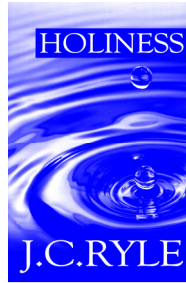


BOOK OF THE MONTH

HOLINESS By J C Ryle \$7.95



The author wrote in his introduction in 1879 - 'I have had a deep conviction for many years that practical holiness and entire self-consecration to God are not sufficiently attended to by modern Christians in this country. Politics or controversy or party spirit or worldliness have eaten out the heart of lively piety in too many of us. The subject of personal godliness has fallen sadly into the background. Sound doctrine is useless if it is not accompanied by a holy life.'

He could have easily been writing in 2010!

'This is a must read. It is one of my favourite Christian books.'

Brian Heath

John Charles Ryle served for almost 40 years as a minister of the gospel before being appointed as the first Bishop of Liverpool, England in 1880.

REMEMBER! When you take a book, please put your name on the list and put your money in the envelope marked: 'Book Payment'.



KIDS CLUB HELPERS NEEDED !

St John's will be running a kids club in the second week of the October holidays

(Tuesday 5th to Friday 8th October) for years 3-5.

The kids club will run from 9.30am to 12.30pm.

We are looking for leaders of all ages to help run craft activities, games and assisting in teaching God's Word.

Please contact: **Jamie Mackenzie** (0411 846 002)

or **Dan Butler** (0402 284 434)

if you can help out on any or all of these days.

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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

4th JULY 2010

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

THIS WEEK: SUNDAY 4th JULY

Man Overboard

Exodus 21:22-36 (p.75)

Jonah 1:1-16 (p.916)

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

NEXT WEEK: SUNDAY 11th JULY

The Prayer of Despair

Exodus 22:1-15 (p.75)

Jonah 1:17-2:10 (p.916)

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Holy Communion
6.30pm 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 good fellowship and teaching our group of ladies enjoyed last weekend at The Collaroy Centre.
- * **Give thanks** for holiday times. Pray for happy family times and safety when travelling.
- * **Pray that** 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** Phil Harmer and Lyall Pogue as they start their bike ride from Townsville this Tuesday 6th July. Pray also for Andrea as she will help the road crew. Pray also for safety for all the participants of "Bike for Bibles".
- * **Pray for** David & Judy Gillan as they prepare to fly out on 17th July to join the *Logos Hope*.
- * **Pray for** God's provision for the right person to join our ministry team as assistant minister next year.
- * **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*.

Health Matters

- * **Pray for** Linda & Roy Artist, who have both had major surgery last week. Keep praying for Jim Thompson, Don & Julie Lamb and for all our church family who are feeling ill. Pray that we all will continue to trust God in times of adversity.

COMBINED MORNING TEA on 25TH JULY FROM 9.15AM TO 9.45AM

A great time of fellowship and getting to know each other better.

See you there.



From the atrium table pick up your July copy of the *SOUTHERN CROSS*

BULLETINS 11TH JULY till 1ST AUGUST

Geoff Stutchbury will put the Bulletins together for the above dates as Nelly is having a holiday. **A BIG THANK YOU TO GEOFF.**

Anything to go into the bulletins please send to Geoff's email:

geofstutch@optusnet.com.au or phone him: 9482 9481

or mobile: 0412 378 140

And also send your requests to Brian Heath:

bheath@stjohnsasquith.org.au or phone: 9482 3282.

It would be appreciated to send any request/s for the bulletins as early as possible, like Monday or Tuesday or Wednesday (morning).

THANK YOU

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1ST SPECIAL EVENTS

10.00am **Education Sunday family service,**
 featuring Asquith Public School Choir
 followed by a sausage sizzle.

6.30pm. **Confirmation with Bishop Glenn Davies.**

OFFERTORIES 27 JUNE 2010

[For Electronic Giving the Account details are as follows:-
Asquith Parish General Fund BSB 062-106 Account 00900612]

Incomes: \$2,878.65 (General) + \$1,890.00 (Electronic)

+ \$140.00 (Ministry Fund) + \$150.00 (Building Fund) = **\$5,058.65**

(Combined Weekly Budget: \$6,100.00)

SHORTFALL at week 26: \$6,087.38

'GOING GLOBAL' STARTS 22nd JULY

7.45pm - 9.30pm

First Seminar:

THE GOSPEL FOR EVERY NATION

Tracing God's plan for the salvation of people from all nations through the Bible. Bring your Bible, a pen and enthusiasm to know more about world mission

Please register by filling in the form.

THE FIREPLACE

The Fireplace (Bible study for years 10-12) is having a holiday break and will meet again on Sunday, 25th July. See you then.

Please contact Scott or Keely Maxwell for information:

keelykmaxwell@gmail.com or 0419 794 350

MAG ITEMS FOR JULY + AUGUST

We collected 27 packets of lead pencils (189) and 17 packets of envelopes (1331 assorted sizes) for Tanzania in June.

For July we have a very special request. As there is such a great need for our fellow Christian Pastors in Tanzania, we chose a rather expensive item:

STAINLESS STEEL THERMOS FLASKS.

Suggestion? Share the purchase with a church friend or a Bible study group?



Our MAG for KIDS is:

STICKERS



THE JULY OUTREACH POSTER



Prayer is more than just wishful thinking. Prayer is talking to God. And He is always listening. This is what the Bible promises to the person who is God's friend: 'When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble; I will rescue him and honour him' (Psalm 91:15)

The whole message is on the atrium table.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON SEMINARS

AUGUST 8th 3—5pm

'HUSBANDS AND WIVES'

with Jim and Lesley Ramsay

AUGUST 15th 3—5pm

'PARENTS AND CHILDREN'

with Colin and Jacqui Marshall

AUGUST 22nd 3—5pm

'LIVING AS A CHRISTIAN IN THE WORKPLACE'

with Mr Craig Josling - employee of City Bible forum

These seminars are designed to get to the nitty gritty of the issues that will be raised in the sermons those days.

Child minding will be provided.