Welcome to The Church of the Resurrection and our Parish of Swanbourne-Mt. Claremont. We extend a warm welcome to those visiting or worshipping with us for the first time today.

**Sunday Services**

9:00am Eucharist

A service of Holy Communion, which is usually sung with hymns and a sermon. On the 4th Sunday of the month the service is said.

Children’s Church meets in the meeting room at 9 am on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of the month and at 5 pm on the 4th Sunday. Children are encouraged to join us in Church on the 2nd Sunday, when our music is led by the Junior Choir.

5:00pm

4th Sunday of the month: Choral Mass with music led by the Mapstone Scholars

Please join us after the service today for refreshments in the Pelican Centre.

**Midweek Services**

There is a said Eucharist at 9:00 am every week, which, on the first Wednesday of the month is a healing Eucharist.

**Today’s Hymns and Music**

Awake, awake: fling off the night! ...... 334 CP
For the fruits of his creation ................. 254 CP
For the healing of the nations .............. 427 CP

Mass Setting ............... Dom Gregory Murray
Communion ...... When I needed a neighbour
From the Rector

One of the TV shows I enjoy watching is “Undercover Boss”. In it the ‘boss’ adopts a disguise and goes undercover to get a feel for what the employees live through day by day. Typically, this experience is the catalyst for changing how certain things are done and brings about an appreciation of how hard some people work. In many senses, the ‘boss’ has a conversion experience.

The word “conversion” comes from the Latin meaning to turn around. The heart of today’s gospel concerning reconciliation is about conversion and the call to build up the church. We are all called to bring ourselves and others to conversion which often means having to face the ongoing challenge of overcoming hurts and sinfulness within the church community. To “win over” those who “sin against” another in the church is to help them turn their life around and become once again faithful members of the community. The work of effecting reconciliation and conversion, however, is not simply about the personal judgment of a single community member who has been wronged. The work is always communal, informed by prayer, and guided by Jesus who remains “among” his Body, the church.

The good news and strength to be reconcilers comes from Jesus’ promise that he is among the two or three gathered in his name. The challenge of this gospel is to grow in the consciousness that we and others are the Presence of the risen Christ for one another, and then to act accordingly.

*Have a great week. Fr. Nick*
For your diary...

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<td>Book Club at 84 Shenton Road</td>
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To arrange the Sacrament of Reconciliation, home or hospital visits, Baptisms, and Weddings please contact Fr. Nick Tel. 0447 224451 Email. Fr. Nick@me.com
Holy Communion

The Anglican Church of Australia offers the hospitality of the altar to all baptized Christians. Please come forward to receive from the Celebrant and then move to receive from one of the chalices. If you cannot come to the priest, please let one of the sides-people know and the sacrament will be brought to you. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please come forward, holding your Order of Service. Gluten free wafers are available.

For your prayers this week...

In the Diocese, we pray for the Parish of East Avon; Aged Care Mission Coordinator, Victoria Park Deanery, Lyn Harwood; Rockingham General Hospital, Barbara Twells tssf, Lay Chaplain, staff and patients; Archbishop-elect Kay Goldsworthy, Bishop Jeremy and Bishop Kate.

In the Province, we pray for the Diocese of Bunbury, Bishop Allan Ewing, clergy and people; The Diocese of North West Australia, Bishop Gary Nelson, clergy and people.

In the Anglican Church of Australia we pray for the Primate of Australia, Archbishop Philip Freier.

In our Partner Diocese of Eldoret we pray for Bishop Christopher Rutto, clergy and people.

In the Anglican Communion, we pray for Seychelles - (Indian Ocean), The Right Reverend James Richard Wong Yin Song; Archbishop Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury

Our parish – Jeff White, our verger.

Those who are sick, Ethel Kaye, Beryl Staunton, Fred Banyard and Barbara Meys.

The faithful departed, those who died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur this week.
**News**

**New Archbishop of Perth Elected**

Bishop Kay Goldsworthy AO, currently Bishop of Gippsland, has been elected Archbishop of Perth. Bishop Kay was one of the first women ordained to the priesthood in this diocese in St. Georges Cathedral in 1992 and she was consecrated as the first woman bishop in the Anglican Church of Australia by Archbishop Roger Herft in 2008. Please keep Archbishop-elect Kay in your prayers as she prepares for her installation as the eighth Archbishop of Perth on Saturday 10th February 2018.

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**Church of the Resurrection Biggest Bonanza Bazaar Sale – Saturday 21st October 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

In addition to the sale, we are including a *Produce Stall*, a *Sausage Sizzle*, a *Plant Sale* and will also be serving *morning/afternoon teas*. All parishioners can be part of the action by helping manage these side-lines, preparing goods for the Produce stall, serving morning and afternoon teas and potting plants.

- Anne Crevald is coordinating the Plant Stall and has asked that parishioners start potting plants in colourful pots-please see Anne for further information.
- Stephen Houghton and Derry Macqueen are coordinating the Sausage Sizzle
- Kaye Welch and Margaret Houghton are coordinating the morning and afternoon teas
• Jim and Judy Gallagher are co-ordinating the Produce Stall
• Barbara and Peter Browne are coordinating the allocation of stalls for selling goods

We ALL need to be involved on the day! There are sign-up sheets in the Narthex divided into two hourly sections, for the Plant Stall, Sausage Sizzle and Produce Stall. Please add you name to one or more of the lists. If we all help we can make the day a HUGE success and have fun!

We also need to collect plastic bags for people to take home all the things they buy! Remember October is just around the corner!

Book Club

The next book will be The Secret River by Kate Grenville. Copies can be collected from Jane at Morning Tea after the service or from the Church office. Jennie has kindly agreed to host the discussion, which will take place on Wednesday 20 September at 7.30pm at 84 Shenton road, Swanbourne. We look forward to seeing you there!

Healing Eucharist – change of day and time

Please note that the monthly Healing Eucharist will now take place on the first Wednesday morning of every month at 9 a.m., not the first Sunday evening.

Study Group – Trees for life

The Anglican EcoCare Commission have developed a new resource which challenges us to think about trees, habitat and restoration from 3 different perspectives – Rural/farmers, Urban and Indigenous perspectives.

Each session takes a different theme, and includes readings from Scripture, a reflection, discussion questions, and themed prayers. Each session will take place in the meeting room and will include Morning Tea. All welcome.

10 October: ‘Salt of the Earth’- A Rural/Farmers perspective.
24 October: ‘Restoration of Habitat’ – An Indigenous perspective
31 October: ‘Where to from here?’
Volunteers Needed....

On Saturday 23rd September, the Diocese of Perth will be running a Churchsafe training afternoon in the Pelican Centre starting at 1.30 p.m. We need volunteers to help put out and clear away chairs and to help with the serving of refreshments. If you can assist, please speak to Jill Strong as soon as possible. Thank you.

Fr. Nick will be on leave....

....from the afternoon of Sunday 17th September and will be back at his desk on Thursday 5th October. Fr. Rowan will be taking Sunday services whilst Fr. Nick is away. Please direct any pastoral issues to The Revd. Eileen Warby during this time. Thank you.

Next week’s readings

The Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost, 17 September

9am Sung Mass with Fr. Nick preaching and presiding.

Exodus 14:19-31, Psalm 114, Romans 14:1-14 and Matthew 18:21-35

Please send any items for next week’s PewNews+ to the church office (office@resurrectionswanbourne.com.au) by Wednesday evening. Thank you.

Could you automate your giving?

The most efficient way to give is by bank transfer. You can, of course, continue to give by other means but if you are able to switch to bank transfer you can set up a regular donation using the following bank details. BSB 706-001, Account No. 30004478.

If you already use the Direct Debit system for your contribution, you are encouraged to place one of the laminated Direct Debit cards in the collection bowl as it passes you during the Offertory. You can collect a card from the welcomer as you enter the church.
A Reading from the Book of Exodus

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbour in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the Passover of the Lord. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgements: I am the Lord. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the Lord; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

Exodus 12:1-14

Hear the Word of the Lord: Thanks be to God.
Psalm 149

Alleluia.
O sing to the Lord a new song;
sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

Let Israel rejoice in their maker;
let the children of Zion be joyful in their king.

Let them praise his name in the dance;
let them sing praise to him with timbrel and lyre.

For the Lord has pleasure in his people
and adorns the poor with salvation.

Let the faithful be joyful in glory;
let them rejoice in their ranks,

With the praises of God in their mouths
and a two-edged sword in their hands;

To execute vengeance on the nations
and punishment on the peoples;

To bind their kings in chains
and their nobles with fetters of iron;

To execute on them the judgement decreed;
such honour have all his faithful servants.
Alleluia.
Let every person be subject to the governing authorities; for there is no authority except from God, and those authorities that exist have been instituted by God. Therefore, whoever resists authority resists what God has appointed, and those who resist will incur judgement. For rulers are not a terror to good conduct, but to bad. Do you wish to have no fear of the authority? Then do what is good, and you will receive its approval; for it is God’s servant for your good. But if you do what is wrong, you should be afraid, for the authority does not bear the sword in vain! It is the servant of God to execute wrath on the wrongdoer. Therefore, one must be subject, not only because of wrath but also because of conscience. For the same reason you also pay taxes, for the authorities are God’s servants, busy with this very thing. Pay to all what is due to them—taxes to whom taxes are due, revenue to whom revenue is due, respect to whom respect is due, honour to whom honour is due.

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, ‘You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet’; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’ Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

Romans 13:1-10

Hear the Word of the Lord: Thanks be to God.
The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

‘Take care that you do not despise one of these little ones; for, I tell you, in heaven their angels continually see the face of my Father in heaven. What do you think? If a shepherd has a hundred sheep, and one of them has gone astray, does he not leave the ninety-nine on the mountains and go in search of the one that went astray? And if he finds it, truly I tell you, he rejoices over it more than over the ninety-nine that never went astray. So it is not the will of your Father in heaven that one of these little ones should be lost.

‘If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.’

Matthew 18:10-20

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.
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We acknowledge Wadjuk Bibbulman people as the original owners and custodians of this Swan River Land we are meeting on today.