

"We acknowledge, the Traditional Custodians of the land we gather on today, and all First Nations people. We pay our respects to Elders past and present. We commit ourselves to listening, healing and building relationship."

WELCOME

to the Parish of East Lake Macquarie



But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb: and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. John 20:11-12



Mary Magdalene - 20th July 2025

Song of Songs 3:1-4a Psalm 63 2 Cor 5: 14-21 John 20: 1-18

Domestic & Family Abuse Sunday - 27th July 2025

Isaiah 61: 1-4 Psalm 35:1,9-12, 27-28 Ephesians 4: 25-32 Mark 9: 42-50

PARISH CLERGY TEAM



Parish Priest: Peter Tinney 0474 644 015 elmacpriest@gmail.com (Sunday-Thursday)



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TREASURER **Chris Charlton** 0417 448 979 **PARISH COUNCIL SECRETARY** Pam MacAskill 0457 731 991

SERVICE TIMES & LOCATIONS

WINDALE - Talinga Close Church Of the Transfiguration

Sunday 8:30am

BELMONT - 24 Church St

All Saints

 Sunday 9am Eucharist Wednesday 10am

SWANSEA - 28 Josephson St

St Peters

• Sunday 10:30am Eucharist Friday 9.30am

GENERAL CONTACT DETAILS:

Postal Address: PO Box 116, Belmont Website: www.elm-anglican.au Facebook: EastLakeMacquarieAnglican

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Prayers for the week

FOR THE WORLD: Peace in the Middle East and Ukraine, and wherever there is conflict.

FOR THE CHURCH: The church throughout the world, Bishops Peter, Sonia & Charlie and parishes in Newcastle Diocese.

<u>WIDER COMMUNITY:</u> For researchers, doctors and technicians involved in medical research. Those who work to raise funds for research. Those who are ill and participate in medical trials. For those in our community who do not have adequate shelter and warmth these cold nights.

<u>PEOPLE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS:</u> Melba, Anna, Robert, Maree, Clara, Claire, Jacqui, Helen, Kath, Louise & John Paul, Warren, Terry, Hilary & Ron, Shirley, Ulrich, Raymond, Kathleen, Maree, Warren, Frank, and Matthew.

Please note:

If you would like to have yourself or someone else (with their permission) included in the prayers, please fill out a Prayer Request available from each centre or contact Fr Peter or Rev Alison. People are only included for 1 month.

Readings for:

Transfiguration 3rd August 2025

Daniel 7: 9-10, 13-14 Psalm 97 2 Peter 1: 16-19 Mark 9: 2-10

Pentecost 9 10th August 2025

Isaiah 1: 1, 1-20 Ps 50: 1-8, 23-24 Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16 Luke 10: 32-40

Clergy Roster

DATE	SERVICE	WINDALE	BELMONT	SWANSEA
20/07/25	Mary Magdalene	Rev John	Fr Roger Zohrab	Rev John
27/07/25	Domestic & Family Abuse	Rev John	Rev Alison	Rev John
03/08/25	Transfiguration	Rev Alison	Rev John	Rev John
10/08/25	Pentecost 9	Rev John	Fr Peter	Rev Alison

For Your Diary

EVENT	DATE	DAY	TIME	DETAILS
Ripples	12 th August	Tuesday	5pm	All Saints
ELMA'S Hilltop Market	11 th Oct	Saturday	8.00am	Belmont Site
ABM Myanmar Fundraising LUNCH	30 th Nov	Sunday	1.00pm	All Saints Hall

RIPPLES OF HOPE 2025

An Anglican Reflection

OUR next Service will be 5pm Tuesday 12th August

THEME: Loneliness

@ All Saints, Belmont

Invite your friends and family to join us as we take time to quietly reflect on our Journey of Faith.

The Parish of East Lake Macquarie does lots to help strengthen our community

We work to offer inclusive care, support & faith-based ministry to the people of Lake Macquarie and surrounds in a variety of ways....

- Assisting people in need.
- Providing Emergency Relief food support
- Visiting people in hospitals as requested.
- Offering services such as baptisms & weddings.
- Working with Oz Harvest to distribute fresh food to the marginalised.
- Supporting people impacted by disaster
- Visiting aged care facilities and providing services.
- Organising Funerals and providing Grief Support.
- Supporting the work of Mission to Seafarers with In-Kind donations of items such as beanies and magazines.
- Organising regular fundraising activities for charities such as Samaritans, the Cancer Council and the Anglican Board of Mission.

AMUA NSW Conference

26th July 2025

Presented by Mothers Union Sydney



Saturday 30th July

9.30m - 1.30pm

ST THOMAS CARDIFF - 3 Thomas Street, Cardiff

ULTREYA

Date: Friday 25th July

Time: 5.30pm

Where: All Saints Morisset

Diocese of Newcastle Anglican Cursillo Movement, Lake Macquarie Deanery.

Everyone is Welcome

Details on the Poster at the back of the church

Join us at Windale for CRAFT AND A CHAT

The first get together will be Saturday 2nd August 9.30-12.00 noon at The Church of the Transfiguration at Windale. Following meetings will be on the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month.

Everyone is welcome.

Bring along your own craft, learn new skills, share a skill with others.

Tea and coffee are available.

ELMA's OP SHOPS

WINDALE & BELMONT

DROP IN & GRAB A BARGAIN

BELMONT - Shop 1/550 Pacific Hwy, Belmont (next to Lowes)

Mon. – Frid. 9am-3pm & Sat. 9am – Noon

WINDALE — Merrigum Street, Windale

Tues., Wed. & Sat. - 9am - Noon

GOOD DONATIONS – Always Needed **VOLUNTEERS** - Always Welcome

For more information phone - 0474 644 015





HILLTOP MARKET

Saturday 11th October 2025

- Plants
- Craft
- Cakes & Produce
- The Hilltop Café
- Bric A Brac
- BB0
- Fashion By Elma's Windale
- Promotion

- Raffle
- Books
- Fashion By Elma's Belmont
- General Assistance

ABM Pew Reflection





St Mary Magdalene

Song of Songs 3.1-4a; Psalm 63; 2 Corinthians 5.14-21; John 20.1-18

When the risen Jesus calls Mary Magdalene by name in the garden she recognises him instantly – there are parallels with Jesus and the disciples who are fishing, and the two disciples on the road to Emmaus where, in both cases, it is something that Jesus says that makes them realise who he is.

- Lord, help me to use my voice so that people see who I really am, a follower of Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God, the one who has redeemed me.
- Give thanks for work and witness of Anglican women's Religious Orders throughout the world.

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HOW CAN YOU ASSIST OUR PARISH?

A. Volunteers are always welcome in a variety of areas.

For further information please speak to the Clergy or one of the Wardens.

B. Financial Support

Your generosity is very important to assist our Parish to Provide Mission & Ministry NOW, & into the future.

Financial Gifts can be offered for the Parish or for Mission in 2 ways:

- 1. Directly into the appropriate baskets before or after each service
- 2. By Electronic Funds Transfer. Donations this way can be easily arranged by speaking to your bank directly or set it up through internet banking.

BANKING DETAILS FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING:

BSB: 705 077 Account Name: ELMAC Account Number: 000 405 34

The Anglican Church of Newcastle takes allegations of misconduct and abuse seriously.

We welcome and encourage everyone with concerns to come forward.

TO REPORT A CRIME TO NSW POLICE RING 131 444 OR RING 000 IN AN EMERGENCY TO CONTACT CHILD PROTECTION HELPLINE RING 132 111 OR TO CONTACT THE PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS DIRECTOR

Phone: 1800 774 945 Email: dps@newcastleanglican.org.au

Write: Director of Professional Standards - PO Box 494, Newcastle NSW 2300