

## SERVICE TIMES FOR NOVEMBER

THE SERVICE TIMES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

### St. David's

Every Sunday  
 9.00 Holy Communion  
 On the second Sunday in month  
 9.00 GROWING TOGETHER IN HOLY COMMUNION  
 10.30 SALT ...

### St. Oswald's

Every Sunday **except the second** in the month  
 11.00 Holy Communion  
*(On the second Sunday: St David's 9.00 Holy Communion / 10.30 SALT)*  
 Every Wednesday  
 10.00 A service of Holy Communion  
 and Prayer for Healing

**"GROWING TOGETHER IN COMMUNION"**

**- 12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER AT 9.00**

10.00 - 10.30 - morning tea

**SALT**

**S**haring  
**A**nd  
**L**earning  
**T**ogether

Theme for November:

*"Our Life in God's Hands"*

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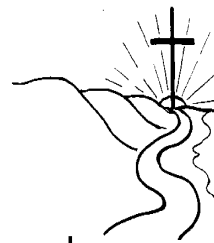
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Jesus  
 is the way  
 the Truth  
 and  
 the Life

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*Heart to Heart....*

**Sharing Mission  
 Sharing Ministry**

*"Our diocese has begun a risky and exciting journey. The journey is about congregations and church organisations becoming **missionary communities** where the gifts of every baptised member are identified, called and used in the life and mission of the church.*

So reads the introductory words of the study *Sharing Mission, Sharing Ministry* for small groups exploring the nature of shared ministry, that our Home Groups are commencing this month.

To put this within the context of the parish's life, this is the first official step that we as a parish take, after the Parish Council expressed our intention of

*"exploring Local Collaborative Ministry leading to a vote by members of both congregations as to whether the Parish commits itself to this pattern of ministry and mission."*

**We are wanting every baptised member (with the exception of children) to see the importance of contributing to the parish's life, our future and the well-being of God's kingdom by being part of this 5 unit study. Dates, places and times for these group meetings are being circulated.**

The next step in the process comes at the completion of the five unit study, where we as congregations vote early in December to become a parish that officially adopts an *every member mission and ministry* approach to church life.

Stage 4 involves a process of discovering who our Ministry Support Leaders are – lay and ordained together. They are then officially recognised and commissioned in a church service. Ongoing training and support is given to them as they take the primary responsibility of overseeing the mission and ministries of the parish.

What gifts – both spiritual and natural, that God has placed in the life of every member? This is also explored to bring more and more people into the everyday life of the church.

Perhaps you are wondering “*What is Ross’ job then?*”

My role (has) will change significantly over the months and years that lie ahead. My parish – diocese work is on the following basis:

- 80% parish; 20% diocese.

Payment is along the following lines; Parish pays 80% of my stipend, the diocese pays the remaining 20%. The 20% that the parish does not put towards my stipend is now being placed in a *Ministry Development Fund* which will be in the vicinity of \$6,000 pa. This will be a wonderful asset to assist with funding ministry training and development.

My primary role in the parish (outside of my usual Sunday involvement) will be that of an supervisor, trainer, equipper of the parishioners for their ministry – not that I would be doing all of the training etc., rather identifying what needs to be done and if I don’t have the expertise, find others who can provide training and support. (See Ephesians chapter 4)

#### **PARISH OFFICE**

Parish Council are investigating the need for the parish office to be moved away from the Rectory. The site that is being closely examined is the lower room at St David’s.

This will mean more privacy for the parish family, a greater freedom for the parishioners to use the facilities that are at present in the Rectory, and perhaps Ross won’t spend as many evenings in the office as does at present.

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#### ***Thank you ...***

Many people need to be thanked for their contribution to the wonderful Confirmation Service last month:

The choir and musicians for the music before and during the service.

Kay, Alison and Rebecca for the dance.

The kitchen staff and all who brought food

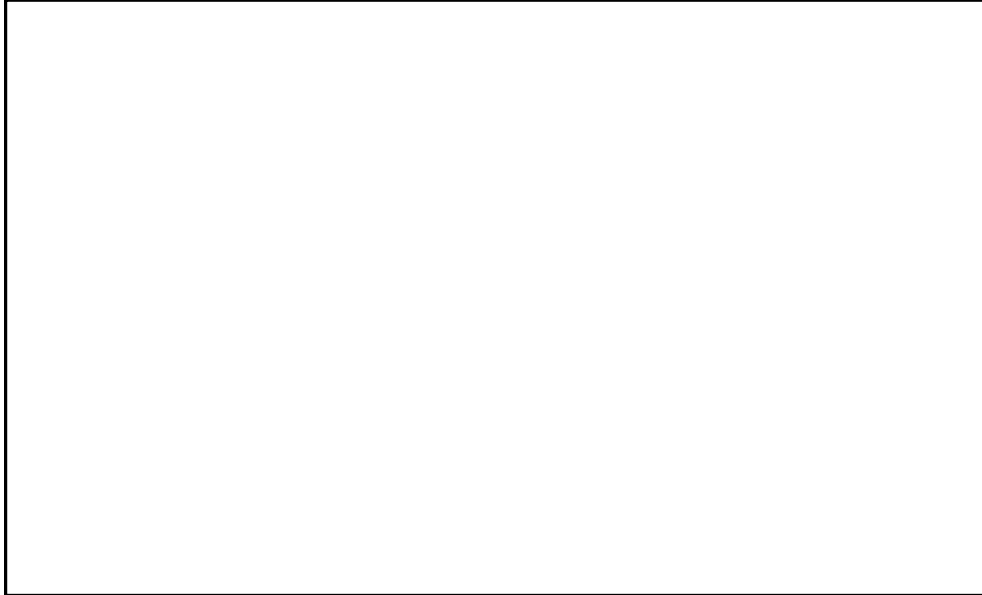
Peter and Joan for looking after John and Gayelene and for the meal that they supplied for the young people of the parish on the Friday evening prior to the Confirmation.

Rebecca for the *two* birthday cakes that she made for John’s birthday.

Peter Cox for his work on the overhead projector

The Cook family and Vince and Margaret for supplying the bread and wine

Those who decorated church and hall.



**PARISH BUDGET**



*What's on this month ... November ...*

- Sat 4**     **Peter, Ross and Wardens' Meeting**
- Wed 8**     1.30 St David's Guild
- 2.00 Ross at Diocesan Ministry Council - Hobart
- Thurs 9**    10am Parents and Toddlers at St David's Hall
- 7.30 Worship Leaders' Meeting** (Curtis' home)
- Sun 12**    **7.00** Parish Council – St Oswald's
- Mon 13**    2.30 Cadorna House - Holy Communion
- Wed 15**    2.00 St Oswald's Guild
- Thurs 16    8.00 SALT leaders' meeting at the Lawrence's home
- Fri 17 – (7.00) - Sun 19 (5.00) Lay Readers' Weekend at Grammar**
- Thur 30**    1.45 Holy Communion at Tamar Park

