Welcome!

COVID-SAFE ARRANGEMENTS

To help us keep Covid-safe, please maintain **physical distancing of 1.5m** and do not attend if you have any **flu-like symptoms**. Masks are required indoors.

SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER

If you've come on Saturday then join us for **dinner** at the hall before 7pm.

SUNDAY MORNING BRUNCH

Join us for **brunch** after church on Sundays at the hall before 11am.

JOIN A GROWTH GROUP

To join a **growth group**, make a note on your response slip.

DAILY MORNING PRAYERS

Join us each morning (except Sunday) at **7am** for 30 mins of prayer on Zoom at zoom.jamberooanglican.com

LISTEN AND WATCH TALKS ONLINE

Visit watch.jamberooanglican.com to watch our services live or to watch our previous services online. **Listen to our sermons** on Apple Podcasts or Spotify by searching 'Jamberoo Anglican'.

LIVESTREAMING

Our Saturday night service will be filmed and livestreamed at <u>watch.jamberooanglican.com</u> and Facebook, for the benefit of those unable to attend. To avoid being filmed, sit in the individual chairs at the rear.

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have recently been listening to the Bible talks given at CMS Summer School by Andrew Shead, and his talk on Psalm 1 got me thinking...

Psalm 1:1 Oh, the joys of those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or stand around with sinners, or join in with mockers.

2 But they delight in the law of the Lord, meditating on it day and night.

As someone turns away from a life of wickedness and godlessness, they instead, head down the path of joy. This other way of life is different, and it is filled with a delight in the law of the Lord, which, for us is the Bible.

But this part right here, "delight in the law of the Lord" got me thinking: do I 'delight' in God's law, his instruction, his word?

Do I love to spend time with God in his word?

"Yes, yes, yes!" is how I know I should answer the question, but sometimes my mornings sound like a bit more of a :"no, no, no, you are too busy!"

I don't know about you, but I have been through different seasons when it comes to delighting in God's word.

Sometimes it the favourite part of my day! But other times it can remain forgotten about, like an old zucchini in the fridge.

My point here is not to condemn us, but to help us realise that as sinful people we need help!

The path of joy is a path paved by God's own word, because it is the means by which we can know him.

And, nobody wants us to delight in God's word more than God himself!

So if you are reading this, and would love to delight in God's word, spend more time the Bible, and know God more, then why don't you ask him for help right now?

There is nobody else who can help you delight in the scriptures more than God himself!

Thanks be to our self-revealing, heart-changing, joybringing God!

JACOB MIERENDORFF

Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th February 2022

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OUR SERMON

This weekend we will be hearing from God's word as **Graham Errington** preaches to us from Luke 20:27-40 on 'The Sadducees and the Resurrection'.

NATIONAL CHURCH LIFE SURVEY

We and most other churches across the country are participating in the National Church Life Survey (NCLS). It is preferred that you **complete the survey online**, or you may prefer to fill in a paper form.

KBECET SERVICE

You are invited to attend the KBECET Commissioning Service for Wicky, our Kiama High School Scripture Teacher. It will be held this **Sunday 20th February** at 2pm at St Peter's and Paul's Church, Kiama.

MOTHERS UNION CONFERENCE

The Mother's Union Conference is on **Friday 25th Feb 7-9pm**. It is for all women who nurture or care for others, whether their own children or grandchildren or as missional mums in our church.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

JO'S COMMISSIONING SERVICE

Jo our friend from the Middle East is having her **rescheduled** commissioning service on Saturday the **5th March at 2pm**. Join a group of us as we watch live from our hall.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held at **7pm Tuesday 8th March.** Nomination forms have been emailed to you, or can be found on the welcome table. Please prayerfully consider who might best serve us as Parish Councillor or Warden.

PRAY WITH PRAYERMATE

Our church is on <u>PrayerMate</u>. Subscribe for **daily prayer points on your device**.

MORNING PRAYER

Join us at **7am** every day (except Sunday) at zoom.jamberooanglican.com as we gather to read the Bible, pray, and encourage each other as the new day dawns.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

MONTHLY FINANCE UPDATE

Our 2022 weekly giving **budget** is \$4,800 In **January**, we averaged per week \$4,023 So, we're **behind budget** per week by \$777 Our finances for the year are **behind** by \$3367 Our **MTS fund** has met the budget for last year, and now will roll into the target for this year.

FINANCIALLY PARTNER WITH US

General info: jamberooanglican.com/give
Account Name: Jamberoo Anglican Church
BSB: 032605 Account Number: 356831
Tax Deductible MTS Youth Minister Fund:
mts.com.au/give/jamberoo-anglican-church/

Prayers

GIVE THANKS FOR

The sending of God's promised Messiah - our Lord's life, death and Resurrection. .

Our promise keeping God - All God's blessings in the past and assurance of things to come. For Jodie and Mandy, Graham and Lesley, Brad and

Liz, Gemma and Matt, Jacob and Jemimah. For the blessings we enjoy as citizens of this country of Australia.

Those in our prayer list who have improved.

FOR OUR CHURCH

Pray that we may reach our community and others will come to know Jesus.

That all our members may be built up in Christ through the faithful ministry of God's word. For our youth ministry, Brad and other leaders as they seek to encourage our youth in faith.

For Gemma and for wisdom in her ministry to mothers in our fellowship.

For Sandee as she takes on the responsibility of coordinating pastoral care in our fellowship Pray for our AGM on 8th March, for good attendance and for the election of Wardens and Parish Councillors who will glorify God and serve the ministry of our church well through the year ahead.

FOR OUR VILLAGE AND VALLEY

Pray for residents of Churchill St, Tate Place, Chapel Lane

FOR FRIENDS IN SPECIAL NEED

Pray for Janet, Ray, Rayne, Alex, Dorothy, Paul and Jean, Bec, Vic, Beryl, Jo, Alexandra; for others known to us who are sick, grieving the loss of loved ones or otherwise in need.

FOR WORLD MISSION

For CMS and its widespread gospel ministry: For Our Friend from the Middle East as she prepares to return there, for good farewells from family and friends and that she will reconnect well with contacts in her location; Give thanks for blessings enjoyed by Adrian and Anita over the past year; pray for MOCLAM students as a new year begins and for Roxana studying in Chile.

For SRE: Give thanks for our teachers and pray for more opportunities to reach the children in 2022. Pray for KBECET and for Wicky, that he will be encouraged by support at his commissioning service on 20th February.

ICM: For Cameron and Alex in Dublin - Pray for Alex, experiencing significant health issues, for relief and the right care; give thanks for encouragements from the Dublin Bible Talks, the WhatsApp group and the monthly service in Killeshandra parish.

St Paul's Shellharbour Anglican: Thank God for Word ministry through online services, Zoom Bible studies, and now physical services, study groups and SRE classes; Give thanks for partnership with Shellharbour City Anglican Church in children's and youth ministry. Pray for planning for 2022.

Pray for staff and students, especially those from non-Christian homes, of Christian Schools in our area: Shellharbour Anglican College, Calderwood Christian School.

FOR THE WORLD

Pray for our world in the devastation caused in so many places by COVID 19; pray that unbelievers everywhere will come to see that those things in which they trust are useless in such a crisis and turn to the one who is truly Lord of all; Pray that God will soon bring an end to this disaster.

Pray for all who are suffering pain and hardship from bushfire, drought, floods, warfare and threat of war in Europe, persecution, the fear of coronavirus infection and other disasters around the world, that the forces of evil may be overcome; that many might have opportunity to discover the comfort and security of a relationship with their Creator.

For wisdom for our Prime Minister, State Premiers and all members of Parliaments in our land as they seek to promote the welfare of all in our society in the current crisis situation.