

PSALM 90.1-6, 13-17

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- ¹ Lord, you have been our refuge: from one generation to another.
- ² **Before the mountains were born or the earth and the world were brought to be: from eternity to eternity you are God.**
- ³ You turn us back into dust: saying 'Return to dust, O children of Adam.'
- ⁴ **For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday passing: or like one watch of the night.**
- ⁵ You cut them short like a dream: like the fresh grass of the morning;
- ⁶ **In the morning it is green and flourishes: at evening it is withered and dried up.**
- ¹³ Relent, O Lord; how long will you be angry?: take pity on your servants.
- ¹⁴ **O satisfy us early with your mercy: that all our days we may rejoice and sing.**
- ¹⁵ Give us joy for all the days you have afflicted us: for the years we have suffered adversity.
- ¹⁶ **Show your servants your work: and let their children see your glory.**
- ¹⁷ May the gracious favour of the Lord our God be upon us: prosper the work of our hands, O prosper the work of our hands!



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.

**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
25th October 2020**

WELCOME



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.**

Sentence: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets. Matthew 22.37-40

Collect: O God, whose Son has taught us that love is the fulfilment of your law: stir up within us the fire of your Holy Spirit, and pour into our hearts your greatest gift of love, so that we may love you with our whole being, and our neighbours as ourselves; 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: Deuteronomy 34:1-12; Psalm 90:1-6,13-17;
1 Thessalonians 2:1-13; Matthew 22:34-46.

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 1st November 2020—All Saints Day

Revelation 7.9-17; Psalm 34.1-10, 22; 1 John 3.1-3; Matthew 5.1-12.

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

Reflection

Today's Gospel brings to an end Jesus' controversies with the Jewish leaders. His answer to the question of which commandments are the most important (of the 613 in the Jewish scriptures) is quite traditional and similar to other rabbis of the time.

However, His answer to the question of who the Messiah is, is revolutionary. Clearly from Jesus' argument The son mentioned must not be the son of David, but the Son of God. And by implication for the readers, Jesus himself.

- Give us grace to live more Christ-like lives and tell others of His glory. Amen.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the *Iglesia Filipina Independiente*, the Philippine Independent Church.

*Text: The Very Rev Phillip Saunders,
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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: 23rd Michael Lazarus, 26th Iris Pyle, 28th Nancy Walker, 28th Shirley Manwaring, 29th Sven Gray-Sui.

Anniversaries: 28th: John & Maria Gandey.



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.

Prayer List

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.

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.

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".

FINDING SPIRITUAL WHOLENESS

This six week workshop will give you tools to better understand how you think. You will learn about some of the patterns which have influenced your life and shaped the person you are.

Saturdays—7th November to 12 December 2020: 9.00am to 10.30am (NSW time)
Cost: \$20 or what you can afford. Venue: St. James Hall 41 Pearl Street, Kingscliff.

Contact: John Power 0403 905 543 johnpower9@gmail.com to register.

Please see Church notice board for more details.

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.