

	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Readings</u>
Sun 6 Nov	Mike Baxter	Haggai 1:15b-2:9; 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 (Luke 20:27-38)
Sun 13 Nov	<i>REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY</i>	
Sun 20 Nov	Alan Waddell	Proverbs 31:10-13 (14-24) 25-31; 2 Timothy 1:1-7 (Matthew 13:44-46 or Luke 11:33-36)
Sun 27 Nov	Russell Malcolm	Isaiah 2:1-5; Romans 13:11-14 (Matthew 24:36-44)
Sun 4 Dec	Veronique Malcolm	Isaiah 11:1-10; Romans 15:4-13 (Matthew 3:1-12)

Please arrange to swap if unavailable for allotted date



*To everything there is a season,
and a time to every purpose under the heaven:
A time to be born and a time to die,
A time to plant and a time to pluck up that which is planted;
A time to weep and a time to laugh;
a time to mourn and a time to dance.*

(Ecclesiastes 3, verses 1, 2 and 4)

St Margaret's Mission Statement

The mission of St Margaret's church is to worship together, reach out, with the other churches, to those in the community and beyond, offering them welcome and hospitality wherever they are on their spiritual journey.

**ST MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
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Notes from St Margaret's

November is a month of changing weather as we experience the first signs of winter.

On Sunday 13 November we will be joining many from our local community at the Tayport War Memorial and Parish Church to recall the sacrifice of those lost during both the First and Second World wars.

The following Sunday, 20 November we will be celebrating our Patronal feast. It will be a special service for St Margaret's 120th anniversary joined by members from St Mary's, Newport and other special guests.

In a religious aspect, November reflects the coming season of Advent, commencing on Sunday 27 November when all Christians begin to prepare for the joyous arrival at Christmas.

Best wishes, Margaret Gray



November 1915

Today, as I rode by, I saw the brown leaves dropping from their tree

In a still afternoon, when no wind whirled them whistling to the sky

But thickly, silently, they fell, like snowflakes wiping out the noon;

And wandered slowly thence. For, thinking of a gallant multitude

Which now all withering lay, slain by no wind of age or pestilence,

But in their beauty strewed like snowflakes falling on the Flemish clay.

November Services Diary

Wed 2 Nov	10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 6 Nov	10.30am	Pentecost 25. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
Wed 9 Nov	10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 13 Nov	10.30am	REMEMBRANCE SERVICE AT THE WAR MEMORIAL
Wed 16 Nov	10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 20 Nov	10.30am	ST MARGARET'S 120TH ANNIVERSARY SERVICE followed by refreshments in the Hall
Wed 23 Nov	10.30am	Meditations in church
Sun 27 Nov	10.30am	Advent 1. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
Wed 30 Nov	10.30am	Meditations in Church
Sun 4 Dec	10.30am	Advent 2. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall

November Rotas

Reception

Offering

Sun 6 Nov	Christine Barker	Janette Turvey
Sun 13 Nov	REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY	
Sun 20 Nov	Mike Baxter	Janette Turvey
Sun 27 Nov	Janette Turvey	Margaret Redpath
Sun 4 Dec	Margaret Redpath	Janette Turvey

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November Events

Sun 13 Nov	10.30am	Remembrance Sunday at the War Memorial
Sun 20 Nov	10.30am	St Margaret's 120 th Anniversary

Lord, lead us from death to life and from falsehood to truth.

Lead us from despair to hope, from fear to trust.

Lead us from ill will to love, from strife to peace.

May your peace fill our hearts, our world, your whole creation. Amen

(Personal prayer from Rev Jim Thomson

which he read in his final service)