

Psalm 119.105-112

- ¹⁰⁵ Your word is a lantern to my feet:
and a light to my path.
- ¹⁰⁶ **I have vowed and sworn an oath:
to keep your righteous judgements.**
- ¹⁰⁷ I have been afflicted beyond measure:
Lord, give me life according to your word.
- ¹⁰⁸ **Accept, O Lord, the freewill offerings of my mouth:
and teach me your judgements.**
- ¹⁰⁹ I take my life in my hands continually:
yet I do not forget your law.
- ¹¹⁰ **The wicked have laid a snare for me:
but I have not strayed from your precepts.**
- ¹¹¹ Your commands are my inheritance for ever:
they are the joy of my heart.
- ¹¹² **I have set my heart to fulfil your statutes:
always, even to the end.**

A Prayer at this Time

Loving God,
source of healing and comfort,
at this time of fear,
fill us with your grace,
that the sick may be made whole,
the virus contained and a cure found.
Strengthen those who care for the sick,
calm the anxious,
and protect the most vulnerable
in the power of the Spirit
and in the faith of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

A Blessing

The peace of God which passes
all understanding keep your
hearts and minds in the
knowledge and love of God, and
of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord;
and the blessing of God Almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy
Spirit, be among you and remain
with you always. Amen

CALL FOR CLEANING HELP

Due to Covid-19 protocols we need extra
help to clean the church. Please contact
Margaret Blaney if you can assist.
Thank you.

M.U. NEWS

M.U. meetings will recommence on
Wednesday 19 August 2020 at this
stage.

Readings for the 19th July 2020—Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 28.10-19a; Psalm 139.1-11, 23-24;
Romans 8.12-25; Matthew 13.24-30 (31-33) 36-43.



St. Cuthbert's Anglican Church Tweed Heads

Our Vision: Transforming lives through Jesus Christ.
Our Mission: Sharing the good news of Jesus Christ,
Making disciples and Growing faith communities.

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
12th July 2020

WELCOME



Sentence: The words you have spoken are spirit and life, O Lord; you have the
words of eternal life. John 6.63, 68

Collect: Bountiful God,
we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word:
by your Holy Spirit,
help us to receive it with joy, and to live according to it,
that we may grow in faith and hope and love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Readings for Today: Genesis 25.19-34; Psalm 119.105-112;
Romans 8.1-11; Matthew 13.1-9 (10-17) 18-23.

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Weekly Services: From Sunday 28 June 2020 public worship will be at 9am & 11am. BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL,
PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE ON THURSDAY OR FRIDAY MORNINGS BETWEEN 9am & 12 NOON TO BOOK.

Reflection

Today we read of hungry Esau throwing away his birthright for a mess of pottage, a lentil stew, cooked by his brother, Jacob. It was an expensive deal: The son who had the birthright became the family leader on his father's death and inherited twice as much as any other brother (Deuteronomy 21.15-17). What valuable things have we thrown away for short-term gain in our lives?

Pray that we can see the true value of the people and relationships we have in each facet of our lives, and that we can give thanks to God for everything that is precious

Give thanks for the *Iglesia Filipina Independiente*, the Philippine Independent Church.

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Visit from Bishop Murray

Bishop Murray will be coming to join us for worship on Sunday 9th August 2020. Please mark this date in your calendar.

Visit from BCA

The Revd. David Rogers-Smith the Regional Officer in QLD/Northern NSW for Bush Church Aid will be visiting us for both services on Sunday 23rd August 2020. He will bring resources as well as items for sale and will have an eftpos facility if you would like to purchase items.



Personal Notes

Birthdays: 14th: Alison Lazarus; 15th: Lyn Teefy;
17th: Janyce Cooper.



Service Rosters

We are in the process of compiling rosters for the new 9.00am and 11.00am services, we need readers and welcomers. If you would like to help out on the rosters, please contact Dway on the office number 07 5536 1060. Thank you.

Prayer List

The following people are in need of our prayers at this time:

Yvonne Turner, Jacqueline Kerr, Maureen Baxter, Andrew, Val Chapman, Barbara, Kay Andrews, Cressa Bartosek, Margaret Dudgeon, Trish Hooley, David Leigh, Cliff Boyd, Janis Hepburn, Liz Tanke, Wynn Gilliland, Christine Charlton, Bishop David McCall, Ruth Conlan, Brian Scrase, Colin Hawtin, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Elan, Sid and Evelyn Eccleston, Robyn Hobson, Susan & Bob Gale, Alan Birch.

Our Church is committed to protecting your privacy. People on this list have requested prayer. Please contact the Parish Office for any changes to the Prayer List

COVID-19 Update

We have a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place. On Sunday 28th June 2020 we recommenced worship in church with 9am and 11am services.

There are a number of differences with our COVID-19 Safety Plan in place, but I believe our first weekend of worship back in church went well. We will continue with 9am and 11am services on Sundays.

Bookings are required each week, so please call the office on 07 5536 1060 on the Thursday or Friday prior between 9am and 12 noon to reserve your place.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to call me.

God Bless Dway

COVID Safe App

If you feel you are able to, please download the app onto your phone. It will help with contact tracing if the need arises.

My Christian Story - Have you written yours yet?

What is *your* story about how you became a Christian? Grey flyers can be emailed or sent to you on request. There are ideas for you to think about and inside a place for you to write 'your story.'

DRY JULY—A Message from Rev. Sue Woodcock

As many of you know, we lost our daughter-in-law to leukaemia at age 37. She left behind a little boy not quite 4 years old. In her memory I am undertaking Dry July this month, which is a commitment not to drink any alcohol at all for the 31 days. I am inviting members of St. Cuthbert's to sponsor me in support of the Leukaemia Foundation. No gift is too large or too small. All contributions will be gratefully received. The link for donations is: dryjuly.com/users/sue-woodcock.

Audit of the Key Register

We are currently doing an Audit of the Key Register. It would be greatly appreciated if you could contact Warden Ian Brookes and let him know of the Church Keys you have. Phone 0402 421 525 or email brookslan@dodo.com.au

Supporting our Parish Ministry

A Big Thank You to All those who have continued to financially support our Parish either by the normal means or now electronically. It is appreciated.

If you would like to contribute electronically to the mission and ministry of our Parish, you can use the following account.

Direct Debiting to our St Cuthbert's Parish Account with the AFGD

Name: Tweed Heads Anglican Parish
BSB: 705077
Account No.: 00040111

Please call Rev. Dway or the Treasurer John Gandey on 07 5599 7269 if you have any queries, or would like to discuss this further.