

Psalm 62.5-12

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- ⁵ Nevertheless, my soul, wait in silence for God:
for from him comes my hope.
- ⁶ **He only is my rock and my salvation:
my strong tower, so that I shall not be moved.**
- ⁷ In God is my deliverance and my glory:
God is my strong rock and my shelter.
- ⁸ **Trust in him at all times, O my people:
pour out your hearts before him, for God is our refuge.**
- ⁹ The children of Adam are but breath, the children of earth are a lie:
place them in the scales and they fly upward, they are as light as air.
- ¹⁰ **Put no trust in extortion, do not grow worthless by robbery:
if riches increase, set not your heart upon them.**
- ¹¹ God has spoken once, twice have I heard him say:
that power belongs to God,
- ¹² **That to the Lord belongs a constant goodness:
for you reward each one of us according to our works.**

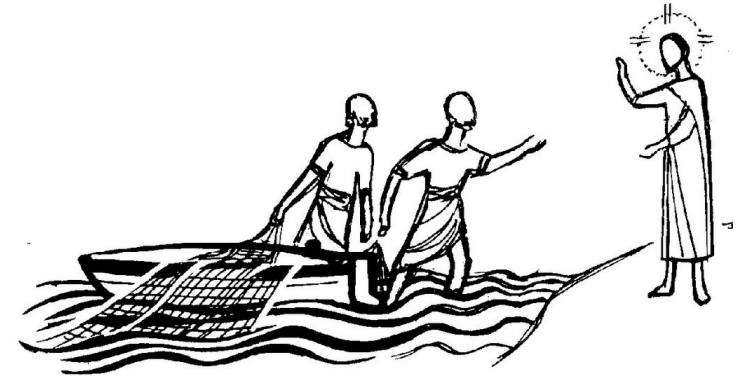


St. Cuthbert's Anglican Church Tweed Heads

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

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
24th January 2021

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.

An Epiphany Blessing

May Christ the Son of God be
manifest to you, that your lives
may be a light to the world;
and the blessing of God
Almighty, the Father, the Son,
and the Holy Spirit, be among
you and remain with you
always. **Amen.**

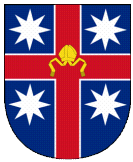
Sentence: The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent, and believe in the gospel. Mark 1.15

Collect: Bountiful God, through your Son you have called us to repent of our sin, to believe the good news, and to celebrate the coming of your kingdom: teach us, like Christ's first apostles, to hear the call to discipleship, and, forsaking old ways, to proclaim the gospel of new life to a broken world; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Readings for Today:

Jonah 3.1-10; Psalm 62.5-12; 1 Corinthians 7.29-31; Mark 1.14-20.

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 31st January 2021—Fourth Sunday After Epiphany
Deuteronomy 18.15-20; Psalm 111; 1 Corinthians 8.1-13; Mark 1.21-28.

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Weekly Service: Sunday 9am COVID-19 Safety Plan in place.

Reflection

What we do matters. It matters to ourselves, each other and to God. The people of Nineveh responded to Jonah's warning of destruction by donning sackcloth, sitting in ashes and going without food or water. The king hopes that if his citizens turned from their evil ways then God would change his mind. God does change his mind. Is God capricious or does God hear and respond to his people? In much the same way, Jesus calls for our repentance and belief in the gospel. The time is near when we will have to choose to follow Jesus just like the fisherfolk he called.

- Pray that we have ears to listen to the urgency of God's call to us to live in the faith of Jesus Christ. We ask that we too could leave all things that weigh us down and follow Jesus.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Anglican Council

*Text: The Rev Kate Ross, St John's Cathedral, Brisbane ©
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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.'

SCRABBLE GROUP NOTICE

Scrabble will re-commence on the first Friday in February (5th) at 9.30 NSW time. Please bring your 'Cheat Sheets', dictionaries and own cushion and mug. New members welcome. Barbara Marr 0407 593 503.

CRAFT GROUP

Craft group will meet up for lunch on Monday, 1st February 2021 at Tweed Heads Bowls Club. If you will be attending, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the table at the entrance to the Church. For more information, please see Margaret Blaney.

Personal Notes

BIRTHDAYS: 26th: Tony de Kievit; 27th: Pamela Ayscough.

YEARS MIND: 27th: Bob Morisset.



Prayer List

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

Bishop David McCall, Betty Bell, Kevin Stuckings, John French, Daphne Hawtin, Maria Gandey, Fay Flaherty, Loretta Flaherty, Joy Kendrick, Iris Pyle, Jacqueline Kerr, Andrew, Val Chapman, Barbara, Cressa Bartosek, Margaret Dudgeon, Trish Hooley, David Leigh, Cliff Boyd, Janis Hepburn, Liz Tanke, Wynn Gilliland, Christine Charlton, Ruth Conlan, Brian Scrase, Colin Hawtin, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Elan, Robyn Hobson, Susan & Bob Gale, Tony de Kievit.

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

Booking in to the 9am Service

Worship time will continue with one 9.00am service only on Sunday mornings.

At our Parish Council meeting on 17/01/2021 it was decided to adopt a new system for checking in.

From Sunday 31st January 2021, we will no longer require phoning to book in. Regular worshippers will be on a list to be checked off at the door and anyone not on the list can add their name and phone number at the door. We trust this will simplify the booking in process. Please call me if you have any queries. God Bless Dway

COVID-19 Update

We have a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place.

Worship time will continue with one 9.00am service only on Sunday mornings.

With the 2sq. metre rule from 13th December we will be able to have 160 people in Church.

Singing will still be restricted.

Face masks are still recommended.

It is recommended you download the COVID Safe App if you feel comfortable doing so.

Cleaning will still be required after each time the Church is used.

Recording of attendance will still be required.

Please feel free to call me if you have any queries. God Bless Dway.

NOTICE of Parish Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 21st February 2021 commencing at 10:30am. Event coordinators, **Reports for the AGM** should now have been received into the Parish Office. Thank you.

NOMINATION FOR PARISH COUNCIL

Nomination forms for Parish Council are on the table at the entrance to the Church. If you would like to nominate a parishioner to be elected to Parish Council for 2021, please speak to them and seek their permission.

2021 Planning

Ash Wednesday 17th February 2021

Good Friday 2nd April 2021

Easter Day 4th April 2021

Details of services and events will be advised closer to the time. For queries please contact Rev. Dway Ph. 07 5536 1060 or email priest@stcuthbertschurch.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 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.