

CHURCH
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St. Philip's
ANGLICAN

St Philip's Church Hill

10:30am

Sunday 9th May 2021

APRIL AND MAY 2021

1 THESSALONIANS: WITH DEEP CONVICTION

11th April	Turned! - A Deeper Story	(1:1-10)
18th April	A Deeper Integrity	(2:1-12)
25th April	A Deeper Endurance	(2:13-16)
2nd May	A Deeper Affection	(2:17-3:13)
9th May	A Deeper Love	(4:9-12)
16th May	A Deeper Self Control	(4:1-8)
23rd May	A Deeper Hope	(4:13-18)
30th May	A Deeper Woke-ness	(5:1-28)

IF YOU ARE VISITING TODAY

Welcome to our church. We are glad you are here.

If you are a new or visiting, we especially want to welcome you. If you would like one of the staff to get in contact with you, please fill in the connect card on our website.

www.churchhillanglican.com//contact-us/

If you have a smart phone, you can also scan this QR Code to take you straight there.

For all information on events and opportunities in the life of our church and city, please subscribe to the weekly news email at: bit.ly/churchhillnews



FOR NEWCOMERS

Words printed in bold are said together.

Our Vision.

'...For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the Glory of God, as the waters cover the sea.'

~ *Habakkuk 2:14*

Our Mission.

'To fill the city with Christ's teaching.'

~ *Acts 5:28*



We Walk

Deeper Discipleship

Lives filled with the Spirit of Christ



We Reach

City Gospel Engagement (and beyond)

A City filled with the Gospel of Christ



We Love

Compelling Community

A Church filled with the Love of Christ



We Make Room

Presence and Property

The Earth filled the Glory of Christ

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

As we gather together in the presence of God, Church Hill acknowledges the traditional owners of the land upon which we meet. In his wisdom and love, our heavenly Father gave this estate to the Gadigal people of the Eora Nation. Upon this land they met for generations until the coming of British settlers. As we continue to learn to live together on these ancestral lands, we acknowledge and pay our respects to their elders, past and present, and pray that God will unite us all in a knowledge of his Son, in whom all things were created, in heaven and on earth, whether visible or invisible—for all things have been created through him and for him.

~ *Acknowledgment of Country sourced from the Presidential Address of the Archbishop of Sydney at each Synod since 2014*

Albeit that Good Works, which are the fruits of Faith, and follow after Justification, cannot put away our sins, and endure the severity of God's Judgment; yet they are pleasing and acceptable to God in Christ, and do spring out necessarily of a true and lively Faith; insomuch that by them a lively Faith may be as evidently know as a tree discerned by its fruit.

~ **Article XII Of Good Works**

Call To Worship

Philippians 3:20-4:1, 4-5

²⁰ Our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Saviour from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body.

4:1 Therefore, my brothers and sisters, you whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, dear friends!

...

⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: rejoice! ⁵ Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near.

Holy Holy Holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee
Holy, holy, holy; merciful and mighty
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
Perfect in power, in love and purity

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea
Holy, holy, holy; merciful and mighty
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Prayer For The Morning

Eternal God and Father, by whose power we are created and by whose love we are redeemed: guide and strengthen us by your Spirit, that we may give ourselves to your service, and live this day in love to one another and to you; through Jesus Christ your son our lord. Amen

Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
He the perfect Son of Man
In his living in his suff'ring
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law in him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain him
Praise the Lord he is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when he comes

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The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,
God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,*
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*The 'catholic church' denotes the totality of God's people through the ages who hold firm to the classic teachings of Christ's apostles, regardless of denomination. It affirms the unity the church.

CHURCH HILL KIDS AND YOUTH

It's now time for children and youth to head to our Church Hill Kids and Youth programs where their leader will sign your child in.

- Preschool to Year 2: will meet next door in the large Parish Hall
- Years 3-6: will meet in the small Parish Hall
- High School: will meet in the Vestry

Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.' Matthew 19:14

Bible

Matthew 6:1-8

¹ ‘Be careful not to practise your righteousness in front of others to be seen by them. If you do, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven.

² ‘So when you give to the needy, do not announce it with trumpets, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and on the streets, to be honoured by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. ³ But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, ⁴ so that your giving may be in secret. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

⁵ ‘And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. ⁶ But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. ⁷ And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸ Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

Bible

1 Thessalonians 4:1-2, 9-12

¹ As for other matters, brothers and sisters, we instructed you how to live in order to please God, as in fact you are living. Now we ask you and urge you in the Lord Jesus to do this more and more. ² For you know what instructions we gave you by the authority of the Lord Jesus.

...

⁹ Now about your love for one another we do not need to write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love each other. ¹⁰ And in fact, you do love all of God’s family throughout Macedonia. Yet we urge you, brothers and sisters, to do so more and more, ¹¹ and to make it your ambition to lead a quiet life: you should mind your own business and work with your hands, just as we told you, ¹² so that your daily life may win the respect of outsiders and so that you will not be dependent on anybody.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Sermon – Rt. Rev. Rob Forsyth

A Deeper Love

1. The key project of living the Christian life (1 Thessalonians 4.1)

We instructed you how to walk in order to please God, as in fact you are walking.

Three challenges.

(i)

(ii)

(iii)

2. Some surprising examples of putting it into practice.

Sexual Holiness (next week)

Love fellow believers. (1 Thessalonians 4.9-10)

Live quiet and decent lives (1 Thessalonians 4.11-12)

Confession

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
you are merciful and kind,
but we have gone our own way,
not loving you as we ought,
nor loving our neighbours as ourselves.
We have sinned against you in thought, word and deed
and in what we have failed to do.
We deserve your condemnation.
Father, forgive us.
Help us to love you and our neighbour,
and to live for your honour and glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Assurance Of Forgiveness

Grant, we beseech thee, merciful Lord, to thy faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve thee with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Giving

Taking your place in
the life of this church
(financially)

While we don't take a physical collection during our service, if you belong to and benefit from Church Hill, please take your part in contributing financially to the ministry of the church in this city. The most intentional way to give is to give online, using the following banking details.

Name: Church Hill Anglican
BSB: 032000
Acc No: 810878
Reference: 10:30am Giving.

January 2021 offertories:	\$47,441	(Budget: \$59,962)
February 2021 offertories:	\$50,753	(Budget \$59,962)
March 2021 offertories:	\$58,319	(Budget \$59,962)
YTD 2021 offertories:	\$156,513	(YTD Budget: \$179,885)

Before The Throne Of God Above

Before the throne of God above
I have a strong, a perfect plea
A great high priest, whose name is Love
Who ever lives and pleads for me
My name is graven on his hands
My name is written on his heart
I know that while in heaven he stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart
No tongue can bid me thence depart

When Satan tempts me to despair
And tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look, and see him there
Who made an end of all my sin
Because a sinless Saviour died
My sinful soul is counted free
For God, the Just, is satisfied
To look on him and pardon me
To look on him and pardon me

Behold him there, the risen Lamb
My perfect, spotless righteousness
The great unchangeable I am
The King of glory and of grace
One in himself, I cannot die
My soul is purchased by his blood
My life is hid with Christ on high
With Christ, my Saviour and my God
With Christ, my Saviour and my God

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Benediction

Philippians 4:4-9

⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: rejoice! ⁵ Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. ⁶ Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

⁸ Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable – if anything is excellent or praiseworthy – think about such things. ⁹ Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me – put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord:

In the name of Christ. Amen

AFTER THE SERVICE

After the service, the care of children is the responsibility of their parents. Regular members of the congregation, please support parents by being carefully on the lookout for the safety of all kids, thank you.

NOTICES



A YEAR WITH JESUS

Want to get to know Jesus more deeply over summer? Download Church Hill's daily devotional app 'A Year With Jesus' in the app store. Catch up on previous talks in the 'library tab' or simply join us on Monday for our next instalment as we work through Matthew's gospel this year.

ACTS 6: PRACTICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THOSE IN NEED

If you (or someone you know) who regularly attends Church Hill Anglican is in need of temporary financial assistance or practical care beyond what your community group can provide, contact the Acts 6 Ministry for a confidential assessment to see if we can help: acts6@churchhillanglican.com

AGM MINUTES

Minutes from the AGM held on 21st March 2021 are available on the back table, as well as copies of the AGM Reports and 2020 Financial Statements.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

CITY CARE LUNCH DATES FOR 2021

20 June 17 October
15 August 12 December

citycare@churchhillanglican.com

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING

Thursdays 7:30am in the St Philip's Parish Hall.

BISHOP'S BIBLE STUDY

The Bishop's Bible Study is held on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at 10.30am - 12 noon. The next study will be on 13th May in the St Philip's hall and on Zoom as well. If you haven't received the zoom link email Rob Forsyth at rob@churchhillanglican.com. The following study will be held on 27th May.

RIVENDELL 2022

Friday 18 to Sunday 20 February at The Tops Conference Centre, Stanwell Tops.



Church Hill is growing, and as a result a weekly playgroup for parents and their children aged 0-4 will be running weekly, on Tuesday afternoons in the Garrison Hall. If you have any toys that are no longer in use, are in reasonable condition, and that are developmentally suitable for this age group that you'd consider donating to our playgroup, please contact our office.

Phone: 9247 1071 Email: office@churchhillanglican.com

Toys need to be COVID-safe and therefore able to be easily wiped down after use (e.g. wooden and plastic toys - no soft toys).

COMMUNITY GROUPS 2021

Community Groups are at the centre of our vision for church and one of the ways that we can continue to walk and grow as disciples of Jesus as we do life together. Our Community Groups consist of: Bible and prayer, with fun, friendship, support and hospitality, as well as a strong desire to see new people folded in. Groups meet at various times throughout the week, in the city and surrounding suburbs and there are different types of groups to suit different people.

Whether you are already in a group, or looking to join one, we would appreciate you taking the time to fill this short survey in. This will help us as we plan our groups.

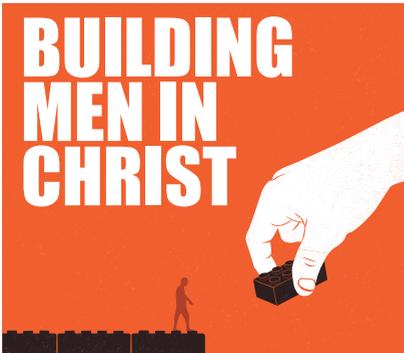
Head to bit.ly/2021communitygroups or scan the QR code to complete the survey.





6 to 7pm
Friday 14 May
at The Garrison Church

Light refreshments will
be provided.



MEN'S SEMINAR CHANGE OF DATE!

“LIVING IN THE POWER OF
GOD’S PROMISES”

Thursday 6 13 MAY
6 -7.30pm

Meeting Room at the Garrison
No need to prior register – just turn up.

Death To Life

THE SOLO CANTATAS OF BACH

Date | Saturday 5 June 7pm
Location | St Philip's, Church Hill, 3 York Street
Tickets | www.tinyurl.com/bachcantatas

Programme:

'MEIN HERZE SCHWIMMT IM BLUT' BWV 199 (*My heart swims in blood*)
'VERGNÜGTE RUH, BELIEBTE SEELENLUST' BWV 170 (*Delightful rest, beloved pleasure of the soul*)
'ICH HABE GENUG' BWV 82 (*I have enough*)

Chloe Lankshear | Soprano, Stephanie Dillon | Mezzo-soprano, Jack Stephens | Bass
Edward Wang | Oboe, Caitlin Benz | Oboe d'amore, and a period instrument ensemble



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regarding property and finances, contact

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SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES AT CHURCH HILL ANGLICAN

ST PHILIP'S

• 8:30am

• 10:30am (with kids' program)

• 6pm

THE GARRISON

• 9:30am

• 4pm

USEFUL INFORMATION

SEATING

To help us maintain physical distancing, please sit at a green marker, leaving every second pew vacant.

YOUR COMFORT

Please turn all mobile devices to silent.

Our toilets are located in the Parish Hall.

YOUR BABY

All babies are welcome. There is a baby change facility in the Parish Hall toilets.

PARKING

Free parking is available on Sundays for anyone coming to a Church Hill service in the underground carpark at No. 1 York Street. The car park is open from 7:30am to 10:00pm each Sunday. Access to the car park is off Clarence Street, just north of St Philip's Church.

LIVESTREAMED SERVICES

If you're unable to make it to a service in person, our 10:30am, 4pm and 6pm services are livestreamed each Sunday at [youtube.com/c/churchhillanglican/live](https://www.youtube.com/c/churchhillanglican/live)

YOUR SAFETY

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Please leave the church in an orderly manner via the south door towards Jamison Street, or as directed by a member of staff.

If an individual approaches you in the church and makes you feel uncomfortable or threatened (or asks for money), please refer them to a member of staff who will be in the best place to assess their needs.

Visitors are required to keep their bags and items with them at all times. Bags and items deemed to look suspicious will be cordoned off and managed in accordance with Church Hill emergency response procedures.

Church Hill has a **No Tolerance** approach to any form of domestic and family violence. We are committed to being a church family where people feel safe. We believe God has a heart for loving and respectful relationships. If you or someone near to you is in a situation of domestic and family violence, we are here to listen, ready to believe you and make ourselves available to support you.

If you would like to speak to a member of the ministry team, please contact Jenny Fendler or Justin Moffatt. In addition, you can call 1800 RESPECT, a 24/7 telephone service that provides information, counselling and support. All support is completely confidential.

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