

**All Saint's Anglican Church of Australia  
Petersham**

**STANMORE ROAD, PETERSHAM**

**FETE**  
**for**  
**PRE-CHRISTMAS**  
**BARGAINS**

**THE BIGGEST AND BRIGHTEST IN SYDNEY**

**Parish Hall and Grounds**

**SATURDAY, 20th NOV., 1982**

**9.00 A.M. — 3.00 P.M.**

**COME & BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTS**

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**FREE TO THE LUCKY PERSONS**

**TWO POULTRY DINNERS**

**All you do is sign the book as you enter the Hall. Drawn 3.00 p.m.**

**. Winners notified**

**THE RECTOR'S LETTER**

The Rectory,  
Petersham,  
27th October, 1982

Dear Friends,

We are fast approaching the season of the year when we all seem to become frantically busy — The silly season of Spring and early Summer.

In November the parish will be holding its Annual Fete. To many friends the event of the year. I trust you will come to All Saint's on Saturday, 20th November and encourage the folk who have worked hard through the year.

At the end of November — Sunday, 28th at 9.30 a.m. — a Confirmation will be held. Some four children and two adults will be confirmed.

Bishop John Reid, the Senior Assistant Bishop of our diocese, has kindly agreed to take the service. Do pray for the folk to be confirmed. It is an important step in the life of all church members.

Over the past month or so we have been greatly encouraged by the increased financial support given especially in the Sunday church offertories. This has been very helpful in a time of increasing costs and greater demands for help from those in troubles.

Money has never been to me the most important thing in the life of the congregation. True money is necessary, but what is absolutely essential is the regular Sunday by Sunday attendance of parishioners. All the money in the world does not create a church, nor keep a church going. Again people are more important than things.

All Saint's Petersham needs, it must have, parishioners who Sunday by Sunday come and take part in the worship of God. There is no substitute to regular attendance.

We need you, but also you need us, and how we both need the Lord.

Yours sincerely,

**BRUCE WOOLCOTT**

### **WOMEN-IN-FRIENDSHIP**

The Cake and Sweets Stall at the Annual Fete on Saturday, 20th November, is foremost in our minds at present. Donations of cakes or sweets will be very much appreciated.

Picklets will again be made at the stall, so come and buy some hot picklets for lunch.

Our Christmas breakup this year will be on Monday, 6th December, not the usual Tuesday, and will follow a Safford Demonstration which commences at 11 a.m. We have to have at least 35 people for the demonstration, so please come and help us with the numbers. I'm sure it will be interesting and our party will follow for lunch.

A Second-hand Clothing and Jumble Stall will be held on the last Friday in November, 26th, commencing at 9.00 a.m.

As usual our Club will go into recess in January. So the first meeting next year will be held on Tuesday, 1st February.

IDA BARRETT, Hon. Secretary



### **SENIOR PARISHIONERS CLUB**

Our meetings are still every Thursday at 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Now that the weather is more pleasant we look forward to the return of some of our members who have found the winter days to be unpleasant to be out in. Sixty cents still covers the afternoon games and afternoon tea.

IDA BARRETT, Hon. Secretary



### **SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS**

The Kindergarten Christmas Party date has been changed to Saturday, 27th November, at 2 p.m. in lieu of the 4th December.

The Sunday School fun night was held on Friday, 15th October. The games night was well attended by both children and their parents. All had an enjoyable time. I would like to thank the parents for bringing along the supper.

We are still seeking donations of groceries for the Sunday School stall at the coming fete on Saturday, 20th November. If you can help please leave a message at the Rectory and collection will be arranged.

During my absence from the Sunday School for the few weeks, Mrs. Joan Livingston will be helping Miss Felicity Flower conduct the classes.

At the monthly teachers meeting in October, it was decided that the Sunday School would close for the Christmas school

holidays on Sunday, 12th December at the 9.30 a.m. Family Service. The Sunday School will recommence in 1983 on Sunday, 6th February at 9.30 a.m.

The 1982 prize-giving will be held on Sunday 20th March, 1983.

During 1983 we will be continuing the practice of closing the Sunday School during the school holidays.

NOEL CRAGG, Superintendent

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### FLOWERS DONATIONS FOR NOVEMBER

- November 7th: Miss Marjorie Glanville in memory of her parents, William and Mary Glanville.  
By Mrs. Rhodes in memory of her husband Cecil, her mother, sister Phyllis and brothers Barney and Jackie.  
Arrangement by Mrs. Alice Steed.
- November 14th: From Mrs. Hall in memory of her family.
- November 21st: The Misses Nisbet in memory of their parents, and Bill Williams and family in memory of Aileen Williams.  
Arrangement by Mrs. Alice Steed.
- November 28th: Arrangement by Mrs. Smith in memory of her son Raymond.

Mrs. Hearn requests that donations towards the Church Flowers be identified with the Name and Address of the Donor, so that the receipt can be delivered.

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### A MISSIONARY AT WORK . . .

What is a missionary's day like . . . ? Well this is a sample of mine.

- 5.45 a.m. Rise and time of Bible Reading and Prayer.  
Cook breakfast — local porridge of corn, wheat, and soya bean, rice with yoghurt.
- 7.45 Walk along stony track to hospital sometimes a glimpse of the Himalayas.
- 8.00 Paediatric ward rounds — delightful patients, dire diseases, difficult decisions.
- 10.30 Write discharge notes — cup of coffee.
- 11.00 Language class 'baalyaabaatha' or bhahishyabaari'?
- 12 noon Under 5s' clinic—more delights, disasters, diseases and decisions.
- 1.15 p.m. Lunch — Daal bhaat (rice, lentils, vegetables).

- 2.00 Language class.  
 3.00 Under 5s' Clinic — again.  
 6.00 Walk home.  
 Collect buffalo milk from friend.  
 Light lantern and kerosene stove if electricity is off.  
 Cook and eat what ever food is available.  
 Boil water for drinking, etc.  
 Language Study.  
 Prayer.  
 Hear news on BBC or Radio Australia (if not too tired).  
 Bed.

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### AND PLAY

My annual leave took me on a trip from Pokhara to the base of the Annapurna mountains. It was probably about 100 miles and up and down and up and down — eventually climbing from 3000 feet (at Pokhara) to 13,000 feet at the base camp. This camp is an amazing meadow surrounded by massive mountains from 23,000 to 26,500 feet high. There were seven in our party including our 2 Nepali porters. The latter were 2 lovely fellows who carried our gear in big baskets on their backs supported only by a rope strap around the forehead. They took great care of us. They had no warm clothes of their own, and in the cold nights at high altitude it was really amusing to see them putting on whatever warm clothing we were able to spare and secretly staring at themselves so strangely clad after we lay down to sleep. We were amazed at how one man could cook a variety of foods over a small smoky fire and so offer a menu — tasty Tibetan bread, rice, noodles, eggs, tea — to a dozen or so trampers staying in his hut overnight. For me, the trek was inspiring, exhilarating, exciting, exhausting and excruciating (on the knees, going down steep slopes) What majestic scenery — Psalm 8 means so much more to me and so does the second verse of the hymn 'How great thou art'.

LORRAINE BEARD, Nepal

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**CONFIRMATION SERVICE**

The Confirmation Service will be on Sunday, 28th November at 9.30 a.m. by Bishop J. Reid.

It is important that parishioners attend this Service to support and encourage the Confirmees. If you truly believe in the Sacrament of Bread and Wine you must surely demonstrate the importance of this occasion by your attendance.

**NOW THIS YEAR**

An invitation has been sent to the parish from Holy Trinity Dulwich Hill, to attend a musical afternoon with the N.S.W. Police Choir. It is to be held on Sunday, 14th November commencing at 2 p.m. All proceeds going to the Children's Medical Research Foundation.

LET US HELP ONE ANOTHER.

**THE FETE**

If you have anything to contribute to the Fete please do not leave it until the last minute. Fete week is a very busy time, labour is scarce and arrangements have to be made. Please ring 569-1852, Frank Hearn.

**SMALL TALK**

**News that challenges our Surname!**

Annette, Richard, Joel

Last letter we commented about Annettes pregnancy and how she has been experiencing a lot of pre-birth movement. Well that movement has turned out to be twins! They are not yet born, however we are expecting them anytime in the next three weeks.

We are delighted about this news and thank God for the honour He has given us in being stewards of two more of His little ones.

Our Surname is no longer valid by default!

**Student Life Spring Special:**

Thanks for praying for this student conference I organised.

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433-35 NEW CANTERBURY ROAD, DULWICH HILL—560-9999

890 CANTERBURY ROAD, LAKEMBA—759-4044

You are invited to enquire about our funeral fund.

People of all ages are accepted without medical examination.

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It went extremely well and the following two comments were made by two of the delegates:—

"I have been deeply challenged to take God at His word with His supply and unfailing love. I pray that I might have a burden for people and take Gods command to share the Gospel seriously. Also to be committed to Christ's mission and His means — the church."

— BRUCE ARMSTRONG

"The training has given me a much greater desire and burden to share my faith with others and helped me grow spiritually to a great degree."

— KEN FRASER

### Reporting from Monash:

At the end of second term we showed the film "Jesus", a two hour feature film on the life of Christ. 250 attended and 9 students indicated commitments to the Lord.

Bruce Armstrong has just become our new student leader. He is very keen to make Jesus Christ more and more of an issue with students.

It is encouraging to see over 60 students involved with our small discipleship groups and many of the first year students are keen to assume leadership.

Our social last Friday night (dinner plus entertainment) was a great success.

Sue Strutton has seen five girls make decisions to receive Christ as their Lord and Saviour over the past three weeks . . . Praise Him!

### To discuss with God:

Thanks to Him for the Spring Special and the "Jesus film. Safety and smoothness of the birth of the twins.

Joels and our adjustment to the new additions .

Bruces leadership of Student Life at Monash.

Fruitfulness of our witness and work with Monash students.

Thank you for your prayer, we need and appreciate it.

God Bless You,

Annette, Richard, Joel & ? ?

"I thank my God for you whenever I think of you. My constant prayers for you are a real joy, because we have worked together for the gospel from the first day until the present."

Philippians 1:3.5

"God can give you more than you ever need, so that you may always have sufficient for yourselves and enough left over to give to every good cause . . . your giving does not end in meeting the wants of your fellow Christians. It also results in an overflowing tide of thanksgiving to God." 11 Corinthians 9:8, 12

## THE CHRONICLE

## STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS &amp; PAYMENTS FOR SEPTEMBER 1982

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
	\$		\$
Offertories .....	869.83	Rector's Net Stipend	1,072.00
<b>RECYCLING:</b>		Rector's Trav. Allow	260.56
Cans .....	71.75	Organist .....	60.00
Bottles .....	94.36	Organist's Travel	
Papers .....	333.09	Allowance .....	9.00
	499.20	Church Cleaning .....	100.00
Church Flowers .....	128.50	Chronicles .....	65.00
Rector's Telephone		Church Flowers .....	42.50
Contribution 8/82	9.42	Organ Tuning/	
Donation Women-in-		Repairs .....	75.00
Friendship .....	25.00	Refilling & Recharg-	
District Visitors	104.19	ing Fire Extinguish-	
		er in Hall .....	43.58
	1,636.65	Hall—Licence Fee .....	15.00
Deficit for Month ....	106.19		
	<b>\$1,742.84</b>		<b>\$1,742.84</b>

Balance 1/9/82 .....	486.24
Less Deficit for Month .....	106.19

Balance, 30/9/82 .....	<b>\$380.05</b>
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## ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT — SEPTEMBER 1982

James & James — October Chronicles .....	65.20
Fresh Flowers Pty. Ltd. — August Flowers .....	42.50
J. W. Walker & Sons (Aust.) Pty. Ltd. Organ Tuning	
& Repairs .....	75.00
Wormald Bros. — Refilling & Recharging Fire Exting	
uisher in Hall .....	43.58
Local Government Office—Hall Licence Fee to 20/12/82	15.00

## BALANCES OF ALL ACCOUNTS

ACCOUNT	LAST MONTH	THIS MONTH
General Account .....	486.24	380.05
Capital Reserve .....	924.92	1,124.92
Endowment No. 1 A/c. ....	3,948.83	3,948.83
Endowment No. 2 A/c .....	20,107.79	20,351.01
Bus Fund .....	3,340.41	3,340.41
General Missions .....	408.56	309.46
Columbarium Trust A/c .....	1,865.58	1,915.58
Restoration Fund .....	1,423.00	1,443.00
Special Purpose A/c .....	6.33	6.33
Organ Fund .....	581.35	641.35
Sunday School A/c .....	912.20	915.40
Kindergarten A/c .....	814.54	819.36
	<b>\$34,819.75</b>	<b>\$35,195.70</b>

Confirmed — Chairman 18/10/82

James &amp; James, 163 Liverpool Road, Ashfield, 2181



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