of parking at the rear. Please contact Michelle to advise your attendance so that we can confirm numbers. We look forward to a joyous time of fun and fellowship.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES AVAILABLE

If you would like a set, please help yourself to some at the back of the church. You can, of course also use any other envelopes too (including old offertory sets) – **please just write the new date on the outside.**

PLANT STALL – 16TH & 17TH OCT

The fundraising plant stall will be held on the 16th October in conjunction with a coffee morning. Will those kind parishioners who have **specimens for sale please deliver them to church on Friday 15th October between 1.30pm and 3pm?** The stall will be open to the general public on Saturday 16th from 9am-2pm and after the morning services Sunday 17th 9 am-12pm.

Poynter Christmas Market

Sat 27th November - Christmas Cakes and Shortbreads will be appreciated

Christmas Raffle

3 consecutive weeks before Christmas
in the church hall.

DO YOU NEED A NAME BADGE?

Please email Alex in the office 

Tuesday morning Prayer

Meet to pray for the world, the church, our parish, and whatever else as the Spirit prompts us on **Tuesday mornings in the church at 8:30am.**
Join us - come occasionally, come every week, come when you can.

GAZEBO REQUEST

A kind woman who runs a food distribution centre in Balga has asked if anyone has a gazebo they'd like to sell. She is looking to shelter her wares in the Summer-time. (Please contact Karen Finlayson)

CARAD DONATIONS – GROCERY LISTS ARE ON THE NOTICEBOARD

M.U. TRIP

In lieu of a meeting in September this year MU went on an outing to New Norcia Monastery. The 2-hour journey went without a hitch and the 15 members who went in five cars all visited the gift shop to buy the highly- praised bread and other gifts, on arrival. This was served with delicious Fruit and Nut cake made at the monastery. Afterwards some went to join the monks for midday prayers and others went to the museum – both very special. The museum goes back to the arrival of the Benedictine monks in WA. There is also a wonderful art gallery there. A lunch of soup and bread was served in the dining room at the Hostel, followed by more delicious cake, tea and coffee.

PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME DOWN FOR ONE MORNING

You will have noticed the many posters up for the exciting new programme of

Toddler Jam

starting at St Nic's on 14th October.

A fantastic opportunity for **GRANDPARENTS** and parents to enjoy special time with their little ones, this programme of music, dancing and fun is aimed at children aged 0-5yrs.

Come along and join in the sessions! You can book quickly and easily online: www.trybooking.com/817254 or visit the St Nic's website to download a registration form (www.stnicolasanglican.org).

- we really need a few more parishioners to put their names on the roster for any Thursday morning this term if they can help us deliver this programme. There are open slots for **tea/coffee** prep, **handing out** instruments, **playing** with the children during morning tea, or **set-up** and **pack-away**.

This programme will mean a great deal to the local community and young families – please help where you can, even if it is just one morning this term?

We have **an opening** for anybody who would be interested in being on the **Flower Roster**



No experience is necessary.
Kay Pearce is happy to assist anyone who'd like to give it a go.

We're very lucky at St Nic's to have fresh flower arrangements as a lot of churches no longer do.

We'd also like to extend a warm thank you to **Karen Finlayson** who has been doing the church flowers for a very long time, giving so generously of her time. We have all benefited so much from her gorgeous arrangements in the church.

WHAT DO YOU RECOMMEND?

What are you reading? Is it any good? Is there a documentary, series, film, recipe or excursion you think other parishioners might enjoy? Revd Lorna has recommended:

The Last Bookshop

written by Emma Young,
published by Fremantle Press 2021

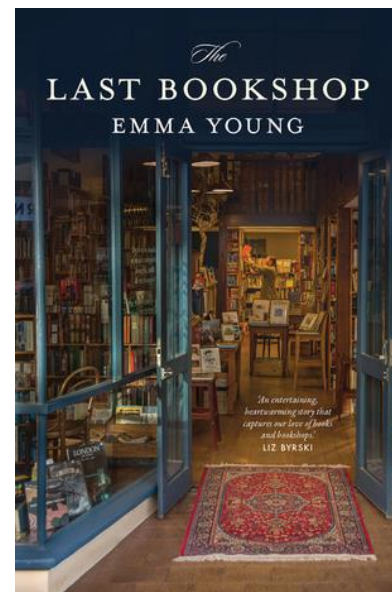
The author is an award-winning Perth journalist. The story is set in Perth and you will recognise the places mentioned, which is always a delight- to be able to picture a setting adds to the enjoyment of the story for me.

The blurb on the back cover begins: 'Cait Copper's best friends have always been books – along with the rare souls who love them as much as she does..... When Cait set up her shop, Book Fiend, right in the heart of the city, she thought she'd skipped straight to 'happily ever after'. But things are changing, and fast.'

Liz Byrski, successful Perth writer, writes that this is: 'An entertaining, heartwarming story that captures our love of books and bookshops.'

I found it a gentle, easy read and enjoyed the characters and their story. A good book-club choice!

<https://www.fremantlepress.com.au/products/the-last-bookshop>



CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

Please email recommendations and other inclusions for the next newsletter to the office by 20th October?

Thank you.

The St Nic's Containers for Change scheme ID is: **C10316184** www.containersforchange.com.au

The depot in Joondalup is fully automated and requires this barcode:

