

WOMEN'S WEEKEND

Wanting a Spring break?

Be refreshed with great Bible teaching

Spend the weekend in the beautiful Blue Mountains

Take some relaxed time to get to know your sisters at church better

What?	Katoomba Women's Convention
When?	10 th -12 th September 2010
Cost?	\$65 rego, \$58 concession
Accommodation?	En suite - approx. \$124 - includes all meals Friday supper → Sunday lunch
Deposit?	\$20 now to Sue or Gabrielle

List is on the atrium table. **Book** your place before **12th June**.
For more information see **Gabrielle Smith** (0414 256 787)
or **Sue Heath** (0448 938 284)

PROM PRAISE IN THE HILLS

At St Paul's Anglican Church in Castle Hill

This Saturday, 5th June at 1.30pm

St Paul's Choir & Orchestra

Tickets \$10.00 each. Wendy Rogers: 9634 4397
or Doreen Cairn-Duff: 9872 1137

Proceeds to "Compassion" in Africa

For more information chat to choir members:

Ruth Hipwell : 9457 6050 or

Helen Whight : 9987 4219

ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

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ASQUITH

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Welcome to St John's!

We are pleased that you have been able to join us today. We hope that you find the reading and teaching of God's Word helpful and that you are made to feel very welcome. If this is your first time with us, you may be asked to fill in a welcome card by one of our welcomers. This will help us to welcome you properly.



FAMILY BULLETIN

30th MAY 2010

ANGLICAN PARISH OF ASQUITH / MT COLAH / MT KURING-GAI

THIS WEEK: SUNDAY 30th MAY

The Mystery of Christ Revealed

Exodus 19:1-25 (p.73)

Ephesians 3:1-13 (p.1157)

8.00 am Morning Prayer
10.00 am Holy Communion
6.30 pm Night Church

NEXT WEEK: SUNDAY 6th JUNE

God's Power for What?

Exodus 20:1-17 (p.73)

Ephesians 3:14-21 (p.1158)

8.00 am Holy Communion
10.00 am Morning Church
6.30 pm Night Church

Our Parish Mission Statement

St John's Anglican Church Asquith exists to bring glory to God by:

- * Communicating the Gospel of Jesus Christ clearly
- * Teaching the Bible faithfully
- * Building a loving, serving, worshipping community and
- * Equipping us all spiritually for our work and witness in the world

PRAYER POINTS:

- * **Give thanks for** the many jobs done by the willing workers at our Working Bee yesterday.
- * **Give thanks for** the pastoral care ministry. Pray that we will continue to love and support one another and reach out to newcomers.
- * **Pray for** a good time of fellowship and great learning for our men at the St John's Men's Weekend Away at the Elanora Conference Centre on Friday, 4th and Saturday 5th June.
- * **Pray for** God's provision for the right person to join our ministry team as assistant minister next year.
- * **Pray for** all those who are considering being confirmed this year that God will continue to work in their lives and that they will grow to Christian maturity.
- * **Pray for** Andrew Drury as he has four weeks leave and travels to China.
- * **Pray for** a new SRE Co-ordinator.
- * **Pray for our Link Missionaries:** the Batey family in Spain, the Keith family and the Pipers in Lightning Ridge and Suzanne Ireland on the *Logos Hope*.

KURING-GAI GARDENS NURSING HOME

Monday, 7th June, we shall be visiting Kuring-gai Gardens Nursing Home. If you would like to be involved in this visit, meet in the car park of the Nursing Home at 10.45am prior to our short visit and service, which commences at 11.00am.

KEEPING INFORMED

The June edition of the *Eternity* Christian Newspaper is available on the atrium table.

MISSION AID GROUP - MAG

Our MAG item for May is:

DRAWING PINS + BLU TACK



Our MAG for KIDS:

RULERS + SAFETY SCISSORS



Please place your gifts in the marked

boxes at the back of the church **Thank You**

THE CLIPBOARD IS OUT

Can you: hand out the bulletin?

help people to find seating?

take up the offertory?



SIDESPEOPLE ARE NEEDED

for BOTH MORNING SERVICES

Of course we also need helpers for the crèche, morning tea servers, extra food providers and helpers as well.

Helen Whight is wandering around

with the **dreaded clipboard**.

Speak to her, phone her (9987 4219), email her whight@optusnet.com.au but please get in touch.

OFFERTORIES 23 MAY 2010

[For Electronic Giving the Account details are as follows:-

Asquith Parish General Fund BSB 062-106 Account 00900612]

Incomes: \$2,033.85 (General) + \$9,755.00 (Electronic)

+ \$20.00 (Ministry Fund) + \$40.00 (Building Fund) = **\$11,848.55**

(Combined Weekly Budget: \$6,100.00)

SHORTFALL at week 21: \$1,418.15

WANTED: HANDYMEN AND GARDENERS

There are a number of jobs around our property that need attention.

A list has been placed on the atrium table. If you think that you could take on one of these tasks, please write your name on the list.

If you have any questions about the items on this list, please speak to one of the members of our maintenance committee:

(Michael Coyne, Neil Elleson, Ross Begg, Andrew Munkman, Michael Browne or Russell Bramley)



DOUG & VAL DAVIES

Please note that the only email address to reach Doug and/or Val Davies is:

dougval.davies@gmail.com

CONFIRMATION 2010

On Sunday, 1st August at 6.30pm Bishop Glenn Davies will be conducting confirmation at St John's.

Anyone 15 years or over is invited to apply for confirmation.

Further information and application forms will be available shortly. For further information or expression of interest please see Brian Heath.

THE FIREPLACE

Refining each other as lights in a dark world
Bible study for high school students in Years 10-12

Sundays during school terms at St John's: 5pm-6pm followed by dinner and church.

30th May 2010: Philippians 3:1-11: 'Trash n Treasure'

Contact: Scott & Keely Maxwell

MEALS WANTED

Thank you to those who generously provided meals during terms 1 and 2 for The Fireplace (Sunday night Bible study for Year 10-12)

We are now filling the dinner roster for terms 3 and 4 — can you help?

Please contact Keely Maxwell or add your name to the roster on the atrium table, keelymaxwell@gmail.com or 0419 794 350

UP FOR A CHALLENGE?

Join in the St John's Winter Solstice Cycle for a slow paced family ride from Mount Colah to Pie in the Sky for breakfast.



Meet at the corner of Parklands Rd and Pacific Highway at 7.15am, Saturday 19th June, return around 10.00am.

Entrance fee of \$2.00 (\$5.00 per family) which will be donated to Lyall and Phil's Bike for Bibles quest!

Let me know if you are coming (so I can alert Pie in the Sky).

Thanks, Daryl Gilbert, 9457 8472

DIARY FOR JUNE 2010

Thu	3	7.45om	Small Group Leaders invited for a coffee and dessert evening at the Rectory
Fri	4	}	St John's Men's Weekend at Elanora Conference Centre
Sat	5		
Sat	5	1.30pm	Prom Praise In The Hills at St Paul's Anglican, Castle Hill
Sun	6	10.00am	Cambodia Presentation
Mon	7	11.00am	Kuring-gai Gardens Nursing Home visit and service
Thu	10	7.45pm	Parish Council meets at the Rectory
Sun	13	8.00am 10.00am	Gideons Deputation
Mon	14		Queen's Birthday Holiday
Mon	14	8.00pm	O.M. information and prayer time at Ross & Jennifer Begg's home
Sat	19	7.15am	St John's Winter Solstice Cycle family ride to 'Pie in the Sky' for breakfast
Sat	19		'Trellis & the Vine' workshop
Mon	21	12.30pm	Senior Ladies Fellowship Soup Luncheon
Mon	21	}	'Make It Count 2010' Rudd/Abbott debate Come to church and watch it on the big screen. The only way to see it live!
Thu	24	7.45pm	HADCEA Committee Meeting at St Luke's Anglican, Hornsby Heights
Fri	25	}	Mary Andrews College Women's Conference at The Collaroy Centre
Sat	26		
Sun	27		

HADCEA BACKGROUND

HADCEA (Hornsby Asquith District Christian Education Association) is an organisation set up over 20 years ago to provide a teacher for Christian Education in Asquith Boys & Girls High Schools. It is funded by 15 - 20 of the local interdenominational churches and their congregations.

Each Church has a Church representative who is responsible for keeping the congregations aware of the issues in the schools and it is the responsibility of all the supporting Churches to support this work both with prayer and finances.

The Constitution has the provision for the Ministers fraternal to review all the curriculum to be covered in the school teaching programme.

Peter Thomsett is our teacher for ABHS and **Ainsley Hodgson** is our teacher for AGHS.

HADCEA has a full committee that meets on a regular basis and all information is publicly available and audited each year and all support is welcome.

Recently at the May Prayer Breakfast the treasurer outlined that our Financial position was falling well behind budget and that we only had enough funds to cover next month.

As a matter of urgency this matter is being raised with all members of our congregation so that we can get the HADCEA finances back into the black.

Our bank details are:

BSB 032 084 Account number 49 0831 Account name: Hornsby and Asquith District Christian Education Association Inc. Donations can also be placed into the HADCEA Mail Box at St John's Anglican Asquith, which is cleared daily, or via the weekly church offertory.

Many thanks
Lyall Pogue
HADCEA Secretary

Please note
Any gift over \$2.00 to HADCEA
is tax deductible.