



# St. John's Anglican Church Albany Consecrated 1848.

Sunday 5th April 2026  
Easter Day



## Sentence of the Day

**Christ our Passover  
has been sacrificed  
for us; therefore let  
us keep the feast.**

### Collect

**Glorious Lord of life,  
by the mighty resurrection of  
your Son  
you overcame the old order  
of sin and death  
to make all things new in  
him:  
grant that we, who celebrate  
with joy  
Christ's rising from the dead  
may be raised from the death  
of sin  
to the life of righteousness;  
through him who lives and  
reigns with you  
and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for  
ever. Amen.**

### Prayer of the Week

**Almighty God, you have  
conquered death through  
your dearly beloved Son  
Jesus Christ and opened  
to us the gate of  
everlasting life:  
grant us by your grace to  
set our mind on things  
above, so that by your  
continual help our whole  
life may be transformed;  
through Jesus Christ our  
Lord, who is alive and  
reigns with you and the  
Holy Spirit in everlasting  
glory. Amen**

### Today's Readings

#### *1st Reading Acts 10.34-43*

<sup>34</sup> Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup> but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup> You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup> That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup> how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup> We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; <sup>40</sup> but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup> not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup> He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup> All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

#### *2nd Reading Colossians 3.1-4*

<sup>1</sup> So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup> Set your minds

on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, <sup>3</sup> for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup> When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

#### *Gospel Reading Matthew 28.1-10*

<sup>1</sup> After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. <sup>2</sup> And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. <sup>3</sup> His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. <sup>4</sup> For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. <sup>5</sup> But the angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. <sup>6</sup> He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. <sup>7</sup> Then go quickly and tell his disciples, "He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him." This is my message for you.' <sup>8</sup> So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. <sup>9</sup> Suddenly Jesus met them and said, 'Greetings!' And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshipped him. <sup>10</sup> Then Jesus said to them, 'Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me.'

*The Psalm for today is Psalm 118, Verses 1-2 and 14-24.*

- <sup>1</sup> O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good:  
his mercy endures for ever.  
<sup>2</sup> Let Israel now proclaim:  
that his mercy endures for ever.  
<sup>14</sup> The Lord is my strength and my song:  
and has become my salvation.  
<sup>15</sup> The sounds of joy and deliverance:  
are in the tents of the righteous.  
<sup>16</sup> The right hand of the Lord does mighty things:  
the right hand of the Lord raises up.  
<sup>17</sup> I shall not die but live:  
and proclaim the works of the Lord.  
<sup>18</sup> The Lord has disciplined me hard:  
but he has not given me over to death.  
<sup>19</sup> Open me the gates of righteousness:  
and I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.  
<sup>20</sup> This is the gate of the Lord:  
the righteous shall enter it.  
<sup>21</sup> I will praise you, for you answered me:  
and have become my salvation.  
<sup>22</sup> The stone that the builders rejected:  
has become the head of the corner.  
<sup>23</sup> This is the Lord's doing:  
and it is marvellous in our eyes.  
<sup>24</sup> This is the day that the Lord has made:  
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

*Next Sunday's Readings*

*1st Reading Acts 2. 14a;2.22-32*

*P112*

*2nd Reading 1 Peter 1.1-12*

*P222*

*Gospel Reading John 20.19-31*

*P109*

**HYMNS – EUCHARIST SETTING**  
**DUDMAN TIS 756**

	8am	9.30am
Introit		362
Gradual	390	390
Offertory	360	360
Recessional	380	380

**Children's Church is available at our 9:30am service. This week's Children's Talk is 'An Easter Surprise.'**

Dear Friends

I do pray you have had a safe week and a precious journey through Holy Week. Today we celebrate The Resurrection of our Lord. Today we celebrate that Christ conquered death and because Christ is victorious over death, we shall rise too. Alleluia! The hope that the Resurrection gives us is beyond measure. No longer is death the end, no longer does death have the final word.

When I went to Cursillo, the theme Hymn for that weekend was "Because He Lives" - a hymn that sums up the hope and joy of Easter - the resurrection!

The words are

"God sent His son, they called Him Jesus  
He came to love, heal and forgive  
He lived and died to buy my pardon  
An empty grave is there to prove my saviour lives

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow,  
Because He lives, all fear is gone.  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living,  
Just because He lives!"

I wonder, what makes you happy? What fills you with joy? Is it family? is it friends? chocolate? Joy is an important emotion - we all need it!!!! A lot of the time we need it to balance the difficult times we all have.

We have journeyed through our Lenten Season and find ourselves at Easter Day - the day that brings the joy that follows the sadness of Good Friday.

You know, the Disciples must have been absolutely ecstatic when they discovered that Jesus had been raised from the dead on Easter Day! I imagine their hearts would have been thumping, while their minds wrestled with their amazing experience. But joy filled their lives.

The following story might help us to catch a little of the flavour of the joy they experienced on that remarkable occasion.

Once there was a man who had two sons, Peter and Gregory, in the First World War. One day he got a letter from the front. Being unable to read, he handed it to his daughter. It was from Gregory's commanding officer and began like this: 'I regret to have to inform you that your son Gregory was killed in action of July 10th. Gregory was an excellent soldier and died the death of the brave. You have every reason to be proud of him ... etc.'

The effect of this news on the father was immediate and overwhelming. He seemed to wilt visibly, turning grey overnight.

He kept the letter in the kitchen. Every day he would take it down and ask his daughter to read it to him once more. But as soon as she began: 'I regret to inform you that ...' he would take it from her and put it away again. After the local priest had offered a service for his son, he felt a little better.

Twelve days went by like this. On the thirteenth day a second letter arrived. It said that his son wasn't dead after all. He had been wounded and left for dead on the battlefield. Next morning he had come to and crawled four miles back to his own lines, dragging a wounded officer with him. He was to be raised to the rank of corporal and had been awarded the Cross of St George in recognition of his bravery. Right now he was recovering from his wounds in hospital, and they could expect him home soon. Gregory had a second chance at life a new beginning.

On hearing this, the father was overjoyed. Excitedly he grabbed the letter and went into the village with it. He stopped everyone he met, forcing everyone to read it. 'My son is alive!' he exclaimed. 'He's been awarded St George's Cross for bravery!'

What an amazing transformation! This story gives us some idea of the joy the disciples would have experienced that first Easter Day. But there are differences too. The man's son hadn't actually died. Jesus had died! The disciples had witnessed his death with their own eyes. But now the tomb was empty: and Jesus had been seen alive! He had been raised from the dead and they could see and touch him once again. Their joy bubbled over. Jesus, their leader and friend, had broken the chains of death through the power of God. Death, the last and greatest enemy, had been overcome in him.

Today we too can share their joy. We too can live in the power of the resurrection. Because Christ died for us and for our salvation!

Jesus - the one who will love us all unconditionally in all our brokenness, in our good times, in our bad times, is risen and all we have to do in return is love and be like him.

Each year, our Easter celebrations serve to remind us: that our God is a God of new beginnings: and the same power that he used to raise Jesus from the dead: is available to each of us, to empower us for life! To enable us to see that there is light at the end of the tunnel, and assure us of a fresh start, or a new beginning.

May the joy of Easter be always with you.

Blessings

Karen

We respectfully acknowledge the Menang Noongar people as the traditional custodians of the land on which we worship and minister, and pay respect to elders past and present.

**A WARM WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS** - All are welcome at the Lord's table. Baptised, communicant members of all Christian denominations, are very welcome to receive Holy Communion and any person welcome to come forward to receive a blessing. If you are unable to come to the altar rail and wish to receive the Sacrament in your pew, please speak to a sides person.

**Prayers for:**

**The Diocese of Bathurst** - Bishop Mark Calder, clergy and people.

**The Parish of Boyanup** – St George's (Boyanup), St. John the Divine (Capel), and St. Aidan's (Ferguson).

**The Parish of Boyup Brook** – St Saviour's - Assisting Priests, Revd. Sue Kemp, Revd. David Bardsley and wife Hilary.

**Please pray for:**

\*Growth in faith.

\*A willingness to share our gifts of 'time, talents and treasures' to grow the Kingdom of God in our towns.

\*Direction for the Parish Council.

\*Wisdom in the use of parish funds and buildings.

\*Strengthening of ecumenical relationships.

\*Thanks and for God's continued blessing on the outreach to the Aged Care and Hospital.

\*Encouragement of younger people to leadership positions.

\*Vision for St Saviour's to bring hope for the future .

**Diocesan Ministry:** Cursillo - Temporarily in abeyance, Lay Director and Spiritual

Director.

**For the World:** -

\*Those who are homeless and estranged from families.

\*All Community Service Organisations seeking to give assistance and relief to those in need.

\*That God's people will sense the great need to spend more time in prayer.

**Prayers for:**

**Anglican Church of Kenya - Diocese of Kapsabet.**

**St John's Kebulonik Parish** - Parish Priest - Revd. Eliud Legetet and wife Sheila.

**St Luke's Koisolik Parish** - Parish Priest - Revd. Tobias Abira and wife Joaphine.

**Please pray for:**

\*Strength and encouragement for our Clergy and Lay Ministers as they work within the challenges and contexts of economic and social paradigms.

\* Those seeking baptism, weddings, and for those God is calling to join confirmation classes.

**Diocesan Ministry** - Pray that God may render powerless the devices of the wicked against the wellbeing of our nations at every point.

**Mothers Union Monthly Prayer**

**God of love, in silence and in speaking, we worship You. You are the very breath of our lives; You are the promise of renewal; You are the offer of forgiveness; You are the flame of inspiration; You are the wind of challenging change. Renews, forgive, inspire and challenge us, and fit us for Your service: in Jesus' name.**



**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES 2026**

Palm Sunday 29th March	8am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	Holy Communion
Tuesday 31st March	6am	Combined Churches Prayer Meeting
	12.30pm	Holy Communion
	6pm	Tenebrae Service
Maundy Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	6pm	Commemoration of The Last Supper, Foot Washing, Stripping of the Altar and The Watch.
Good Friday 3rd April	9am	Solemn Service
	12pm	"Stations of the Cross" service in the church gardens. Followed by Hot Cross Buns
Holy Saturday 4th April	6pm	The Great Easter Vigil
Easter Day 5th April	8am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	Holy Communion

Morning and Evening Prayers will be live streamed as usual at 8am and 5pm and Compline at 6pm on Sunday. During Holy Week the Gospel of the Day will be live streamed at 10am

## On Sunday 26th April 2026 we celebrate Padre White Sunday.

Padre White began the day with a Holy Eucharist at dawn, the time that the convoys left in 1914. Following that service he led parishioners to the summit of Mount Clarence, where they watched a wreath tossed by a boatman into the King George Sound float out to sea. Padre White believed that, "Anyone could lay a wreath on a monument, but here was something beautiful about .... dropping the wreath in the sea in memory of all those who made their last contact with Australia here." We continue that tradition and honour the legacy of Padre White.

6.00am Holy Communion Dawn Service.  
Followed by a walk (or drive) to Padre White's lookout for prayers and placing of wreath in the sound.

10.00am Combined Congregation Holy Communion.

Morning tea will be available before and after the 10am service.



Let's stand together to create healthy relationships and a community where everyone feels respected and safe



**Standing Together** is an Anglicare WA initiative offering free one-hour presentations on the signs and drivers of family & domestic violence and how as a community we can work together to prevent it.

### Parish & Community Presentations: **Wed 8 July**

We can all support the prevention of family and domestic violence whether or not we are likely to experience violence in our own lives.

Facilitated by Anglicare WA, the Standing Together presentation provides an opportunity to grow a shared awareness and understanding of family and domestic violence, what drives its prevalence and how as a community we can participate in its prevention.

**When:** Wednesday 8 July, 1.30pm

**Where:** Dorothy Wood Hall, St Johns Anglican Church York Street, Albany

**Who can attend:** Welcoming all local community members (Over 18 years)

## "Amber Downs Soul Care in 2026"

### Contemplative Retreat, Quiet Days and Spiritual Direction in a rural setting.

*(From July 2026, Pastoral Supervision will also be offered.)*



Amber Downs is a family home with a guest wing offering hospitality for contemplative retreat and quiet days. The guest wing has a double and a single bedroom, (both with an en suite), a private reading room and a kitchenette for preparing breakfast or tea and coffee breaks. The large retreat garden has a labyrinth, swimming pool and spaces for contemplation. The property adjoins a bush reserve.

*"Hospitality is a gift from God to share with others"*

#### What is a Contemplative Retreat?

A retreat is a sacred time for getting away from the busyness of life to grow your relationship with God. Contemplative retreat at Amber Downs is an invitation to stay for a few nights and listen to God in whatever way suits your journey. Contemplative retreats are self-directed; however resources are available for those who would like some direction or creative activity. Guests are encouraged to bring their own breakfast and enjoy an uninterrupted morning. A simple lunch and evening meal is provided, on a tray inside, a picnic outside or kitchen table hospitality. Donations are gratefully received but not obligatory.

#### What is a Quiet Day?

Scheduled contemplative quiet days during Eastertide and late Spring are an opportunity to join others in corporate solitude. Email packs or ZOOM is an option. There is no cost for quiet days at Amber Downs. You may prefer to organise a quiet day for a group in your own community. Vicki is happy to provide resources and can attend if asked to facilitate the group. A small fee helps to cover travel costs.

#### What is Spiritual Direction?

Spiritual direction or spiritual companionship is 'soul care' and takes place when one person accompanies another in their unique life journey, attentive to the presence and movement of the divine manifesting in everyday life. A spiritual director explores with the person seeking spiritual direction how the divine is working in their life. Vicki is a trained spiritual director and member of the Australian Network of Spiritual Directors (ANSD). Spiritual direction and companionship can be face to face but also electronically via ZOOM, phone and email. Regular spiritual direction sessions lasting an hour are offered as well as intentional spiritual companionship in times of transition or challenge. There is no cost involved.

#### What is Pastoral Supervision?

Supervision for pastoral workers such as Clergy, Chaplains, Spiritual Directors and Pastoral Carers is an important tool for employers to ensure they support pastoral workers to remain sensitive to vulnerable people in their care. Supervision provides a safe space to discuss role, context, values and workplace expectations. Formal supervision for employees, who provide pastoral care to others, is usually a requirement with sessions paid for by the employer. In July this year Vicki will be a qualified Professional Supervisor, adopting a contemplative approach to supervise pastoral workers.

Contact Vicki Webb on 0429 323 025 or [va.webb@bigpond.com](mailto:va.webb@bigpond.com)

## Contemplative Quiet Days at Amber Downs in 2026

*You are always welcome to arrange a personal quiet day or overnight retreat at Amber Downs for a time that suits you, however two contemplative quiet days are scheduled this year for those who like to be in solitude with others. The morning will be simple with a time of welcome before morning prayer and contemplation. Arrive by 9.30 am for a quick cuppa and catch up or by 10 am ready for the short morning prayer and contemplation. You then remain in silence for as long as you wish. There will be snacks available throughout the day, and I am happy to offer lunch to those wishing to share experiences or stay in silence for the afternoon. However, you may prefer to bring your own lunch and remain in solitude for the whole day.*

*This year Amber Downs quiet days will be contemplative, with an option to participate via ZOOM or an emailed package; either at home or as a group in your community.*

*My prayer is for a contemplative approach to refresh your relationship with God.*

## Save the Dates – Eastertide and Late Spring 2026

### Eastertide Quiet Day 'Knowing'

Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at Amber Downs - 9.30 for a 10 am start.

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### Spring Quiet Day 'Preparing'

Saturday November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at Amber Downs - 9.30 for a 10 am start.

*Further information and registration will be sent closer to the dates.*

*Every Blessing, Vicki*

*Contact Vicki Webb on 0429 323 025 or [va.webb@bigpond.com](mailto:va.webb@bigpond.com)*

### EASTER MONDAY Public Holiday Closures and Cancellations at St. John's.

**Office, Op Shop, ER, Marthas and Prepare for  
Worship Meeting.**

#### Upcoming Meetings and Events

**Communications Committee Meeting** - Tuesday, 7th April at 4pm via Zoom.

**Finance Committee Meeting** - Thurs., 9th April at 10am via Zoom.

**St. John's Ladies Fellowship** -Friday, 10th April, 9.30am prompt. Meet at museum for Eclipse Building Exhibition "Then and Now" for 10am, followed by coffee at The View.

**April Parish Council** Reports are due to Parish Administrator by 5pm Wed., 15th April.

**Art Exhibition** - Local Artist's will be using St John's Hall for an Art Exhibition from Saturday 4th April to Tuesday 7th April. Sunday Morning Teas will be held in the D/W Hall

**Bicentennial Fete Reminder** - October or November are months away but wont take long to get there. Now is the season to start making jams, pickles, etc for our Bicentennial fete, with most fruits ready for picking. Thank you all in advance. Mike T

**Mothers' Union.** On 20th March we held our local celebration of Lady Day. Revd. Karen led the Eucharist service for about 30 guests, including Bishop Ian and our new MU Diocesan President, Isobelle Shortreed. After the service Isobelle gave a talk about a little of her background. She also showed the new MU diocesan banner and gave an explanation of the various elements of the design. We then adjourned to the Dorothy Wood hall for a very enjoyable lunch and fellowship. During this time over \$80 in donations was received. This will be shared between Overseas and Northern Outreach and the Melanesia Adult Literacy Programme.

#### Shoe Box Update - March 2026

Dear parishioners,  
I can now tell you that all the Christmas Shoe boxes sent from Western Australia last November were sent to the **Philippines. A total of 25,343, and Worldwide an incredible total of 12,205,900 of which from Australia and New Zealand combined a total of 212,401.** With the excellent contribution of 25,000 plus from WA a big 'Thank you' of recognition has just come from Samaritans Purse. From this year, the warehouse arrangements have all been closed, and all boxes that we send to Perth will now be sent immediately straight to Sydney for processing.

The contents of the boxes will be just the same as usual, no change on the items we place in them, and they will stay as the donator has supplied.

We are being requested to ensure that all boxed items are good to go, (no second or already used items to be included) and to try to increase our total of boxes if possible.

At St Johns we are currently collecting items and postage funding, and the response is already looking good for an increase on last year's total of 111. I have placed a list of items still needed, both in the porch and on the notice board in the hall.

However, if anyone has a question regarding any of the items you can ring me on my Mob.No. 0409 447 960. John and I will be away for a couple of weeks but messages can be left on the phone, or at the Church Office, and postage contributions can also be left at the office.

Thank you for all the contributions received so far and I will keep you informed of the progress and dates for box completion.

Regards Ethel Halliday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2026  
St John's representative for Operation Christmas Child.

**Final Cruise Ship** to dock in Albany for this season is The Seven Seas Navigator (approx. passenger capacity of 557) from 11am-6pm on Friday, 10 April. We wish all a very happy visit to Albany and safe sailing.

**YouthCARE Opportunity** - On Tuesday lunchtimes, starting next term, Albany Primary School is seeking a team of volunteers to deliver Everyday Matters - YouthCARE's Christian Values Education program. This program combines Bible stories, games and activities to teach values from a faith perspective, and allows these volunteers to be God's love and presence in the school.

#### What happens every week?

The lunchtime sessions are 30 minutes long, and with the curriculum and activities provided by YouthCARE, preparation for each lesson is typically less than an hour a week.

#### What does it cost?

All training, curriculum and ongoing support is provided free to volunteers by YouthCARE. Information videos can be viewed at [www.youthcare.org.au/cve/everyday-matters/overview](http://www.youthcare.org.au/cve/everyday-matters/overview).

#### How do I become an Everyday Matters volunteer?

Becoming an Everyday Matters volunteer is a straightforward process involving:

- \* Applying online: <https://youthcare.org.au/cve-volunteer-applications>.
- \* Attending a one-day training session.
- \* With their assistance, obtaining the necessary clearances required for volunteering in a school (Working with Children's Check and the Dept of Education NCHC).

#### What curriculum would be used?

Everyday Matters curriculum - If you'd like to see the curriculum, there is a sample online for you to see: [www.youthcare.org.au/cve/everyday-matters/for-schools](http://www.youthcare.org.au/cve/everyday-matters/for-schools). If you have more questions, please don't hesitate to contact Pastoral Care Manager, Steve Fisher on 0428 959 766 or their Volunteer Coordinator - Wendy Jensen on 0418 478 214 or [volunteer@youthcare.org.au](mailto:volunteer@youthcare.org.au)

## PEACE OF MIND

Regardless of age, an enduring power of attorney (EPA), an enduring power of guardianship (EPG) and an advanced health directive (AHD) can be accessed at <https://www.wa.gov.au/service/justice/civil-law/enduring-power-of-attorney> and are recommended to be in place to provide peace of mind to our families. Do you have a will?  
**AND FUNERALS** - Information to assist you make your wishes known re funeral arrangements can be accessed via the Parish Office. The completed information is for your family and/or support persons to ensure your wishes are carried out.

**Prayer Chain** - A parish prayer chain has been re-established. If you have prayer requests **please contact Revd. Karen (0434 702 343)**, who will communicate with other members of the team. Prayer requests will not be discussed by prayer chain members and will be kept in confidence. If you wish for prayers to continue for more than one week, please contact Rev. Karen again. The importance and power of prayer is intrinsic in our faith. Prayer is an act of worship that glorifies God and reinforces our need for God. "Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6-7 (NRSV).

**CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER. - CHANGE OF DATE AND TIME** - A contemplative prayer service is held in the Lady Chapel every Wednesday at 10:45am. The format is flexible, but follows The Rhythm of Life: Celtic Daily Prayer by David Adam and includes a time of silent prayer, up to 20 minutes for regulars. The service is chosen as a result of discussion about matters on the hearts of those attending, and the contemplation based on a mantra taken from the psalm. The service usually takes less than an hour. The books are supplied,

and contemplative time can be modified for those new to this form of prayer. You are most welcome to come and try a new experience! Cherry O'Donnell.

**2026 Lectionaries** are still available from the Office for \$12.50.

**Emergency Relief** - Hi everyone Thanks for your previous donations which we very much appreciated. We urgently require the following items:

- \* Egg cartons
- \* 1 litre full cream long life milk.
- \* 1kg plain or self-raising flour.
- \* 1kg white rice.

Thank you and best wishes from the ER team.

**Ministry opportunities** - The Church cleaning team and Op Shop are looking for extra volunteers to join them. Please contact our Op Shop Manager, Wardens or Revd. Karen.

**Church Watch** is now up and running again on Fridays from 11am-2pm. If anyone is interested in assisting with this ministry please speak to

**Direct Giving via Electronic Banking** - Thanks again to those who are continuing to support the church in one form or another. Could I please ask that those that are electronically transferring money to the church follow the following instructions.

**Ordinary Direct giving - quote the word "Donation" in the reference section and deposit into Anglican Community Fund.**  
**BSB: 706-001**  
**Acc: 3000 3081**

**Mission giving should be deposited into the Parish Holding Account using the word "Mission" as a reference.**  
**Banking details are:**  
**BSB: 706-001**  
**Acc: 3000 8763**

## Mission of The Month for March is Albany Community Hospice

Albany Community Hospice is a private hospital run by the community for the community; it was the first free standing day hospice in Australia that was totally owned and funded by the people it was destined to serve. At the time (1990) the community gave freely of its time, talents and skill as well as money and expertise to build the Hospice, the land was donated. In 1995 it became a licensed private hospital, and in so doing opened the doors to funding from private health funds and the Department of Veterans Affairs. Further fundraising came from Royalties for Regions, and the result of all these changes is the beautiful new purpose built Hospice that we have today. It has 8 beds and provides a high quality environment for both staff and patients, and a peaceful, inclusive and non judgemental safe space at a time when it is needed most. Obviously, the running costs keep coming, and the hospice relies on donations to keep going. For more detail on the Hospice please go to the their website - [Albany Community Hospice | Experience Compassionate Care Today](#)

## Services at St John's.

We have implemented live streaming of services on Facebook - If you use Facebook please "like" the following pages Anglican Parish of Albany and Anglican Parish Albany Service Stream for live services or recordings. We will also put a link on the website [www.anglicanchurchalbany.org.au](http://www.anglicanchurchalbany.org.au) so you can watch the recordings.

### Normal Worship times:

**Sunday 8:00am**

**Sunday 9.30am**

**Sunday 7.00pm**

**Tuesday 12.30 pm**

**Monday - Friday**

**Sung Eucharist with Hymns**

**Live streamed sung Eucharist with Hymns**

**Live Streamed Compline**

**Eucharist**

**Morning and Evening Prayer live streamed at 8am and 5pm.**

**The next Order of St Luke Healing Service will be held on Thursday 9th of April at 9.30am in the Lady Chapel.**

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