

Regular Services & Activities in our Parish

- Wellington** Sunday's @ 9am —followed by Morning Tea
Sunday's @ 5pm—"The Gathering" large hall with pies and sausage rolls.
- Stuart Town** 1st Saturday in the month @ 5:30pm
- Maranatha** 2nd & 4th Fridays @ 11am
- Parish Prayer Meeting:** Thursday's @ 10am— large hall
- "Pray for Wello"** Wednesday's @ 5pm—large hall
- NOTE:** New "winter time" of 5pm
- Parish Council Meetings:** 3rd Monday each month at 6pm
- Friendship Dinner:** 3rd Friday each month 6 for 6:30pm

Daily Readings for the Week

Readings of the day

- Monday** Genesis 12: 1-9, Ps 33: 13-21, Matthew 7: 1-5
- Tuesday** Genesis 13: 2, 5-18, Ps 15, Matthew 7: 6, 12-14
- Wednesday** Genesis 15: 1-18, Ps 105: 1-7, Matthew 7: 15-20
- Thursday** Genesis 16, Ps 106: 1-5, Matthew 7: 21-29
- Friday** Genesis 17: 1, 9-10, 15-22, Ps 128, Matthew 8: 1-4
- Saturday** Genesis 18: 1-15, Ps 139, Matthew 8: 5-17
- Sunday** 2 Samuel 1: 1, 17-27, Ps 130, 2 Corinthians 8: 7-15, Mark 5: 21-43
Next Week's Reader is **Judy**



The Journal



Weekly Newsletter of the Anglican Parish of Wellington

(including the surrounding areas of Curra Creek, Geurie, Mumbil,
Spicer's Creek, Stuart Town & Wellington)

Sunday, 20th June, 2021

4th Sunday After Pentecost



Sentence

Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?

Mark 4.41

Prayer of the Day

O God our defender,
storms rage about us and cause us to be afraid:
rescue your people from despair,
deliver your sons and daughters from fear,
and preserve us all from unbelief;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**



Reader this week is **Sue**

1 Samuel 17: 1a, 4-11, 19-23, 32-49

¹ Now the Philistines gathered their armies for battle; they were gathered at Socoh, which belongs to Judah, and encamped between Socoh and Azekah, in Ephesdamim. ⁴ And there came out from the camp of the Philistines a champion named Goliath, of Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. ⁵ He had a helmet of bronze on his head, and he was armoured with a coat of mail; the weight of the coat was five thousand shekels of bronze. ⁶ He had greaves of bronze on his legs and a javelin of bronze slung between his shoulders. ⁷ The shaft of his spear was like a weaver's beam, and his spear's head weighed six hundred shekels of iron; and his shield-bearer went before him. ⁸ He stood and shouted to the ranks of Israel, 'Why have you come out to draw up for battle? Am I not a Philistine, and are you not servants of Saul? Choose a man for yourselves, and let him come down to me. ⁹ If he is able to fight with me and kill me, then we will be your servants; but if I prevail against him and kill him, then you shall be our servants and serve us.' ¹⁰ And the Philistine said, 'Today I defy the ranks of Israel! Give me a man, that we may fight together.' ¹¹ When Saul and all Israel heard these words of the Philistine, they were dismayed and greatly afraid. ¹⁹ Now Saul, and they, and all the men of Israel, were in the valley of Elah, fighting with the Philistines. ²⁰ David rose early in the morning, left someone in charge of the sheep, took the provisions, and went as Jesse had commanded him. He came to the encampment as the army was going forth to the battle line, shouting the war cry. ²¹ Israel and the Philistines drew up for battle, army against army. ²² David left the things in charge of the keeper of the baggage, ran to the ranks, and went and greeted his brothers. ²³ As he talked with them, the champion, the Philistine of Gath, Goliath by name, came up out of the ranks of the Philistines, and spoke the same words as before. And David heard him. ³² David said to Saul, 'Let no one's heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine.' ³³ Saul said to David, 'You are not able to go against this Philistine to fight with him; for you are just a boy, and he has been a warrior from his youth.' ³⁴ But David said to Saul, 'Your servant used to keep sheep for his father; and whenever a lion or a bear came, and took a lamb from the flock, ³⁵ I went after it and struck it down, rescuing the lamb from its mouth; and if it turned against me, I would catch it by the jaw, strike it down, and kill it. ³⁶ Your servant has killed both lions and bears; and this uncircumcised Philistine shall be like one of them, since he has defied the armies of the living God.' ³⁷ David said, 'The Lord, who saved me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, will save me from the hand of this Philistine.' So Saul said to David, 'Go, and may the Lord be with you!' ³⁸ Saul clothed David with his armour; he put a bronze helmet on his head and clothed him with a coat of mail. ³⁹ David strapped Saul's sword over the armour, and he tried in vain to walk, for he was not used to them. Then David said to Saul, 'I cannot walk with these; for I am not used to them.' So David removed them. ⁴⁰ Then he took his staff in his hand, and chose five smooth stones from the wadi, and put them in his shepherd's bag, in the pouch; his sling was in his hand, and he drew near to the Philistine. ⁴¹ The Philistine came on and

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wind and sea obey him?"*



WHO'S WHO IN THE PARISH

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The Revd Carl Palmer

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Linda Lyons (Secretary) Jennie Palmer (Treasurer)

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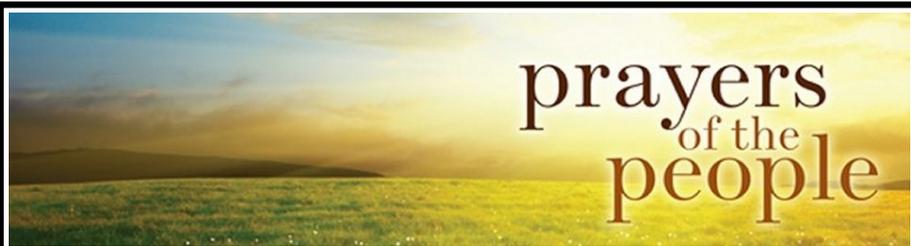
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In the Australian Church: Diocese of Sydney

In our own Diocese: Parish of Dubbo

Within our Community: The Roman Catholic Church, Father Carl

Pray for:

Those who have asked for prayer: Dorothy Smith, Neveah Roberts, Gavin & Lola Dickson, Di Thatcher, Daniel Palmer, Ingrid Jeffery, Ned Giddings, Anne Hyde, Patrick Norris, Danny Keogh, Audrey Keogh, Denise Kelly, Meredith, Stuart J, Malcolm C, Phil G and Ron S.

Please uphold **the Wykes** Family as they mourn **the recent passing of John Wykes.**

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Accept, O Lord, our thanks and praise for all that you have done for us. We thank you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love. We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side. We thank you for setting us at tasks that demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments that satisfy and delight us. We thank you also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone. Above all, we thank you for your Son Jesus Christ; for the truth of his Word and the example of his life; for his steadfast obedience, by which he overcame temptation; for his dying, through which he conquered death; and for his rising to life again, in which we are raised to the life of your kingdom. Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know Christ and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. **Amen.**

drew near to David, with his shield-bearer in front of him. ⁴² When the Philistine looked and saw David, he disdained him, for he was only a youth, ruddy and handsome in appearance. ⁴³ The Philistine said to David, 'Am I a dog, that you come to me with sticks?' And the Philistine cursed David by his gods. ⁴⁴ The Philistine said to David, 'Come to me, and I will give your flesh to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the field.' ⁴⁵ But David said to the Philistine, 'You come to me with sword and spear and javelin; but I come to you in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. ⁴⁶ This very day the Lord will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you down and cut off your head; and I will give the dead bodies of the Philistine army this very day to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the earth, so that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel, ⁴⁷ and that all this assembly may know that the Lord does not save by sword and spear; for the battle is the Lord 's and he will give you into our hand.' ⁴⁸ When the Philistine drew nearer to meet David, David ran quickly towards the battle line to meet the Philistine. ⁴⁹ David put his hand in his bag, took out a stone, slung it, and struck the Philistine on his forehead; the stone sank into his forehead, and he fell face down on the ground.

Hear the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 133

¹ Behold how good and how lovely it is:

when families live together in unity.

² It is fragrant as oil upon the head,

that runs down over the beard:

fragrant as oil upon the beard of Aaron,

that ran down over the collar of his robe.

³ It is like a dew of Hermon:

like the dew that falls upon the hill of Zion.

⁴ For there the Lord has commanded his blessing:

which is life for evermore.



2 Corinthians 6: 1-13

¹ As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain.

² For he says,

'At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you.' See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation!

³ We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry,

⁴ but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities,

⁵ beatings, imprisonments, riots, labours, sleepless nights, hunger;

⁶ by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love,

⁷ truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left;

⁸ in honour and dishonour, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true;

⁹ as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed;

¹⁰ as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

¹¹ We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you.

¹² There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours.

¹³ In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

Hear the word of the Lord,

Thanks be to God

Mark 4: 35-41

³⁵ On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side.' ³⁶ And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. ³⁷ A great gale arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. ³⁸ But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' ³⁹ He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. ⁴⁰ He said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?' ⁴¹ And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?'

This is the Gospel of the Lord,

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



- To commemorate the **Birth of St John the Baptist** on Thursday **24 June**, there will be a **special service of Morning Prayer at 8:30am**, followed by a trip to **Macca's for a coffee!!**
- A great time of **fun, food and fellowship** was had at the **Friendship Dinner** last Friday evening. Add the **16 July** to your diary so you don't miss out next month!!
- **Penrith Anglican College** will be putting on a concert on **Wednesday 30th June at 10am**, in the Baptist Hall, followed by lunch. All welcome— no charge
- **Settlement** on the purchase of the new **Rectory**, is due to take place on **30th June**. There will be more information soon. Watch this Space!!
- Please uphold our **SRE (Scripture in Schools) Teachers**, as they go into the primary school each week, and Kim Day at the High School.
- Would you **prayerfully consider** helping with: Morning Tea set up and clean up, set up the church before services, clearing up after services, Covid clean after services, cleaning of the Church/big hall/small hall, gardening, maintenance, Bible reading roster, prayers in church, counting the offering etc, etc....**We'd love to hear from you .**
- The **Thursday Craft Group** that currently meets at the old Police Station, will start using the **small hall** soon. Many from our congregation attend this group.
- **Advance notice** of two exciting events. In the October school holidays, a team of students from Trinity Christian School in Canberra will be running a week long **Holiday Club at St John's** followed a few weeks later by another team from Trinity coming to run another **Family Fun Day!**

