Psalm 106.1-6, 106.20-24

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Praise the Lord;

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good: and his mercy endures for ever.

Who can express the mighty acts of the Lord: or fully voice his praise?

³ Blessed are those who act according to justice:

who at all times do the right.

⁴ Remember me, O Lord, when you visit your people with your favour: and come to me also with your salvation,

That I may see the prosperity of your chosen: that I may rejoice with the rejoicing of your people, 8/and exult with those who are your own.

⁶ We have sinned like our ancestors: we have acted perversely and done wrong.

At Horeb they made themselves a calf: and bowed down in worship to an image.

And so they exchanged the glory of God:
for the likeness of an ox that eats hay.

They forgot God who was their saviour: that had done such great things in Egypt,

²³ Who had worked his wonders in the land of Ham:

and his terrible deeds at the Red Sea.

Therefore he thought to destroy them:
had not Moses his servant stood before him in the breach,
to turn away his wrath from destroying them.

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.**



Diocesan Prayer

God in whom we live, and move and have our being, we thank you for Jesus Christ who is the Good News. By the power of your Holy Spirit, enable us to be people who transform lives, make disciples and grow communities, that your glory may be revealed in all creation.

We pray through your Son, Jesus Christ, Amen.



Readings for the 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 33:12-23; Psalm 99; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10; Matthew 22:15-33

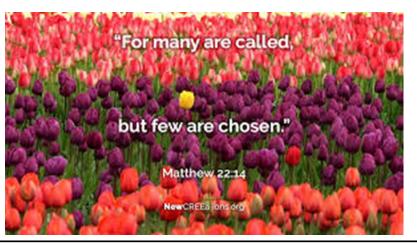


St. Cuthbert's Anglican Church Tweed Heads

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

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 11th October 2020

WELCOME



Sentence: This is our God for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation. Isaiah 25.9

Collect: Saving and healing God, you have promised that those who have died with Christ shall live with him: grant us grace to be continually thankful for all you have done for us, and in that thankfulness to be eager to serve and live for others, so that we and all your children may rejoice in your salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

Readings for Today:

Exodus 32.1-14; Psalm 106.1-6, 20-24; Philippians 4; Matthew 22.1-14.

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Weekly Services: Sunday 9am & 11am. COVID-19 safety plan in place. <u>BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL</u>, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE ON THURSDAY OR FRIDAY MORNINGS BETWEEN 9am & 12 NOON TO BOOK.

Reflection

As with last week's Gospel parable, today's parable was originally aimed at the Jewish religious leaders who rejected Jesus. Going into the thoroughfares reflects Jesus' ministry to the marginal and excluded. The very people who are found unacceptable by the leaders of Jesus' day.

The final twist of the guest without a robe points to the need for us to not only turn up as followers of Christ, but to be willing to participate fully in the ways of his Kingdom.

We pray that we may express our discipleship of Jesus by authentically following in his Way.

Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Korea, the *Daehan Seong Gong Hoe.*

Text: The Very Rev Phillip Saunders, Dean of Canberra and Goulburn © Anglican Board of Mission, 2020



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.'

Personal Notes

Birthdays: 17th Debbie Shambrook **Anniversaries:** 11th Kevin & Erica Crompton;

Years Mind: 12th John Leigh
In Memoriam: John Parker



It is with sadness we advise the passing of John Parker. John was a parishioner of this Parish until he moved to be closer to family. John's funeral will be held on Tuesday, 13th October 2020 at Melaleuca commencing at 1.00pm. Due to restriction in numbers the Service is for immediate family only. John Parker was an accomplished RAAF Pilot in the Korean War.

<u>INTENSIVE JOURNAL</u>® <u>LIFE CONTEXT WORKSHOP</u>

Hosted by St. James Anglican Parish Kingscliff. 17th to 18th October 2020. Please see Notice Board in church for full details.

BCA MISSION BOXES

Thank you to all who have returned the BCA Mission Boxes.
Beryl Burns, Mission Secretary

<u>Prayer List</u> The following people are in need of our prayers at this time:

Fay Flaherty, Loretta Flaherty, Abbey Nash, Joy Kendrick, Iris Pyle, Jacqueline Kerr, Maureen Baxter, Andrew, Val Chapman, Barbara, 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, Tony de Kievit, George Greenway.

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.

Worship times are now Sunday at 9am and 11am.

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.

There are a number of differences with our COVID-19 Safety Plan in place, but I believe it is a joy to be worshipping together in person again.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to call me on 07 5536 1060.

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.

2021 Lectionary

We have spare copies of the 2021
Lectionary. If you would like to purchase one they are on the table at the rear of the Church. The cost is \$15 ea. Please place the money in the envelope provided inside the book and hand to a sides person. Thank you.

Face Masks

The NSW Government put out a statement on 2nd August encouraging people to wear face masks, and one of the places named was in Worship Services. I encourage you to wear a mask where you are able.

God Bless Dway.

National Anglican Family Violence Project

"Help us to build a safer and more supportive Anglican Church for people who have experienced domestic violence. Join a research project aimed to help improve church practices. If you have had an experience of domestic violence and a current or previous link with the Anglican Church, please share your perspective. The online survey is anonymous and anyone can take part.

Go to **surveys.ncls.org.au/NAFVP/experience** to find out more".

Leeza Goon Chew's father, George Greenway, is unwell at the moment please keep him, Leeza and Rev Dway in your prayers.

Parish Council will meet next Sunday, 18th October 2020 commencing at 1.30pm.

DIOCESE NEWS

Please pray for the forthcoming diaconal ordination services:
16th of October, Grafton Cathedral: Grant Sparks and Aaron Coates
18th of October, Coffs Harbour: Kassimiro Yanga. 20th of October, Ballina: David Brown

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 on 07 5536 1060 or the Treasurer John Gandey on 07 5599 7269 if you have any queries, or would like to discuss this further.