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## Diocesan E-Bulletin

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### EVENTS

#### Synod Dates 2017 - 6 - 8 October

##### *Synod Eucharist at St George's Cathedral*

Date: Friday 6 October 2017

Time: 7.00pm

##### *Third Session of the Forty-Ninth Synod*

Venue: Peter Moyes Anglican Community  
School (Elliston Parade, Mindarie)

Date: Saturday 7 October 2017

Time: 8.30am

Date: Sunday 8 October 2017

Time: 1.00pm

#### Tree of Life Saturdays at Wollaston 2017

##### *Exploring the spiritual life art and spirituality - A hands on experience*

Date: Saturday 7 October 2017

Time: 9.30am – 3.30pm

Venue: Wollaston Chapel, 5 Wollaston Road  
Mount Claremont

Cost: \$40/\$35 Concession

(Bring your own lunch)

This art and spirituality workshop is an invitation to experience making art as prayer, to deepen our awareness of our lives in God, and God in us.

All art materials are provided or bring your own. Please wear appropriate clothing. To register, contact The Venerable Michael Pennington:

E: [mpenn@q-net.net.au](mailto:mpenn@q-net.net.au)

T: 9332 7221

W: <http://www.perth.anglican.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/Art-and-Spirituality-flyer-FILLABLE-FORM.pdf>

#### Bush Church Aid Western Australia Spring Lunch

Date: Saturday 21 October 2017

Time: from 12 noon

Venue: St Alban's Anglican Church, Highgate

Cost: \$20/\$15 Concession

Guest speaker: The Reverend Steve Davis,  
Regional Officer SA/NT

RSVP by 16 October 2017

T: 1300 554 025 (Local Call) or M: 0428 288  
473 or E: [wa@bushchurchaid.com.au](mailto:wa@bushchurchaid.com.au)

#### Spring Fair in the Valley

Date: Saturday 14 October 2017

Time: 9.00am – 3.00pm

Venue: All Saints Church  
30 Henry Street, Henley Brook

Homemade goodies, Devonshire teas,  
second hand treasures, barista coffee and  
kids activities. Proceeds go to upkeep of  
our heritage buildings.

W: [www.perth.anglican.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/spring-fair.jpg](http://www.perth.anglican.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/spring-fair.jpg)

#### Dr Patrick Sookhdeo, founder of Barnabas Fund visits Perth

Date: Thursday 19 October 2017

Time: 9.00am – 4.00pm

Venue: Mercure Perth, 10 Irwin Street

Cost: \$40 for day conference  
(includes lunch)

*event continued overleaf....*



### *Dr Patrick Sookhdeo, founder of Barnabas Fund visits Perth (continued)*

Barnabas Fund Australia invites you to join us with our visionary founder Dr Patrick Sookhdeo, his wife Rosemary, and International Director of Projects, Caroline Kerslake. Patrick will discuss his new book *Flickering Flame: cultural transformation and the death of Christianity in the West* and will give an update on the persecuted Church around the world and the growing challenges which our brothers and sisters in Christ are facing. Caroline will report on the work Barnabas Fund is doing in over eighty countries.

Please click for other details and how to register:

W: <http://www.perth.anglican.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/Barnabus-Fund-I-am-not-ashamed-WA-flyer.pdf>

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### The Archbishop of Perth's Certificate in Theology Term 4

#### *Church history*

Date: Wednesday 11 October  
Time: 6pm – 8.00pm  
Venue: Wollaston Theological College

With The Reverend Dr Ric Barrett-Lennard.  
Runs for eight weeks.

#### *Anglican studies*

Date: Thursday 12 October  
Time: 6pm – 8.00pm  
Venue: Wollaston Theological College

With The Reverend Dr Gregory Seach. Runs for 5 weeks. Attend in person or study online.

Interested: If you have any questions or want to enrol, please contact Dr Anne Harris:

T: [aharris@perth.anglican.org](mailto:aharris@perth.anglican.org)

### Anti-Poverty Week Ecumenical Service 2017

Date: Tuesday 17 October 2017  
Time: 1.00pm  
Venue: Wesley Uniting Church  
(corner Hay and William Streets)

The Anglican Social Responsibilities Commission invites you to attend the annual Anti-Poverty Week Ecumenical Church service.

FREE Simple soup lunch served from 12noon.

To RSVP, or for more information telephone 9260 9800 or email

[marg.staffa@wa.uca.org.au](mailto:marg.staffa@wa.uca.org.au)

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### Big Bonanza Bazaar Sale

Date: Saturday 21 October 2017  
Time: 8.00am – 2.00pm  
Venue: Church of the Resurrection  
105 Shenton Road, Swanbourne

There will be a wide variety and assortment of quality goods on sale, so come along and join in the fun, enjoy a sausage and onions in a bun straight from the BBQ, buy plants from the Plant Stall, take home some luscious home-baked goodies from the Produce Stall as well as enjoy a relaxing cup of tea or coffee with cake. Members of the Anglican Parish of Swanbourne-Mt Claremont look forward to welcoming all to our Biggest Bonanza Bazaar Sale!

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### St Margaret's Nedlands Retro Fair

Date: Saturday, 21st October 2017  
Time: 10am -2pm  
Venue: St Margaret's Church 58 Tyrell St Nedlands  
Cost: Free! All welcome

St Margaret's folks are downsizing..come and find some retro bargains in our old-fashioned garage sale. Books, music, clothes, furniture, pictures, plants and morning tea.

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### *St Margaret's Nedlands Retro Fair (continued)*

Children's toys, books and clothes as well. Free parking. Come and meet us in leafy Tyrell Streer, next to our heritage listed art deco church

### *Pastoral Matters: LPM Training Course 2017*

Date: Saturday, 28 October 2017 or  
Saturday, 4 November 2017  
(Select ONE date)  
Time: 9.00am – 3.30pm  
(Registration open from 8.30am)  
Cost: \$40 per person (includes lunch and morning tea)  
Venue: Wollaston Conference Centre  
5 Wollaston Road, Mount Claremont

*Pastoral Matters* is the theme for the second LPM Training day for 2017. The course includes worship with one of our bishops, teaching time with The Reverend Dr Gregory Seach, Warden of Wollaston Theological College, and your choice of two workshops.

More details to come, please save the date.

### *Anglican Parish of Lakelands - St James Market Day*

Date: Saturday 4 November 2017  
Time: 8.30am – 1pm  
Venue: St James Church, 13 Elderberry Drive  
South Lake

Homemade goodies, crafts, raffle, clothes, games, plants, books and more.

Please call for further details

T: 0429 180 061

### *St Bartholomew's House Market Day*

Date: Saturday 7 October 2017  
Time: 10.00am -3.00pm  
Venue: 111 Kensington Street, East Perth

You are invited to a Market Day selling: Books, Pot Plants, Art and Craft, Lucky Dip for Children Free Face Painting, Entertainment, Sausage Sizzle, Curry and Rice, Portrait Painting, Cakes, Relish, Chutney, White Elephant, and lots more.

All proceeds support St Bartholomew's House Kensington Street Transitional Accommodation Service for women experiencing homelessness.

Contact Ross Jones, Chaplain  
T: 9323 5100 E: W [www.stbarts.org.au](http://www.stbarts.org.au)

### *Religion & the Arts with Professor Ted Snell*

Date: Thursday 9 November 2017  
Time: 7pm  
Venue: Christ Church Claremont  
Cost: Donation

As a part of the Christ Church 125 Years celebrations this is the first lecture in a series which discusses the role of religion in the arts.

T: 08 93849244  
W: <http://www.claremont.perth.anglican.org>

### *All in a day's work: Martin Luther and the Reformation Road program*

31 October 2017 marks the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the beginning of the journey of Reformation by Martin Luther. This program will cover the history, spirituality, and theology of Martin Luther and the Catholic Church, including the most recent developments in the call for unity.

#### *Day option*

When: Thursdays 9th November -  
30th November, 10.00am - 12.30pm  
Cost: \$30 (4 sessions)  
Presenter: Dr Margaret Scharf OP  
Venue: Newman Siena Centre  
(Clune Lecture Theatre)

*event continued overleaf....*



## *All in a day's work (continued)*

### *Evening Option*

When: Wednesdays 15 November-  
29 November, 7.00pm-9.30pm  
Cost: \$15.00 (3 sessions)  
Presenter: Dr Margaret Scharf OP  
Venue: Studio Curios, Catholic Education  
Centre, 50 Ruislip Street, Leederville

For further information and to register,  
contact:

W: [www.cfe.org.au](http://www.cfe.org.au)  
T: 9241 5221/0425 543 335  
E: [cfe@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:cfe@perthcatholic.org.au).

### *Parish Office Bearers' Training II – Save the date*

Date: Saturday 11 November 2017  
Time: 8.30 am – 12.00 pm  
(Registration open from 8.00 am)  
Venue: Swan Valley Adventure Centre  
58 Yule Avenue, Middle Swan

Parish Wardens and Treasurers are warmly  
invited and encouraged to attend a second  
Parish Office Bearers' Training day. Topics will  
be provided soon.

Given the date is Armistice Day, appropriate  
acts of remembrance will be observed.

For further information please contact Barbara  
McDonald at Wollaston Theological College:  
E: [bmcdonald@perth.anglican.org](mailto:bmcdonald@perth.anglican.org)  
T: 08 9425 7272.

*Theology for Non-theologians scheduled to  
take place on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2017 has been  
cancelled. Please check the events page on the  
Diocesan website for future events.*

### *Landcare and Spirituality \*\* NEW DATE \*\**

Date: Saturday 25 November 2017  
Time: 2.00pm – 5.00pm  
Venue: Christ the King Church, Killara Drive,  
Willetton

The Aboriginal Ministry Policy Working Group  
are excited to invite you to 'Land Care and  
Spirituality – A Whadjuk Bibbulman

Perspective', an informal afternoon yarning  
session to discuss Whadjuk Bibbulman  
connection to land care and how it relates to  
us today. Register online at:

W: <https://www.perth.anglican.org/events/land-care-and-spirituality-a-whadjuk-bibbulman-perspective/>

T: 9425 7270 (Lee-Anne)  
For more information:  
T: [ctan@westnet.com.au](mailto:ctan@westnet.com.au) (Carolyn Tan)

### *Volunteer Pastoral Care Training Program 2018 with Amana Living*

Six-day course – Fridays, between March and  
April 2018. *Save the date*

Can you see yourself providing two to three  
hours a week as a Volunteer Pastoral Carer?

Volunteer Pastoral Carers are women and men  
who provide companionship, emotional and  
spiritual support to residents and clients living  
with the challenges of ageing. The training we  
offer build on compassion, empathy, life  
experience and an active faith.

Applications are now being accepted. Please  
contact:

E: [jdevries@amanaliving.com.au](mailto:jdevries@amanaliving.com.au)  
T: 08 9424 6888

### *Tree of Life Programme in Christian Spirituality, Spiritual Formation, Spiritual Direction*

Dates: 23-25 February, 25-27 May,  
24-26 August, 16-18 November 2018

The Programme consists of four residential  
weekends per year for four years. Each  
weekend consists of lecture/presentations,  
reflection, discussions, case-studies, sharing  
groups, practicum as well as prayer and regular  
worship in the Anglican Tradition.

Enquiries may be directed to the Program  
Director, Archdeacon Michael Pennington:

T: 9332 7221 or 0409 372 029  
E: [mpenn@q-net.net.au](mailto:mpenn@q-net.net.au)



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## Free books

The Parish of Northam has about 100 X Mission Praise hymn books and about 200 X 1978 Australian Prayer Books which are available free to a good home.

Anyone interested can contact the Parish Office by email at:

[angnortham@westnet.com.au](mailto:angnortham@westnet.com.au)

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## Discernment to the Ordained Ministry

In every generation the church looks for those for whom Christ's insistent call 'disturbs their settled lives'. The Archbishop's Examining Chaplains pray that God will move the hearts and minds of many to give consideration to discerning an ordained ministry. If there are members of your worshipping community or school or agency who might be thinking of a path to ordained ministry, please invite them to make contact with the Archbishop's Examining Chaplains' Committee through its Chair, the Reverend Canon Dr Philip Raymont.

The next Enquirers' Programme begins in October 2017.

Reverend Canon Dr Philip Raymont

E: [vocations@perth.anglican.org](mailto:vocations@perth.anglican.org)

Barbara McDonald

E: [bmcdonald@perth.anglican.org](mailto:bmcdonald@perth.anglican.org)

T: 9425 7272

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## Lectionaries are now available

Lectionaries are now in stock at St Johns Books Fremantle – and they are a nice bright purple colour! \$11.50 is parish/discount price.

Lectionaries can be:

- Ordered now and collected at Synod
- Collected from our shop in Fremantle Highgate Court, 26 Queen St across the road from St Johns Church
- Posted direct to you
- We will have extra stock at Synod but it's great to know the quantity beforehand.

E: [books@stjohnsbooks.com.au](mailto:books@stjohnsbooks.com.au)

T: 9335 1982 (shop hours 10.00am-1.00pm)

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## CHURCHSAFE

If anyone on the list below who has not attended Churchsafe in 2015, 2016 or 2017, they **must** do so before the end of this year in keeping with Licensing requirements, Diocesan Policy requirements and our commitment to safe ministry in the Diocese.

### Churchsafe (who **MUST** attend)

1. Clergy (conditional to Licensing)
2. Perth Diocesan Trustees (session to be arranged at Church House later in 2017)
3. Members of Diocesan Council
4. Churchwardens
5. Parish Councillors
6. Synod Representatives
7. Lay Pastoral Ministers
8. Prayer Group Leaders
9. Bible Study Group Leaders
10. Musical Director / Music Leaders, Children's Choir Leaders and Assistants
11. Youth / Children's Ministry Leader or worker
12. Sunday School teachers, Children's Activity Leaders and Crèche Workers
13. Camp Leaders and Co-ordinators
14. Ministry Team Leaders
15. Welcomers
16. Workers in Op Shops and Parish Cafes
17. Monitor and Support people for known sex offenders

Date: Friday 06 October 2017

Venue: Burt Hall, 38 St Georges Terrace Perth

Time: Commencement at 1.00pm(sharp) – 5.15pm

Afternoon tea provided

Date: Saturday 28 October 2017

Venue: Anglican Parish of Lakelands

Time: Commencement at 1.00pm (sharp)

Date: Sunday 5 November 2017

Venue: Anglican Parish of Claremont



## Churchsafe (continued)

Time: Commencement at 1.00pm (sharp) – 5.15pm

Afternoon tea provided

Date: Saturday 18 November 2017

Venue: Anglican Parish of Yanchep  
St James' Chapel, 2 Graceful Boulevard  
Alkimos

Time: Commencement at 1.00pm (sharp) – 5.15pm

Afternoon tea provided

Date: Saturday 9 December 2017

Venue: Anglican Parish of Kelmscott  
6 River Road Kelmscott

Time: Commencement at 1.00pm (sharp) – 5.15pm

Afternoon tea provided

## Increase in the cost of Volunteer Police Clearances.

WA Police have advised that from 1 July 2017 there was an increase to the fee for a Volunteer National Police Certificate (VPC).

For all VPC applications processed by the Diocese, Parishes will now be invoiced \$15.10 per clearance.

The sessions will include:

- Professional Standards - Policies and Procedures;
- The Royal Commission and 'why Churches?'
- The Dynamics of Child Sexual Abuse;
- Typology of offenders;
- The Grooming Process;
- Empowering Children.

Bookings can be made on-line at:

W: <https://www.perth.anglican.org/events/>

## ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

### A Day in the Spiritual Life of the Cathedral

Date: Wednesday 11 October 2017

Time: 9.30am – 2.00pm tea/coffee/muffins

Cost: \$12 (lunch included)

'(Christ)The Light in Loving Community (The Holy Trinity)' with Bishop David Murray, poetry on the theme with Professor Christopher Wortham. Followed by The Word of Life, Contemplative Prayer and Celtic Prayers in The Friends Room.

Enrolments close Monday 9 October.

Enrolments to Bishop David Murray:

T: 9325 5766

E: [spirituality@perthcathedral.org](mailto:spirituality@perthcathedral.org)

### Prayers for Healing and Wholeness

Date: Tuesday 03 October 2017

Time: 1.15pm

A special celebration of Holy Communion which includes *anointing & laying on of hands* with *prayer* is held in the Cathedral on the first Tuesday of every month at 1.15pm. Those seeking this ministry for themselves or for others are encouraged to attend.

Further details from Associate Priest Fr Stuart Good.

### Synod Eucharist

Date: Friday 6 October 2017

Time: 7.00pm

A Eucharist prior to the commencement of the 3<sup>rd</sup> session of the 49<sup>th</sup> Synod of the Diocese of Perth



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## CLERGY NEWS

### Locum Tenens

The Reverend Dr John Shepherd AM    Beaconsfield

03.09.17 - 10.12.17

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### Retirement

The Reverend Deborah Joyce

30.06.18

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### Resignation

The Reverend Lisa Spargo

Chaplain, St Hilda's Anglican School for Girls

15.12.17

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