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Anglican Diocese of Perth Newsletter

News and Events

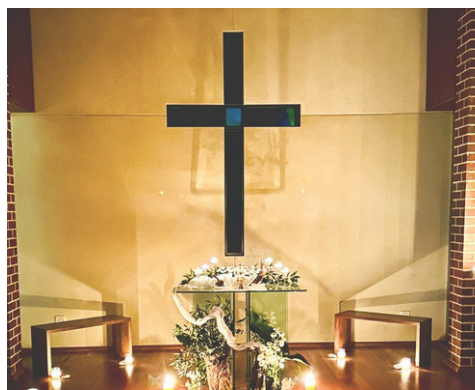
Prayer Diary

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20 Aug 2025

Upcoming Events

Parish Services and Events



Taizé Service

Anglican Parish of Swanbourne-Mt Claremont

105 Shenton Road, Swanbourne

Second Sunday of each month at 6.00pm

Join us in the beautiful candlelit church for 40 minutes for reflective, meditative music and Bible reading.

Lose yourself, find peace. All are welcome, come as you are.



Theological Explorations

Anglican Parish of Bull Creek-Leeming

All Saints' College Chapel Meeting Room

23 August, 6 September 2025

Saturdays at 10.00am

Please join The Very Reverend Dr John Shepherd for a series of presentations with discussion on several topics. All welcome!

Contact: 9310 4087 or Parish.Office@allsaints.wa.edu.au

[Find out more](#)



Family Eucharist at Christ Church, Claremont

Stirling Highway and Queenslea Drive, Claremont

30 August, 20 September

25 October and 29 November

Saturdays at 5.00pm

Contact: [\(08\) 9384 9244](tel:(08)93849244) | claremont.perth.anglican.org



Taizé Service

St Christopher's Anglican Church

Templetonia Crescent, City Beach

Second Monday of the month at 6.30pm

Prayer, Silence and Meditative Song - A time to pause and be with God. All Welcome!



Spring School

St Anselm's Anglican Church

19 Forest Hill Drive, Kingsley

30 August, 6, 13 and 20 September

Saturdays 2.00 - 5.00pm

Each week we will explore compassion and justice according to Gospel writers Simone Weil, Stan Grant (Murriyang) and Meister Eckhart.

Contact: 0417 090 839 | admin@kingsley.perth.anglican.org



French Themed Dinner

St Luke's Anglican Church

15 George Street, Maylands

Saturday 30 August 2025 (\$30.00)

6.30pm-9.30pm

Step into an evening of Parisian charm (in Maylands) and enjoy the culinary elegance at our French themed dinner party.

Transport yourself to the heart of France as you enjoy a beautifully curated three course meal inspired by the rich flavours and timeless traditions of French cuisine. Guests are encouraged to dress in French style, think effortless elegance, chic black, scarves, berets or make up your own style.

For bookings or more information: www.trybooking.com/DELIL



Godly Play Day - Duncraig

St Nicolas' Anglican Church

3 Poynter Drive, Duncraig

Saturday 4 October 2025

9.00am-12noon (\$25.00)

Would you like a taste of Godly Play practices, materials and spirituality? Or maybe you would like to meet up with others using Godly Play to refresh your practice? Join us in Duncraig on Saturday 4 October 2025 for our Godly Play Day.

For more information: www.chrisbedding.com.au/godlyplayday2025



Breaker Rock Beach: *God's rock-solid truth in a world of shifting sands*

Monday, 6 October - Friday 10 October - 9.00am - 12noon

Anglican Parish of Karrinyup

51 Burroughs Road, Karrinyup

\$40 per child, \$20 per addition child in the same family

Registrations at www.karrinyupanglican.com.au/holiday-club/ Enquiries 089341 5572



Prosecco and Paint

Mary Lockett Hall

Christ Church, Claremont

Saturday 20 September - 5.30pm

Explore your creativity as you socialise with friends at this unique painting experience. Guided by Dr Lesley Powell, a passionate artist, you'll learn how to paint a masterpiece.

Gourmet supper and drinks plus all equipment and tuition

\$100 from trybooking.com/DDARR or (08) 9384 9244



Radical Lives, Timeless Wisdom

St Christopher's Anglican Church

25 Templetonia Crescent, City Beach

Thursdays in October 2pm-4pm

Join us for a five-week series of short lectures and reflections on some of the most compelling and enduring figures in Christian history. Each week we'll discover the story, faith, and lasting wisdom of a spiritual giant — and explore what they might have to say to us today.

Light refreshments served. All welcome!

[Find out more](#)

For all enquiries contact The Reverend Pat Deeny 0497 445 520 or patdeeny@aol.com

Diocesan and Other Events



An initiative of the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Australia

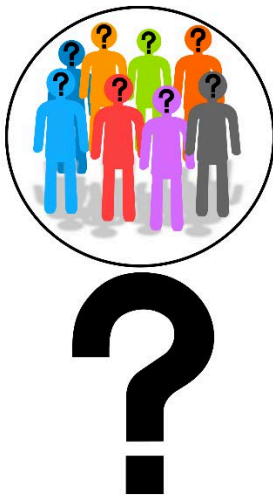
Dear Friends

Hope25 was greatly blessed. We have received many stories of how God was at work in our proclaiming the hope we have in Jesus to our nation.

We would like to invite you to a special thanksgiving prayer meeting on **Wednesday 20 August at 7pm AEST** so that we can give thanks to God for his blessings.

The zoom link is [here](#). If you are asked for a passcode – it is 543283

The Right Reverend Dr Richard Condie



Doing Theology Together Community: Belonging and Unbelonging

**Wollaston Theological College
5 Wollaston Road, Mt Claremont
Thursday 21 August 2025
10.30am-3.30pm**

Everyone loves community – who doesn't love community? – but there is also a dark side to community that we need to talk about. Join Associate Professor Mark Jennings and Dr Raisa Akifeva in an exploration of social theory and practice of community as sites of belonging and unbelonging.

[Find out more](#)

COMMEMORATING

100

YEARS

Since the Ordination of The Reverend James Noble:
The First Aboriginal Person Ordained in the Anglican Church of Australia

SATURDAY 13 SEPTEMBER 2025

Smoking Ceremony from 1:30pm | Sung Eucharist 2:00pm

St George's Cathedral

Service followed by refreshments



St George's Cathedral
Perth

info@perthcathedral.org
08 9325 5766



LPM Training Day - 2025

Saturday 6 September - 9.00am-1.00pm

Wollaston Theological College

5 Wollaston Road, Mt Claremont

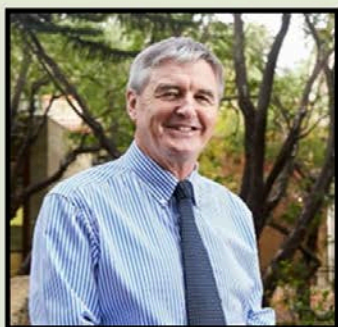
Registration links available on the Diocesan website:

perth.anglican.org/news-and-events/events

Let's talk about **LONELINESS & WELLBEING** with Professor Stephen Houghton

A FREE TALK about the subjective, negative and unpleasant emotional experience of loneliness, whether it be in the aged or the young, and how it manifests, even in those with numerous face-to-face or social media contacts.

Loneliness is a strong risk factor for illness and disease and is linked to a myriad of poor mental health outcomes, including depression and anxiety. Other contributing factors to the development and maintenance of mental wellbeing such as screen time, social media and the aftermath of COVID will also be discussed.



Professor Stephen Houghton
Fellow of the British Psychological Society
Director of Child and Adolescent Mental Health and Wellbeing at UWA
T +61 8 6488 2391 | E stephen.houghton@uwa.edu.au

Thursday 28th August 2025

1.15pm - 2.45 pm

**The Church of the Resurrection - Hall
105 Shenton Rd, Swanbourne WA**

Professor Stephen Houghton will present the latest Western Australia and International research on this subject. He is also available to address any questions you may have.

REGISTRATION OF INTENT TO ATTEND

Please email your attendance to
COTRSwanbourne@outlook.com



Short Courses

Opt-in professional development opportunities for CLERGY

2 and 11 September 2025 9am-12pm; 1pm-3pm

Dementia Awareness; Elder Abuse / Abuse of the Older Person;

23 September 10am-1pm

Digital Roadmap - Understanding the Digital Landscape for Ministry

7 October 2025 9.30am-12pm

Fostering

23 October 2025 10am-1pm

Marriage - A Refresher Course in the Legalities

28 October 2025 10am-1pm

Establishing A Personal Presence Online - A Ministry of Visibility

Find out more about the courses on the Diocesan website:

perth.anglican.org/portal/resources/clergy-resources/professional-development



A Weekend with Philip Carter

St Peter and Emmaus Church

56 Green Street, Joondanna

The Reverend Philip Carter will be with us in Perth to deliver the 5th Annual Stitt Oration and to launch his recently published book about Spiritual Direction entitled "*Ordinary Heaven*".

A Weekend with Philip Carter

Book Launch

The Stitt Oration



Book Launch

Saturday 27 September 2025 at 4.30pm

Light refreshments served

Stitt Oration

Sunday 28 September 2025 at 2.30pm

Light refreshments served

[Find out more and reserve your ticket](#)



SYNOD 2025

Friday 17 October and Saturday 18 October

Friday 17 October

St George's Cathedral

6.30pm Eucharist

followed by the

**First Sitting of the First Session of the
Fifty-Second Synod**

including the President's Address

Saturday 18 October

Esplanade Hotel Fremantle by Rydges

46-54 Marine Terrace, Fremantle

**9.00am Second Sitting of the First Session
of the Fifty-Second Synod**

Please note: Lay Conference at 8.00am

Synod Workshop

Saturday 20 September 2025

1.00pm Denise Satterley Room,
Wollaston Theological College, Mt Claremont



Standing Together Parish and Community Presentation

St Brendan's by the Sea
36 - 40 Currie Street, Warnbro
Saturday 29 November 2025 10am

Facilitated by Anglicare WA, Standing Together provides an opportunity to grow awareness and understanding of family and domestic violence, to support conversations around the ways we all, as a community, can participate in its prevention.

Registrations: Please email admin@stbrendans.com.au
or phone 08 9593 1640



Sacred Journey through Malta and Sicily

3 May 2026 - 20 May 2026
Led by Father Steve Hilton and
Father Bill Leadbetter

Step into centuries of devotion as you travel through the heart of Mediterranean Christianity

Find out more: trips.christianpilgrimage.com.au/sacred-journey-malta-sicily

Notices

CAR BOOT SALE!

BOOK YOUR SPOT NOW!

**11 OCTOBER | 8:30AM-2PM**

**ST NICOLAS ANGLICAN CHURCH, DUNCRAIG 6023**





GOT STUFF TO SELL? WANT TO BE PART OF A FUN COMMUNITY DAY?
SPOTS ARE NOW OPEN FOR OUR ST NICOLAS OPEN-DAY CAR BOOT SALE!

**\$20 PER CAR**

**\$25 WITH A TRAILER**

**CONTACT LYNN JACKSON TO BOOK YOUR SPOT!**
0409 542 973

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An Ecumenical
Thanksgiving Service
Celebrating love, hope & unity

SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 | 2:00PM

at the Church of the Resurrection
The Anglican Parish of St Albans and Claremont
15 St Albans Rd St Albans WA 6010

Join us for a special Thanksgiving Service,
hosted by the Council of Churches WA

Afternoon tea will be provided following the Service

RSVP:
1 September for catering
admin@churcheswa.org.au


08 6186 6039 | 0423 355 201

CANCELLED



CANCELLATION NOTICE

Due to unanticipated circumstances (and with disappointment), our Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service that was planned to be held on 14 September 2025 has been cancelled. The Council of Churches will now be planning to hold this service in 2026, with the date yet to be determined.

We sincerely thank you for your support and understanding.

Catherine Mortimer - Office Administrator



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Fremantle Flying Angel Club if preferred
please email*



St Christopher's, Bicton-Attadale

has some plain white crockery that we no longer need and are happy to give to a new home. Mostly plates, some saucers, some platters, and a punch bowl.

Collection from Bicton, or I can bring to Clergy School. |

*Please contact The Reverend Melanie Simms on
0457 888 589 for details, or photos.*

St Luke's Anglican Church Mosman Park
St Andrew's Anglican Church West Nedlands
Christ Church Anglican Church Claremont

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- Breathtaking architecture & art
- Quiet moments to reflect and connect
- Participants can choose to purchase coffee and food from our social enterprise cafe before or after the free tour

What To Bring

- Comfortable walking shoes
- Camera for memories
- Holy Grounds cafe is cash-free - please bring a bank card or tap-and-go phone if you'd like to purchase food and drink



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W. www.holygrounds.org.au
E. holygrounds@perthcathedral.org
A. 38 St Georges Terrace Boorloo / Perth

Arrange a Group Tour Now!

**Western Australia:
Antisemitism –
The Rising Tide**

Two Jewish community leaders share their insights on how life has changed since 7 October 2023...

DATE: Tuesday, 2 September 2025
TIME: 7:30 pm
VENUE: Function Centre, Temple David, 34 Clifton Crescent, Mt Lawley

A light supper will be served
 RSVP by 27 August to ccjwa@aol.com for catering purposes

FREE EVENT – ALL WELCOME
 Donations appreciated

Website: www.cca-wa.org

**COUNCIL OF CHRISTIANS AND JEWS
WESTERN AUSTRALIA Inc.**

**Rabbi Kim Ettlinger
Temple David**

**Mr Steve Lieblich
Vice-President
Jewish Community Council WA**

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34 Clifton Crescent, Mt Lawley
Tuesday 2 September 2025 7.30pm

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Speakers:

Rabbi Kim Ettlinger, Temple David

Mr Steve Lieblich, Vice-President, Jewish Community Council of WA

[Find out more](#)

RSVP by Wednesday 27 August to ccjwa@aol.com for catering purposes

Clergy News

Commissionings

The Reverend Onesimo Yugusuk	Priest-in-Charge, The Goldfields <i>St John's, Kalgoorlie</i>	01.09.25
The Reverend Meliata Thomason	Priest-in-Charge, Bull Creek-Leeming <i>All Saints' Chapel, Ewing Avenue, Bull Creek</i>	15.09.25

Locum Tenens

The Reverend Dr Elizabeth Smith	Floreat	07.09.25-26.10.26
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Permission to Officiate

The Reverend Dr Elizabeth Smith		30.07.25
The Reverend Karen Lewis		13.08.25

Retirement and Resignation

The Reverend Jeff Astfalck	Priest-in-Charge, Armadale	07.01.26
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RIP

The Reverend Sidney Middlemost		09.08.25
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SAFE MINISTRY UPDATE

Working with Children Checks (WWCC)



A **WWCC** must only be completed by volunteers who actively participate in activities that have contact with children, or leadership roles including but not limited to Wardens and LPM's.

Anyone who requires a WWCC or has received a renewed card must provide Safe Ministry with a copy of the card. Volunteers who have already obtained a WWCC for other purposes and require it for volunteer roles in the Diocese must also provide a copy for Diocesan records. Please email screenings@perth.anglican.org.

IMPORTANT UPDATE NOTE: Volunteers should **NOT** renew their WWCC if they no longer volunteer in a role that requires one in keeping with WWCC regulations. Volunteers must advise Safe Ministry if they no longer volunteer in a child-related role and update their details with the WWC Screening Unit.

Please see the sample application form available on the [Diocesan website](#) for more information and tips to assist you with completing the application. If you are renewing your application, you will be required to provide your current WWC card number – if you don't have access to your WWCC, please contact us.

Renewing Online (for renewals ONLY)



If you have not previously created an account with the Department of Communities, you will first need to do this to complete the online renewal. Please ensure that you meet the eligibility criteria to renew your WWCC online and that your card is within three months of its expiry.

The organisation representative for all online renewal is:

Ms Davina Goldthorpe

Safe Ministry Services Manager

Phone: (08) 9425 7200

Email: safeministry@perth.anglican.org

GPO Box W2067 PERTH WA 6846

NOTE: The above postal information can be used in Section 6 of the paper application form to ensure the notice will be sent to the Diocese once your card is renewed.

Your obligations under the Working with Children (WWC) legislation

Please be aware if you hold or are applying for a WWC Card you now need to notify the WWC Screening Unit of any changes to:

- Personal details (name)
- Contact details (residential address, telephone number, email, etc)
- Child-related work status (starting or ceasing volunteer work with children)

For more information and to view the full requirements, please visit the WWC website:
www.workingwithchildren.wa.gov.au/online-services

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Davina Goldthorpe - Safe Ministry Services Manager

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Closing date for submissions is by **COB Friday the week prior**.

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