



THE ANGLICAN CHURCH OF  
**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, GORDON**

FOR THE DAYS BEFORE AND AFTER  
**28 APRIL 2024**  
FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER



Jesus said,  
**“I am the vine;  
you are the branches.  
If you remain in me  
and I in you,  
you will bear much fruit;  
apart from me  
you can do nothing.”**

John 15:5

ANNUAL **ANZAC** COMMEMORATION SERVICE  
11:30AM TODAY,  
REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW  
IN THE WAR MEMORIAL HALL



*Worship Service Times*

**Sunday 8:00AM**, Holy Communion, Book of Common Prayer

**Sunday 9:30AM**, Holy Eucharist, A Prayer Book for Australia  
(live-streamed on Facebook and YouTube)

**Thursday 10:00AM** Holy Communion, Chapel

**Evensong** usually second Sunday of the month,  
February to November, 4:00PM  
Next Evensong 12 May

## Parish Notices



It is our privilege and honour to host and welcome guests to our annual **ANZAC SERVICE**, held today at 11:30AM. The Cathedral Singers will sing. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the War Memorial Hall. Thank you to all parishioners who are bringing food to share and to those who will help serve.

*They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old.  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,  
we will remember them.  
Lest We Forget*

Saturday, 4 May, we will hold a **Parish Prayer Meeting** from 8:30AM to 9:30AM. All parishioners are encouraged to come pray for the parish and the world.

**Volunteers for special projects in the church**, please come to a meeting in the church back office Tuesday, 7 May at 10:00AM. See Father Robert with any questions.

Could you **bake for the Op Shop sale day cake stand once a month?**

The Op Shop sale day cake stand is in **immediate and permanent need of an additional baker, once a month, specifically for the second sale day of each month**—27 April, 25 May, 29 June and ongoing. Op Shop customers go down to the Crypt for Devonshire tea after they've snapped up their bargains—they sit down in pairs and fours to chat and nibble—and they take home something sweet for that night's dessert. They regularly buy up all the cakes, slices and cookies on the table—and have been known to request other varieties for next time. Speak to the church secretary for more information and/or to volunteer.

Remember to **wear your nametag** on Sunday mornings (facing outwards, please) during worship services and at coffee hour. Someone may be trying to recall or figure out your name.



# Calendar

## April

<b>Sat 27</b>	<b>9:00AM</b>	Op Shop Sale
<b>Sun 28</b>	<b>8:00AM</b>	Holy Communion, Book of Common Prayer
	<b>9:30AM</b>	Holy Communion, A Prayer Book for Australia
	<b>11:30AM</b>	ANZAC service with The Cathedral Singers, note changed time, refreshments served in the Hall afterwards
<b>Tue 30</b>	<b>Morning</b>	Op Shop crew sorts and prices
	<b>7:00PM</b>	Bible Study, led by Father Robert, Rectory

## May

<b>Wed 1</b>	<b>4:00PM</b>	Women's Bible Study, led by Jen Lum, church back office
	<b>7:30PM</b>	The Cathedral Singers' choir rehearsal, church
<b>Thu 2</b>	<b>Morning</b>	Op Shop crew sorts and prices
	<b>10:00AM</b>	Holy Communion, Chapel
	<b>5:00PM</b>	Table Tennis, Hall
	<b>7:30PM</b>	Zoom Bible Study class, led by Bishop Michael, link is <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85438011698">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85438011698</a> , passcode is 657270
<b>Fri 3</b>	<b>Midday</b>	ESL Classes, via Zoom
<b>Sat 4</b>	<b>8:30AM</b>	Parish Prayer Meeting
<b>Tue 7</b>	<b>10:00AM</b>	Church Office Volunteers' Meeting, church back office
<b>Sat 11</b>	<b>9:00AM</b>	Op Shop Sale
<b>Sun 12</b>	<b>4:00PM</b>	Evensong
<b>Fri 17</b>	<b>1:00PM</b>	Mahjong
<b>Sat 25</b>	<b>9:00AM</b>	Op Shop Sale

## June

<b>Sat 8</b>	<b>9:00AM</b>	Op Shop Sale
<b>Sun 9</b>	<b>4:00PM</b>	Evensong
<b>Fri 21</b>	<b>1:00PM</b>	Mahjong
<b>Sat 29</b>	<b>9:00AM</b>	Op Shop Sale

**Sunday, 28 April, Fourth Sunday After Easter**

**8:00AM** Sidesmen: Belinda Howell, Phil Bradfield, Geoff O’Conor  
Reader: Alan Tilley  
**9:30AM** Sidesmen: Joanna Wong and Peter Kneeshaw  
Reader: Melinda Happer  
**11:30AM** Sidesmen: Jan McLachlan, Joanna Wong,  
Cr Simon Lennon, Chris Russell

**Sunday, 5 May, Fifth Sunday After Easter**

**8:00AM** Sidesmen: John Brandon and John Ross Edwards  
Reader: Chris Russell  
**9:30AM** Sidesmen: Kathy Helm and Hugh Keithly  
Reader: Cynthia Keithly

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Usually in the office Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

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and on Op Shop sale days.