




We acknowledge the First Australians with gratitude for their stewardship of country. In our Parish, we recognise the strength, resilience and continuing culture of the Awabakal and Darkinjung people and affirm our commitment to walking together in a spirit of truth-telling, justice & reconciliation.

# WELCOME

to the Parish of East Lake Macquarie

PARISH CLERGY TEAM	
	<b>PARISH PRIEST:</b> <b>Peter Tinney</b> 0474 644 015 elmacpriest@gmail.com (Sunday-Thursday)
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Chris Charlton	0417 448 979
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Pam MacAskill	0457 731 991
SERVICE TIMES & LOCATIONS	
WINDALE – Talinga Close	
Church of the Transfiguration Sunday 8:00am	
BELMONT - 24 Church St	
All Saints Sunday 9.30am Eucharist Wednesday 10am	
SWANSEA – 28 Josephson St	
St Peters Sunday 11:00am Eucharist Thursday 10.00am	
GENERAL CONTACT DETAILS:	
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## Pentecost 4 21st June 2026

Genesis 21: 8-21  
Psalm 86: 1-10, 16-17  
Romans 6: 1 - 11  
Matthew 10: 24-39

*Whoever does not  
take up the cross  
and follow me is  
not worthy of me.*  
Matthew 10:38



## Saint Peter – 28th June 2026

Acts 12: 1-11      Psalm 87  
2 Tim 4: 6-8, 17-18      John 21: 15–22



**‘FOLLOW  
ME’**

# Prayers for the week .....

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

**FOR THE CHURCH:** Bp Peter, Asst Bps Sonia and Charlie; Family & Community Services – Disability Services. The Church of the Province of Myanmar, The Salvation Army. Diocese of Tasmania (Bps Richard Condie and Chris Jones). Parishes of the Diocese - The Cathedral, Gloucester - James Brooks, Harrington & District - Helen Quinn (Locum), Cheryl Smart (Honorary Priest), Taree - Natalie Quince.

**WIDER COMMUNITY:** People living with a disability and those who support them. For justice ministries and work; the homeless; unemployed and supporting families suffering because of Domestic Violence; Relief agencies, agencies supporting for those in poverty.

**PEOPLE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS:** Jenny and Dave and family, Barbara, Frank, Doreen, Ann, Michelle, Frank and Pat, Graham and Melba, Suzanne, Ron and Hilary, Stan, Robert, Anne, Kath, Penny, Shirley, Anne, Neil, Rose, Matthew, Guy.

**RECENTLY DEPARTED:** Rev'd Ivan Ransom, Gloria Firth

**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. People are generally only included for 1 month.

## Readings for:

### Coming of the Light 5<sup>th</sup> July 2026

Isaiah 58: 8-11    Psalm 27  
2 Cor 4: 5 - 6    John 12: 35-47

### Pentecost 7, NAIDOC, Sea Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2026

Genesis 25: 19-34    Ps 119: 105-112  
Romans 8: 1-11    Matt 13: 1-9, 18-23

## Clergy Roster:

DATE	SERVICE	WINDALE	BELMONT	SWANSEA
21/06/26	Pentecost 4	Fr Peter	Rev John	Bp Peter Fr Peter
28/06/26	St Peter Apostle & Martyr	No service	No service	Fr Peter Rev John
05/07/26	Coming of the Light	Steve E	Rev John	Darrell F
12/07/26	Pentecost 7, NAIDOC, Sea Sunday	Rev Robyn	Rev John	Rev John

## For Your Diary:

EVENT	DATE	DAY	TIME	DETAILS
Swansea Centre	21/06	Sunday	11.00am	Bishop Peter visit & monthly lunch
St Peter's Swansea	28/06	Sunday	09.30am	Feast of Title Eucharist and Lunch
Coming of the Light	05/07	Sunday		
NAIDOC/ Sea Sunday	12/07	Sunday		
Transfiguration Windale	09/08	Sunday	09.30am	Feast of Title Eucharist and Lunch
Melbourne Cup Lunch	03/11	Tuesday	12.30pm	All Saints Hall
All Saints Belmont	25/10	Sunday	09.30am	Feast of Title Eucharist and Lunch

If you are looking to strengthen or broaden your Prayer life you can download an App called -

### Lectio 365 Daily Bible Prayer

If you need any further information, please speak to Rev John or Fr Peter

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ANNIVERSARY  
1850 - 2025



1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month will be  
**MISSIONS SUNDAY**

**SUNDAY**  
– 5<sup>th</sup> July

Special donations can be made in cash or electronically for our parish mission contribution  
PLEASE NOTE: There will still be a normal Parish collection in each centre

## RIPPLES OF HOPE

An Anglican Reflection

OUR next Service will be – **5pm** Tuesday **23rd June** @ All Saints, Belmont

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

**<<< SAVE THE DATE >>>**

Spring Celebration

**Melbourne**

**Cup Day Event**

**3<sup>rd</sup> November 2026**

**At All Saints Hall, Belmont**

**START Planning your outfit NOW.....**

**It's all about Glitz & Glamour!!**  
**& you too... can join the amazing Fashionistas for the day.**

**Enjoy a great Lunch and lots of fun & Games. Entry will be \$30 per person**

If you have anything to include in the pewsheet please send it to Fiona by Monday each fortnight.

[fionakeryn@gmail.com](mailto:fionakeryn@gmail.com) or phone on 0451 677 702

**Windale**  
**COFFEE,**  
**CARE & CRAFT**

The 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of the month.

**Everyone is welcome**

Any kind of craft can be done, such as - crocheting, knitting, sewing etc. Or just bring yourself and enjoy a cuppa and a chat!!!

Windale Church Hall  
Talinga Close, Windale

**DO YOU HAVE ANY EXPERIENCE APPLYING FOR OR MANAGING GRANT APPLICATIONS??**

**PARISH GRANTS TEAM**

We are looking to put together a team of people who can assist our Parish to apply for Grants. If you have any knowledge or skills in this area, we would appreciate your assistance. Please speak to Fr Peter or one of the Wardens – Gary Wicher, Anne Ramplin or Kevin Brennan.

# THE PARISH OF EAST LAKE MACQUARIE

## 2026 Feasts of Title Celebrations...

### St Peters Swansea Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June

#### DETAILS AS FOLLOWS -

- 9.30am Service - St Peters 28 Josephson St Swansea
- A light Morning Tea & a Tour of the site
- 12 noon - Lunch at Swansea RSL

The lunch is catered and will be 1 course, Chicken & Beef served alternately. Some special Dietary Requirements can be arranged in advance. Tea & Coffee are also included  
Cost is \$22.00 per person and must be paid by Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June to the person collecting funds at your centre.

All Feast of Title Services will be at 9.30am  
There will only be 1 Service in the Parish on each of these Sundays.

#### OTHER FEAST OF TITLE SERVICES -

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> August

- The Church of the Transfiguration, Windale

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October

- All Saints Belmont

# Green Day

Will you  
join us  
and go  
**GREEN?**

Samaritans  
Green Light  
Appeal

Hope starts here.



Samaritans are asking the Community to wear something green on Tuesday 4 August (or any day during Homelessness Week, from 3 to 9 August) and show support for local youth who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

Our Parish will join this cause on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August and invite our Parishioners in all centres to wear green and show their support.

## 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