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## **Farewell, Father Brian!**

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On May 2 we bid Fr. Brian farewell after 17 months of being our locum. The parish council members presented him with a red surplice at his last Sunday service with us, and a special morning tea was held in his honour. Over

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Brian mentioned that he was glad at how well everyone responded to his service style, and how warm and loving the church members have been. "More people should join you!"





## ANZAC Day, 2021

was a time to remember and honour the brave ANZAC troops, all those who came after them, and those left behind. Helen and Barbara did an excellent job preparing the church for the event.



The catering group got together one rainy Sunday in May at Judy Saul's place to celebrate the birthdays of Judy, Diane Walker and Chris Mowle. It was a perfect day to be indoors, gathered around a delicious spread, sharing stories and experiences

## The Biggest Afternoon Tea



The Biggest Afternoon Tea was held on May1 to raise funds for the Cancer Council. Kerry Grace, a local community development



officer, was the MC. The Kempsey ukulele group



played some all-time favourites. Wendy relieved everyone of their gold coins with several rounds of 'heads and tables'. Nancy, accompanied by Ross, led a sing-a-





long of old ditties. There was an exciting lucky draw. Overall, it was a lovely afternoon, so if you missed out, don't forget to join us next year!

Left: The multifaceted Ross making himself very useful