



The Baptism of Our Lord

Sunday 12 January 2020

**HOLY TRINITY ANGLICAN
CHURCH SEBASTOPOL**

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TODAY'S READINGS

Psalm **R** **The Lord will bless**

His people with peace.

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

Acts 10:34-38

Matthew 3:13-17

PARISH GROUPS

Our many Parish Groups have ceased for a well deserved holiday break.

Their schedules for 2020 will be advised early in the new year.

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF ANGLICARE EMERGENCY RELIEF CALL 5338 8651.

If you or someone you know in Ballarat needs food between Christmas Day and New Year; **The Soup Bus** is operating between Christmas and New Year Sunday – Thursday at the Senior Cits in Little Bridge St; **UnitingCare Breezeway** is open for lunch every day in Dana St; & **Salvation Army** are open for ER Thursday 27th and Friday 28th phone 5337 0600 for an appointment. **UnitingCare** is open for ER Thursday 27th and Friday 28th phone 5332 1286 for an appointment. **Anglicare (Victoria St) is operating as usual.**

Holy Trinity Sebastopol is a community committed to making and sustaining connections: with God, with one another, with the local and wider community, and with the environment.

We embrace the liturgical worship and style from the Oxford Movement, encouraging fellowship and community service. We believe in: God – the beauty of transcendent holiness, present in our connectedness; and in caring passionately for all in need.

All are welcome in this sacred space.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

The Anglican Communion throughout the world, for the work of unity between Christians, for our Sister Diocese of Aipo Rongo, and for all who suffer persecution for their faith.

The Anglican Church of Australia, ++Philip our Primate, +Garry our Bishop, the Diocese of North Queensland, +Keith Joseph, and the Parish of Glenelg Wannon.

The work and mission of the Mothers Union, especially in the Diocese of Grafton.

For Deacon Ryan Austin-Eames who will (DV) be ordained as a Priest in the Church of God (8 February 2020).

Those who are sick or suffering from illness at this time: Julie, Nola, Margaret, Fr. Peter, Mel, Brent, Beryl, Ken, Mathew, Margaret, Linda, Samantha, Norma, Bill, Peter, Andrew, Susan, June, Jan, Penny, Stephen & Charlie.

Our brothers and sisters who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith, we especially remember Betty Enever, Ralph Wells and Stanley Watson whose anniversaries occur at this time.

SAFE CHURCH POLICIES

The Anglican Diocese of Ballarat, and its parishes, affirm that all people have the right to be emotionally and physically safe, respected, and have their views and opinions valued at all times.

For more information call 1800 377 842 or go to <https://ballaratanglican.org.au/safechurch/>

PARISH MATTERS

The Eucharist is celebrated at the Cathedral Monday – Friday at 12:10pm

Clearance for Ministry: These documents need to be returned by the 31st of this month. To help with this Fr Chris is available for individual sessions to assist you in completing the applications.

Times are available on:

Tuesday 14th

Thursday 16th

Victorian Bushfire Appeal

Anglicare Victoria are urgently seeking donations to support those who have been devastated by these bushfires.

If you wish to make a donation via cheque, please make it payable to Anglicare Victoria.

You can send this to PO Box 45, Abbotsford VIC 3067

THIS WEEK

Tuesday

Mass 9:30am

Sunday

Mass 8:30am

For all pastoral and parish matters Fr Chris is available as usual. You can call him on 0480 106 587.