



# Coolah—Dunedoo Parish Newsletter

## Pentecost 11 20th August, 2013

### WELCOME TO WORSHIP

#### AWA SUNDAY—TODAY!

Today we give thanks for the faithful and loyal members and supporters of our Dunedoo AWA Group. Following a Church Parade and Service in Dunedoo.

Celebrations will move to the Hall for an Egg & Bacon Breakfast cooked by some husbands.

**Thank You Ladies for**  
Your "Ever-Ready Can-Doo"  
Skills

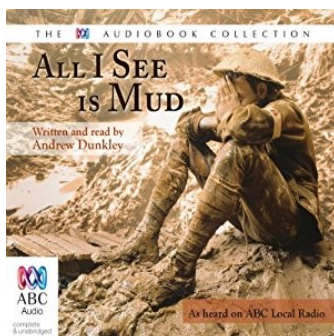
#### Ladies Luncheon for Those affected directly by the Sir Ivan Fire

By invitation 12-12.30 pm  
Saturday 26th August, 2017  
**Venue:** Dunedoo Church Hall  
(Subject to Change)



#### "Step into Spring" Dinner

1st September, 2017  
**Dunedoo Bowling Club**  
**Tickets:** Milling Stuart  
\$30.00 p.p.  
**Contact:** Sue 6375 1218  
**Speaker:**  
*Andrew Dunkley*  
**Journalist & Author**



#### Pentecost 11

One of the greatest gifts the Anglican tradition has given to the Catholic Church is the Prayer of Humble Access; an incredible legacy of Cranmer's poetry and his gift for liturgy. Controversial, and yet endlessly popular amongst the Christian faithful the world over; this prayer reminds us of the Canaanite woman's immense faith in Jesus, and the depth of God's bountiful mercy despite our own frailties and sinfulness.

Pray that we will approach God's altar of grace with humility, in the knowledge of his great love for us.  
Give thanks for the *Nippon Se Ko Kai*, the Anglican Church of

Japan.



*Jesse Poole*  
Saint Peter's, East Maitland,  
Diocese of Newcastle  
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#### THE PRAYERS

V: In faith we pray

R: we pray to you our God

Make our hearts respond to your leading and be present in Synod preparations, and management in all areas of our diocese. Bless +Ian with Liz, and all who worship in Orange and Orange East with your love. V/R

We pray for our hurting world and the people of Sierra Leone. Comfort those who struggle with oppression, injustice and fear. Make our lives bear witness to your glory in the world. V/R

Open the hearts of our young ones to your love as they prepare to affirm their faith in you: Sam, Meg, Holly, Paul, Charlie, Sophie, Brian & Malcolm. V/R Creator God,. We ask for rain to revive and bring life, thankful for what we have received. Restore our land with drinking water, moisture for crops and animals and to bring hope after a dry winter. V/R

We pray for our area as we struggle to recover from the February Fire. Comfort and heal the sick and those in need Fay, Evelyn, Tracie, Doreen, and those held in your presence. Make our wills eager to obey, and our hands ready to heal. V/R

We give you thanks for the life of Fred Osborne and pray for your enabling of grief for Irene and family. V/R

## 2017 "RAIN" Spring Fete

Saturday  
9th September, 2017  
St Andrew's Coolah Grounds  
Donations Needed  
Volunteers Welcome  
**Coordinator:**  
Jane Sutton 6377 4523



The next  
**Anglican-  
Catholic  
Covenant Ser-  
vice**  
will be at held at  
St Michael's Hall  
Dunedoo.  
6pm Friday 13th Oc-  
tober, 2017  
Please mark the date  
in your diary, now!

Pearly Gates. Used by Permission.





# In Review

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## Coming UP

- ◆ **Confirmation Classes** @ Dunedoo 28/8/17; Men-dooran 29/8/17;
- ◆ **St Andrew's C'ttee 3/9/17** following 9am Service;
- ◆ **All Saints' C'ttee 3/9/2017** after 8.30am Worship Sunday September 3st
- ◆ **AWA 2/9/17** 7.30 pm Dunedoo Hall
- ◆ **Parish Council 17/9/17** 7.30pm Dunedoo Hall

## WORSHIP NEXT WEEKEND

### Pentecost 12 August 26 -27

Sat, 6 pm Dunedoo  
Sun, 9am Coolah  
Sun, 11.30am Neilrex

## Served for breakfast today



## AWA Sunday

Husbands are invited to volunteer to assist with Brunch Catering on the day. Please see Fr Robert for further information or to volunteer yours or your spouse's, skills. Thank you



*Agnus Day Cartoon used by permission.*

## 5TH SUNDAY 30 JULY 2017

A small group of people gathered in the St Andrew's Octagon on the last Sunday in July to celebrate

## *"Love as a Community of Grace"*

Skits, a contemporary morning prayer and modern words to well known tunes, made it a comfortable and enjoyable time. The next 5th Sunday will be Gathering by the River at Mendooran in October.

*Photos courtesy of Roaming Rosa Photography.*



IF YOU'RE NOT RIGHT,  
YOU COULD BE LEFT!



- Tuesday Night 15 August**  
**PARISH COUNCIL**
- ⇒ Reports were received for The Octagon, AWA, the Rector and the Treasurer
  - ⇒ Fr Robert reported that he attend a meeting of the Covenant committee organising the Service at St Michael's on October 13.
  - ⇒ He conducted 3 funerals in the past 4 weeks (16 for the year so far)
  - ⇒ Trivia night was a complete success raising close to \$3000
  - ⇒ Response to the Annual Appeal has been good
  - ⇒ Still waiting some quotes for general maintenance to the Rectory
  - ⇒ Mayor's Fund distribution is near completion
  - ⇒ Treasure Reported July Income \$10,165; Expenses \$7,295; Surplus \$2870. Year to date Deficit=(\$6,579)
  - ⇒ Christmas services Schedule discussed and Robert and Beth's last services will be 8.30am Dunedoo and 10.30am Coolah on Sunday 31st December (a 5th Sunday) [Fr Robert will be officially retired 1st January 2018]

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