

Prayer Points

- ▶ For safety for Bishop Gary and Mrs Christine Nelson and their foster son Lindsay driving across, leaving Sydney May 7th and planning to arrive in Geraldton on 19th or 20th May.
- ▶ That the Installation Service here at the Cathedral on Saturday 26th May starting at 11.00 am will go well and honour Christ.
- ▶ For God's comfort for David Hilton and his wider family. David's grandmother died in Adelaide last week.
- ▶ For God's comfort for the family of the late Noel Hollings a long time resident of Hillcrest and a member of the church family there.
- ▶ For the Parish weekend away and guest speaker Peter Schendzielorz that it will be a special weekend of fellowship and growth in Christ Jesus.
- ▶ Give thanks Peter and Elizabeth Smarts' ministry at the Cathedral—they leave us on the 10th May.
- ▶ Give thanks for a great Diocesan Youth Camp with 55 participants!

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NEXT SUNDAY

6th May, 2012

When enough is
enough?

Romans 12:9-21

Psalm 133

Matt 18:23-35



The Anglican Parish of Geraldton



Holy Cross Cathedral
GERALDTON

St Catherine's
GREENOUGH

Holy Trinity

29th April, 2012

4th Sunday of Easter
'Satan the Toothless Tiger'

A warm welcome to everyone at church today. *We invite all who love Jesus as Lord, to share in the Lord's Supper where it is offered, and join us for morning tea in the Hall afterwards.*

Bible Verse:

We have thought on your steadfast love, O Lord, in the midst of your temple. As your Name, O God, so your praise reaches to the ends of the earth. **Psalm 48:9-10**

Prayer of the Day:

Lord you have taught us that whatever we do without love is worth nothing: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you; grant this, for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake. **Amen**

Today's Readings:

1 Peter 5:6-11

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Psalm 5

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John 8:39-47

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Respectfully Evangelistic

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Sacrificially Loving

Genuinely Worshipping

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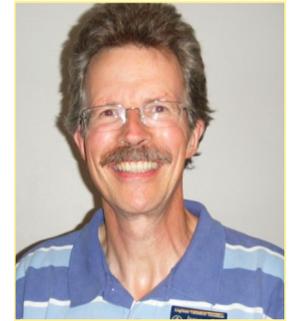
- ▶ **MINI MARKET today** Your support is appreciated.
- ▶ **Thank you** to all who helped with cooking for Cameliers last Tuesday.
- ▶ **Coffee and Dessert night for men and women** 7.30pm Tuesday 1st May in the Cathedral hall. There will be a presentation of the work of the Guild of the Ascension in the Parish of Geraldton which began in 1893—basically for fundraising and fellowship. Without any pressure, the question will be asked, 'Does the Guild have a future?' All Welcome!
- ▶ **Volunteers Needed:** to keep the Cathedral open during the week for tours and as a place of prayer. Some volunteers have 'signed up' but there are plenty of 'gaps.' Could you add your name to the list? (List in the hall)
- ▶ **Wednesdays 4.30pm: Growth Group** on the book of James in the Hummerston Centre. All welcome.
- ▶ **Pastoral Confirmation:** a special Confirmation (carried out by Jeremy as the Administrator of the Diocese) for a senior citizen, Cecily Cook, will be a part of the 10am Service on Sunday 6th May.
- ▶ **MU (Mothers Union) May Meeting** 10.00am Wednesday 9th May in the Cathedral followed by a cuppa. MU—sharing Christ's love by encouraging, sharing and supporting marriage and family life.
- ▶ **Parish Weekend Away in Kalbarri** lets grow together as the body of Christ in beautiful Kalbarri, please register for the weekend Friday evening 18th May to Sunday lunch 20th May. Please pick up an information leaflet and registration slip in the Cathedral or print it from our website. Registration forms to Paul asap, please!
- ▶ **Sunday 20th May** there will be no 10am Service at the Cathedral due to the Parish Weekend away in Kalbarri. The 6:45am and 8:15am Service will take place as usual.
- ▶ **Saturday 2nd June 7:30pm** Dr Michael Leuty MRCGP of St Peter's Nottingham UK will give a free organ recital at the Cathedral. Light refreshments will be served during interval.

Dates for your Diary

Friday 18th May– 20th May Parish Kalbarri Weekend
Saturday 26th May 11am in at the Cathedral– Installation of Gary Nelson as Bishop of NWA.

Dear Friends,

It was a privilege to play a small part in the Consecration Service in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney on 14th April, as did Archdeacon Tim Mildenhall (Broome) and our Chancellor, Peter Williams.



The presenting bishops were David Mulready and Ray Smith. Archbishop Roger Herft led the consecration; Bishop Robert Forsythe presided at the Lord's Supper. It was a full cathedral; Gary and Christine Nelson looked very happy. It was good that their 3 sons could be there. It was a great occasion which honoured our Lord Jesus Christ.

It was at this service that Gary Nelson was 'made' a bishop. The next stage in this 'two-part' process is for Gary to be installed as the Bishop of North West Australia.

Plans are well underway for the Gary's Installation Service in Holy Cross Cathedral on Saturday 26th May, starting at 11.00 am. Archbishop Roger Herft will be performing the Installation. Our choir and our music group will be taking part in the service together with guest organist, Mike Leuty.

The service will be followed by an informal light lunch in the QE II centre to which you are all invited.

Please pray for Gary, Christine and their foster son Lindsay as they drive from Sydney to Geraldton in May and then begin to settle in.

Love in Christ

Jeremy

National Day of Thanksgiving (May 26th)

Not so much a day as an opportunity to reach out and thank those around us in our daily lives who contribute to the life and well-being of the wider community.

St Paul's Motto:

**'FOR ME TO LIVE
IS CHRIST'**