

WELCOME

to the Parish of East Lake Macquarie

FEAST OF THE HOLY CROSS - 14th September 2025

>> Numbers 21: 4b-9 >> Psalm 78: 1-2, 34-38
>> 1 Cor 1: 18-24 >> John 3: 13-17



SEASON OF CREATION - 21st September 2025

>> Jeremiah 8: 18-9:1 >> Psalm 79: 1-9
>> 1 Timothy 2: 1-10 >> Luke 16: 1-13



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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 Phone: 0474 644 015
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Prayers for the week

FOR THE WORLD: Peace in the Middle East and Ukraine, and places of tension and conflict.

FOR THE CHURCH: The church throughout the world, Lambeth Conference; Bishops Peter, Sonia & Charlie; The Synod and Diocesan Council. The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean, and The Church of the Province of West Indies. Diocese of Northern Territory (Bp Greg Anderson), Manning Valley Anglican College (NASC) Philip Fielden (Acting Principal) Greg Anderson (Lay Chaplain); Parishes of Southlakes Melinda McMahon and Cardiff Boolaroo Elizabeth Falckh and Graham Gordon

WIDER COMMUNITY United Nations and the International Court of Justice. For local members of Parliament. For agencies providing support for those without adequate food, shelter and warmth.

PEOPLE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS: Andrew, Melba, Anna, Robert, Maree, Clara, Claire, Jacqui, Helen, Kath, Louise & John Paul, Warren, Jeremy, Hilary & Ron, Shirley, Ulrich, Raymond, Kathleen, Maree, Warren, Frank, Jeanette, Anne, Geoff, Neil, Colvin and Matthew.

FAITHFUL DEPARTED:

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:

St Michael & All Angels 28th September 2025

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Psalm 138
Rev. 12: 7-12a John 1: 45-51

St Francis of Assisi 5th October 2025

Genesis 2: 4b-9a, 19-22 Psalm 148
1 Peter 2: 1-5 Matt 6: 253

Clergy Roster

DATE	SERVICE	WINDALE	BELMONT	SWANSEA
14/09/25	Holy Cross	Rev Alison	Fr Peter	Rev Alison
21/09/25	Season of Creation Pentecost 15	Rev Robyn	Rev Alison	Fr Peter
28/09/25	St Michael & All Angels	Rev John	Fr Peter	Rev Alison
5/10/25	St Francis of Assisi	Rev John	Fr Peter	Rev Alison

For Your Diary

EVENT	DATE	DAY	TIME	DETAILS
Living Smart Festival	20 th Sept	Saturday	9am – 3pm	
ELMA'S Hilltop Market Meeting	29 th Sept.	Monday	3pm	
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 14th October @ All Saints, Belmont

THEME: Anti Poverty Week

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

The HILLTOP MARKET

Saturday 11th October 2025



- Plants
- Craft
- Cakes & Produce
- The Hilltop Café
- Bric A Brac
- BBQ
- Fashion By Elma's Windale
- Promotion
- Raffle
- Books
- Fashion By Elma's Belmont
- General Assistance



PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE NEXT MEETING
ON Monday 29th September at 3.00pm

4 steps of an R U OK? conversation



RUOK?
A conversation could change a life.

Join us at Windale for **CRAFT & A CHAT**

1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month. 9.30-12.00 noon at The Church of the Transfiguration at Windale.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME.

Bring along your own craft, learn new skills, share a skill with others. Tea and coffee are available.

SEASON OF CREATION - Bible Studies

ZOOM STUDY will be held every Thursday 7.30pm commencing 4/9, through to 2/10.
If you would like to be part of this study, please email Rev Alison your details -
alisonwooden@bigpond.com

FACE TO FACE STUDY will be held every Wednesday morning at 11am in the Centenary Room at All Saints Belmont. commencing 3/9, through to 1/10.
If you would like to be part of this study, please email Rev John your details -
johncarroll1945@gmail.com

I have many happy memories of times spent with ABM staff and missionaries; not least of the 1991 ACPNG Centenary, when I liaised mainly with Fr John Stephenson and Colleen Hodge in the Sydney Office. I was charged with making arrangements for twelve pilgrims from UK to join the celebrations in PNG - in addition of course to the official Lambeth Palace entourage. Our party included Fr Doug Jones (ABM) and his wife Caroline (PNGCP).

It seemed quite surreal, on that historic day, 10th August, my birthday by a happy coincidence, to be on Kaieta Beach, where the pioneer missionaries: Albert Maclaren (originally from UK and ordained in Brisbane) and Copland King (from Sydney Diocese) had first landed in 1891...



Chris Luxton, Secretary, Papua New Guinea Church Partnership (1998-2010). St Laurence's Day - 10th August, 1991 Centenary of the Anglican Church in PNG.

SEPTEMBER IS... MISSION BOX MONTH

If anyone has a mission giving box, could they please bring it in. We will be collecting from now until the end of September.

Many thanks
Bim Wilcher
(Mission Secretary)



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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

If you have anything you would like included in the Bulletin please send it to.... admin4.elmac@newcastleanglican.org.au or phone Fiona - 0451 677 702