



**AUSTRALIAN CHURCH WOMEN
NSW STATE UNIT**

**ANNUAL SERVICE
of
DEDICATION and COMMITMENT**

**Speaker: Miss Sue Nitrai
Organist: Mr Adrian Jackson**

**ST THOMAS' CHURCH
CORONATION PARADE
ENFIELD**

**MONDAY 21 MAY 2001
10.30 a.m.**

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome and Greetings - Jan Harrison

Hymn AHB 144: *Ye servants of God*

Call to Worship

Prayers of Adoration & Confession - Jean Porteous

Presentation of Badges & Introduction
of Executive

Dedication & Commitment

Song: *In Christ we are one* -

We, being many, are one in the Lord,
Each one is different,
but we're trusting in His Word;
For we are part of God's family
Through Jesus Christ, His Son;
Though we are many,
yet in Christ we are one;
We, being many, in Christ we are one.

Lucelle King

Bible Readings: Luke 19: 28-40 - Mary Melville

Philippians 3: 4-11 - Heather Reid

Interview - Edith Ridge with Speaker

Address - Miss Sue Nitrai

Organ Recital - Mr Adrian Jackson

Hymn (Offertory) AHB 491: *How firm a foundation*

Offertory Prayer - Marie Majoor

Prayers of Intercession, Thanksgiving &

Lord's Prayer - Joyce Liddell

Acknowledgments & Notices - Isabel Hewitt

Blessing

Hymn AHB 451: *Lord Jesus Christ*

Dedication and Commitment

Statement of Faith - We Believe -

(ALL) That there is one God - Father, Son and Holy Spirit, One God, Three in One. We believe that Scripture teaches that salvation is only through faith in the atoning death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God's only Son.

Mission Statement - We Affirm - Helen Hill

(LEADER) The aims of Australian Church Women, NSW Unit:
To unite Christian women in their allegiance to their Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ;
To promote co-operation and understanding between men and women in church, family and society;
To help Christian women to take a more effective place in the total life and mission of the church;
To provide opportunities for Christian women of differing denominations to worship, study and serve together;
To encourage fellowship and service across national boundaries.

(ALL) May the love of God be shed abroad in our hearts and may God's power working in us enable us to perform infinitely more than we ask or imagine.

(LEADER) Consecrate to your service, O Lord, all members of this State Unit as they offer to you their gifts of personality, character, talent and ability. May the lives so dedicated be used to fulfil your will and to bring blessings to your people.

(ALL) O Lord, support us all by your grace, that we may work together in harmony and co-operation to bring glory to your name. Grant us wisdom to know how we may serve you best, and give us strength to do your will. Pour out your holy spirit on each one of us, and grant us your peace. In Jesus' Name, Amen

We look forward to Fellowship with you over lunch in the church hall following the Service.

Our thanks to the Revd Trevor Goodman-Jones and the Parish Council for the use of the church and hall.

Coming events:

Spiritual Enrichment Day 16 July 2001
at 10.00 a.m. 5th Floor, 222 Pitt Street, Sydney
Sister Colleen O'Sullivan
Sister Marie Craddock

Fellowship Day Services arranged locally,
last week in July - support Winifred Kiek Scholarship

National Conference
Adelaide, 24-28 September 2001

World Community Day Services,
arranged locally, last week in October -
support ACW National Special Project, and
receive Fellowship of Least Coin offerings.

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