



St Peter's Caversham
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The Pebble

Sunday, January 26, 2025.

Epiphany 3

He has anointed me
to bring **good** news...

Luke 4:14-21

Collect.

God of all mercy,
your Son brought good news to the
despairing, freedom for the oppressed and
joy to the sad;
fill us with your spirit
that all the people of our day may see in us
his likeness and glorify your name.
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

WELCOME

to all who are sharing in worship with us today
and all those who read the Pebble on-line.

The Liturgy for Today.

8.00 am Holy Eucharist (1662)

10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist

HYMNS FOR TODAY

391 King of Glory

We sing a 3-fold Alleluia at the Gospel

271 Alleluya, sing to Jesus

Communion: *O love that will not let me go*

235 Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go

READINGS FOR TODAY

[Nehemiah 8: 1-4, 5-6, 8-10](#)

[Psalm 19](#) *Response:* Your words, Lord, are spirit and
life

[1 Corinthians 12: 12-30](#)

[Luke 1: 1-4, 4: 14-21](#)

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY (Presentation of The Lord)

[Malachi 3: 1-4](#)

[Psalm 24](#) *Response:* The Lord of Hosts: he is the King
of Glory!

[Hebrews 2: 10-11, 13-18](#)

[Luke 2: 22-40](#)

After the Intercessions:

O Lord, hear my prayer, (x2)

When I call answer me.

O Lord, hear my prayer, (x2)

Come and listen to me.

Parish News



Healing Ministry During communion at the 10.30 am Solemn Sung Eucharist Fr Kit will be available in the Lady Chapel to pray with you on any issue which is concerning you.

Morning Tea Everyone is invited to morning tea and coffee in the Parish Lounge after the 10.30 service.

Morning Prayer will resume on the first Wednesday of February at 9 am in the Lady Chapel.

The Holy Eucharist is celebrated in the Lady Chapel on Thursday's at 10 am throughout January.

Evensong and Benediction commences for 2025 next Sunday at 5pm. Everyone is welcome.

Pray for the Sick and Infirm in the Parish and Beyond Claire Christie, Paul Hill, Kristian, Shaun, Faye-Noel Brown, and Jill Hodges.

Pray for those whose memorials occur at this time Vera Paris, Norman Rodgers, Martin Stephenson, and Norman Malcolmson.



Thank you to those who remember the St Vincent de Paul Food Bank, when you are shopping. The extra grocery items in the basket at the back of church. The need is very real.

From the Vicar

The verse from Isaiah holds great significance to me. Before I began my journey toward ordination and chaplaincy, a friend gave this verse to me. I was a teacher in a small country town and she was a floral arts teacher in a city. Neither of us knew what the future would hold. My friend is now bringing reconciliation and healing to our Australian indigenous brothers and sisters, through the Sturt Desert Pea project.

Christ read that verse as our Messiah, however through our baptism and faith in Christ, we are also charged with bringing the good news that will provide freedom, healing and hope.

Has your life changed as a result of believing in God's grace through Christ? Have you shared it with any one lately through your loving actions and words?

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