



ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF WANGARATTA

PAROCHIAL DISTRICT OF WANGARATTA WEST & THE WARBYNS

15th September 2024

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Dear Parishioners,

This week in the Australian Anglican Calendar we remember and give thanks for a pioneer priest in Western Australia, John Ramsden Wollaston.

This commemoration is doubly important for us in this Diocese, firstly because it is an Australian observance and secondly because of our connections to the church in Western Australia through the Anglican Schools Commission. We know Perth is a long ways from Wangaratta, but for John Wollaston coming to the new colony in 1841 it was a big change from West Wickham, Cambridgeshire, where he was parish priest. John discovered when he arrived at the new settlement of Australind that he had no stipend, until he built a church! So he and his sons did just that. In 1849 John was moved to Albany, and then made Archdeacon of Western Australia when Bishop Short of Adelaide visited, WA being part of the then new Diocese of Adelaide. John's sustained travels saw an Aboriginal mission established in 1851, clergy numbers double, and Perth getting her own bishop in 1857, however John Wollaston died of exhaustion, aged 65, just months before Bishop Hale took up his office. He is remembered as "a worthy, laborious, energetic, excellent missionary", and by the following places:

John Wollaston Theological College, Perth, WA (established 1957),
John Wollaston Anglican Community School, Kelmscott, WA.
The suburb of Wollaston in Bunbury, WA.

A plaque in St John's, Albany has these words:

*Sacred to the memory of Archdeacon Wollaston,
who died May 3rd 1856 aged 65 years.*

*This tablet is erected by his congregation
in grateful remembrance of his zeal*

in promoting the temporal interest of this church

and of his earnest solicitude for the spiritual welfare of his people.

Even though a long way from here John Wollaston is still closer to us than most of the other commemorations this week, *Ninian of Galloway (Scotland)*, *Hildegard of Bingen (Germany)*, *John Coleridge Patteson (Solomon Islands)* and *St Matthew Apostle & Evangelist (Judea & Ethiopia)*.

Neil Hicks.

Dates for your Diary

September 16th-19th, Diocesan Clergy Retreat—Pallotti College, Millgrove.

September 18th, Wednesday, CONTACT Drop-In at St Paul's Glenrowan.

Sunday 29th September, St. Michael's Patronal Festival. 9.30am. Parish Service.

Saturday 5th Oct: LyCiG Seminar at St Stephen's Rutherglen. 9.30am—4.00pm.



Anglican Church Calendar 2025

\$16.50 ea. + postage.

Please give orders to Margaret Gibson or Fr Neil.

Orders will be placed 1st October.

Fundraising efforts this past few weeks have raised:

St Michael's Trade Table = \$198

Father's Day Raffle = 772

Garage Sale Cake Stall = \$604

Thank you everyone

This Wednesday at 2.00 p.m.
ConTACT Drop-In at St Paul's
Glenrowan

Footy Colours - Footy food will
be provided, small donation to
Loaves and Fishes. RSVP
Robyn 16th Sept 0427662208

Community Raffle

We have once again agreed to
take Community Raffle books,
and they are available today.
Dot Hurley has offered to co-
ordinate the raffle this year.
We are very grateful for all
the years Carol Furs has un-
dertaken this task with such
diligence

Thank you
Carol.



SEPTEMBER FOCUS:

*Shampoo & Conditioner. Milo. Noodle cup varieties.
Sweet Biscuits. Tinned Tuna varieties. Body wash.
Instant Coffee.*

Dog food, as this cannot be obtained through the food share programme.

***All non-perishable items are appreciated,
and as a special treat for children - muesli bars or similar.***

WHAT'S ON & DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, 16th September 2024

DIOCESAN CLERGY RETREAT UNTIL THURSDAY

Ninian of Galloway, Bishop, Apostle of the Picts, c.432

1 Corinthians 11. 17-33. Psalm 40. 6-11. Luke 7. 1-10.

Tuesday, 17th *Hildegard of Bingen, abbess and spiritual writer (d 1179)*

1 Corinthians 12. 12-31a. Psalm 100. Luke 7. 11-17.

Wednesday, 18th *John Ramsden Wollaston, priest and missionary of Western Australia (d 1856)*

1 Corinthians 12. 31b —13. 13. Psalm 33. 1-5. Luke 7. 31-35.

9.30 a.m. Craft Group—St Michael's Hall.

10.00 a.m. Eucharist—Holy Trinity Cathedral—Lady Chapel.

2.00 p.m. CONTACT Drop-In at St Paul's Glenrowan—Footy Colours

Thursday, 19th

1 Corinthians 15. 1-11. Psalm 118. 14-19. Luke 7. 36-50.

9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer —St Michael's Hall

10.15 a.m. Bible Study—St Michael's Hall.

Friday, 20th

John Coleridge Patteson, first bishop of Melanesia, martyr (d 1871)

2 Chronicles 24. 17-21. Psa 16. 2-8. Acts 7. 55-end. Mark 8. 31-35.

Saturday, 21st **MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST**

Proverbs 3. 1-6. Psa 19. 1-6. Ephesians 4. 1-14. Matthew 9. 9-13.

9.30 a.m. — 4.00 p.m. LyCiG Seminar at Mansfield.

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost [25]

8.00 a.m., Eucharist @St George's Taminick.

9.30 a.m., Eucharist @St. Michael's, Wangaratta.

11.00 a.m., Eucharist @St Paul's, Glenrowan.

Proverbs 31. 10-31. Psalm 1. James 3. 13 — 4. 3 + 7-8a. Mark 9. 30-37.

It seems more and more dioceses are focussing on the need to grow their parish churches. Perhaps ***Leading your Church into Growth*** could help you with a pathway forward and your churches could benefit from our shared experiences.

We have been running for almost 30 years and have moved on from our origins in the North of England, and now operate throughout the UK, Europe, Australia and New Zealand.

Revd Canon Robin Gamble, Team Leader.

Sunday 15th September 2024

- ◆ **The World:** Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay.
- ◆ **Australia:**
- ◆ **The Church in our nation:** Antiochian Orthodox & Armenian Apostolic Churches.
- ◆ **Anglican Church of Australia:** The Diocese of Melbourne Archbishop Philip Freier (*Joy*). Regional Bishops: Paul Barker; Genieve Blackwell (*John*); Brad Billings (*Karen*); Katie Prowd (*Roger*) The Community of the Holy Name. The Clergy and People.
- ◆ **Our Diocese:** Bishop Clarence Bester (*Michelle*). (*Kian & Kyle*). The Parochial District of Cobram: P-i-C: Victor Adams (*Elizabeth*) the Parish leaders and community at St Margaret's, Cobram. The St Aidan's Op Shop—Strathmerton.
- ◆ HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS. – Albury/Wodonga Health, Catherine Dawson.
- ◆ **Our Parish:** CONTACT Drop-In at St Paul's, Glenrowan. The Co-operating Ministry between our parish and Wangaratta Parish.
- ◆ **Those in Need:** Mark Heaton. Shirley Cameron. Bp Garry Weatherill. Josef. Melanie. Wayne. Warren Gould. Kaye McKenzie.
- ◆ **Recently Died** - Kay McIntosh 10th September
- ◆ **Year's Mind: 15th—21st September.**
[15/09] Ray Hill, 2015.
[16/09] William McLeod, 2017. Michael Boling, 2022.
Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord.
And may light perpetual shine upon them.

BAPTISM & CONFIRMATION

After an initial influx of forms, there have been no further forms for quite a few weeks.

Prayer of the week (*pray daily*) {OS 24}

O God,
without you we are not able to please you:
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



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