

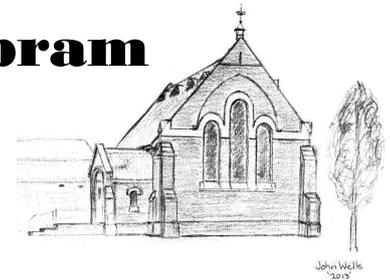
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St Andrew's community News March 2021. Welcome to another parish newsletter, just over a year since services were suspended due to Covid-19. Many people have returned to our weekly services. For those not yet ready to come back to worship in a group, and those travelling, the recorded services will continue to be available on the Church website www.kyabramanglican.org.au and DVD's will continue to be available to those who would like them.

Our weekly services are at our previous times of 9am in the Church and 11am in the Hall. We currently also have a Wednesday service in the Church with Holy Communion but no songs. Our Wednesday service is much smaller and could be an opportunity for those cautious of larger groups, although all people are most welcome.

Our Easter services this year will be Maundy Thursday 7pm in the Hall, then Good Friday, also 7pm in the Hall. Easter Sunday is our normal times of 9am in the Church and 11am in the Hall. The current restriction mean masks are not required at our services, but the capacity limits are unchanged.

With services becoming more "normal" Parish Council is seeking your input on how we introduce more fellowship time into our services. We would love to restart morning tea times but face many ongoing restrictions. We would like to hear from people willing to be on a roster for morning tea serving. We would plan to have morning tea after the 9am service at the back of the Church using the trolley for an urn cups etc. We would also like to have morning tea before the 11am service in the hall (from 10:45am).

Some of the Covid restrictions are that we need one person to do all the serving, including food with tongs and making the tea & coffee, including any milk and sugar. We are not allowed to have any shared items like spoons etc. Any washing has to be in the dishwasher so we are currently looking into disposable cups etc. If you would be willing to go on a roster, please see the Wardens or David.

If you would be willing to go on a cleaning roster for the Covid cleaning and to be the Covid welcomer at services, please see the Wardens or David.

Prayer points from Parish Council: you are encouraged to join with us to

- Pray for David's ministry in Kyabram, at Dhurrighile and at Tongala
- Pray for the Parish finances.
- Pray for the Parish to willingly engage and accept responsibility to pray regularly for people to come *to join the St Andrews community*
- Pray for wisdom for those in leadership, State and National, and also for those affected by *floods and covid-19; both individuals and the community*
- Pray for Bishop Matt and Rachael

Our Parish finances continue to be a concern for our Parish Council. If you are able to contribute to our Parish Lenten appeal that would be appreciated.

Patti Harrison invites us to join the family and Bruce's home church in America for his memorial service. It is on this Monday the 29th March at 7am our time.

Zoom Meeting ID 878 9850 4920 Passcode 853257

There will soon be a progressive dinner to raise funds for the school chaplaincy at our P-12 college, details will be available shortly.

Wardens

Evelyn Cunningham

Robyn Keath

In Christ's Service

Revd David Willsher