



Christ Church
YOUR VILLAGE CHURCH

1 SEPTEMBER 2019

READINGS

Hebrews 13: 1—8, 15—16

Luke 14 : 1, 7 —14

A very warm welcome to any visitors to Christ Church this morning

TODAY'S GOSPEL READING Luke 14: 1, 7—14

¹ One Sabbath, when Jesus went to eat in the house of a prominent Pharisee, he was being carefully watched.

⁷ When he noticed how the guests picked the places of honour at the table, he told them this parable: ⁸ "When someone invites you to a wedding feast, do not take the place of honour, for a person more distinguished than you may have been invited.

⁹ If so, the host who invited both of you will come and say to you, 'Give this person your seat.' Then, humiliated, you will have to take the least important place. ¹⁰ But when you are invited, take the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he will say to you, 'Friend, move up to a better place.' Then you will be honoured in the presence of all the other guests. ¹¹ For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."

¹² Then Jesus said to his host, "When you give a luncheon or dinner, do not invite your friends, your brothers or sisters, your relatives, or your rich neighbours; if you do, they may invite you back and so you will be repaid. ¹³ But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind, ¹⁴ and you will be blessed. Although they cannot repay you, you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

OUR REGULAR BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER MEETINGS

Bible Study Group: First Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm.

Next meeting date: 4 September (this Wednesday)

Prayer Group: Third Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm.

Next meeting date: 18 September

Both groups meet at the church. Morning Prayer is also held in the Church every Wednesday at 8 am - everyone welcome.

SPECIAL HOSPITALITY MONTH DINNER

Celebrate the conclusion of our Special Hospitality Month events by enjoying dinner together at the Alex Eatery and Bar, Alexandra Park Raceway.

Date: Sunday 29 September **Time:** 6.00pm

Cost \$22.50 for a meal of Roast Pork Loin and Crackling, Roast Vegetables and Apple and Crumble Dessert.

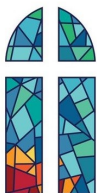
Please write your name on the sheet in the foyer if you intend to come along.

POT LUCK DINNER AT ST JOHN'S ROYAL OAK ON 14 SEPTEMBER



PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH

Prayer underlies all that we do. At 7:30 every Wednesday night (or another time which suits you) join everybody in prayer for our church ministries.



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