PSALM 145

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- ¹⁰ All creation praises you, O Lord:
 - and your faithful servants bless your name.
- They speak of the glory of your kingdom: and tell of your great might,
- ¹² That the whole earth may know your mighty acts: and the glorious splendour of your kingdom.
- 13 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom: and your dominion endures through all generations.
- 14 The Lord upholds all those who stumble: and raises up those that are bowed down.
- The eyes of all look to you in hope: and you give them their food in due season;
- You open wide your hand: and fill all things living with your bounteous gift.
- ¹⁷ The Lord is just in all his ways: and faithful in all his dealings.
- 18 The Lord is near to all who call upon him: to all who call upon him in truth.

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 21st after Pentecost

Deuteronomy 34:1-12; Psalm 90:1-6,13-17; 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12; Matthew 22:34-46



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.

LUKE, EVANGELIST & MARTYR 18th October 2020

WELCOME



Sentence: The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; ask therefore the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.

Luke 10.2

Collect: Almighty God, who inspired your servant Luke the physician to set forth in his gospel the love and healing power of your Son: graciously continue in your Church this love and power to heal, to the praise and glory of your name; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Readings for **Today**:

Jeremiah 8.22-9.3; Psalm 145; 2 Timothy 4: 9-17a; Luke 10: 1-9

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Reflection

St Luke, Evangelist and Martyr – Sunday 18 October 2020

Why do we celebrate the saints? Because they encourage us in our closer following of the Lord Jesus. Luke is traditionally thought of as a physician. He focuses more than other Gospel writers on Jesus' ministry with women, and His ministry of healing.

Luke is mentioned in other parts of the New Testament, in the rather plaintive Epistle reading for today, and other letters of Paul, as well as in his second book - Acts - where at several stages the narrative changes from *they* to *we*.

Clearly Luke was at the forefront in the early spread of the Gospel and is the perhaps the only Gentile to write in the New Testament.

We give thanks for the life and work of St Luke and pray for the continued grace and power of Christ in the ministry of healing.

Give thanks for the work and witness of the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Anglican Council



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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: 18th Sue Woodcock; 20th Maria Gandey

Anniversaries: 21st Des & Veryl Bennell

In Memoriam: Margaret Perkins; Margaret Allcock



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING SUPPORT OF FRED'S PLACE

There is a constant need to support the homeless and marginalised in our local area. Donations of non-perishable foods, toiletries etc. are always welcome and very gratefully received. Thank you.

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

<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 available to purchase 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".

DIOCESE NEWS

Please pray for the forthcoming diaconal ordination services:

Today, 18th October, Coffs Harbour: Kassimiro Yanga.

Tuesday, 20th October, Ballina: David Brown and Aaron Coates

Date TBA—Grafton Cathedral: Grant Sparks

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.