

Psalm 72: 1-7, 10-14

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- ¹ Give the king your judgement, O God: and your righteousness to the son of a king,
- ² **That he may judge your people rightly: and the poor of the land with equity.**
- ³ Let the mountains be laden with peace because of his righteousness: and the hills also with prosperity for his people.
- ⁴ **May he give justice to the poor among the people: and rescue the children of the needy, and crush the oppressor.**
- ⁵ May he live while the sun endures: and while the moon gives light, throughout all generations.
- ⁶ **May he come down like rain upon the new-mown fields: and as showers that water the earth.**
- ⁷ In his time shall righteousness flourish: and abundance of peace, till the moon shall be no more.
- ¹⁰ **The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall bring tribute: the kings of Sheba and Seba shall offer gifts**
- ¹¹ All kings shall fall down before him: and all nations do him service.
- ¹² **He will deliver the needy when they cry: and the poor that have no helper.**
- ¹³ He will pity the helpless and the needy: and save the lives of the poor.
- ¹⁴ **He will redeem them from oppression and violence: and their blood shall be precious in his sight.**



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.

THE EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD
2ND JANUARY 2022

W E L C O M E



Sentence: Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. Isaiah 60.1

Collect: Lord God of the nations,
we have seen the star of your glory rising in splendour;
may the brightness of your incarnate Word
pierce the night that covers the earth,
signal the dawn of justice and peace,
and beckon all nations to walk as one in your light.
We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Word made flesh,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
in the splendour of eternal light, God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Readings for Today:

Isaiah 60: 1-6; Psalm 72: 1-7, 10-14; Ephesians 3: 1-12; Matthew 2: 1-12

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

A Prayer at this Time

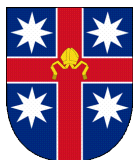
Loving God,
source of healing and comfort,
at this time of fear, fill us with your grace,
that the sick may be made whole,
the virus contained and the vaccines be
effectively distributed. Strengthen those who
care for the sick, calm the anxious, and
protect the most vulnerable in the power of
the Spirit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

Prayers of the Week

Almighty God, by whom the world has been filled
with the light of your incarnate Word: grant, we
pray, that as he kindles the flame of faith and love
in our hearts so his light may shine forth in our
lives; who now lives and reigns with you in the
unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

O God, by the leading of a star you manifested
your only-begotten Son to the Gentiles: mercifully
grant, that we, who know you now by faith, may
after this life be led to the vision of your glorious
Godhead; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **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 9th January 2022 — The Baptism of Our Lord
Isaiah 43: 1-7; Psalm 29; Acts 8: 14-17; Luke 3: 15-22

Reflection

For anyone who wants a bit of glitz and glamour with their Christmas story, today's the day. What must have Mary and Joseph made of their exotic visitors? What we do know about the visitors is that they were overjoyed when the star hovered over the place where the Holy Family was because they knew that they were close to the long-looked for Jesus. But with all the joy, something unsettling, perhaps even sinister – the Cross foretold in the gift of myrrh, the unguent used for embalming corpses. What would Mary and Joseph have made of that?

- Lord, no matter how far I might have to travel to look for you, or how long I might have to spend to find you, may my heart always be filled with joy because of you.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Kenya.

Text: Robert McLean
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Singing Group

Singing Group has Resumed.
Any queries please see Tricia Townend

Craft / Friendship Group

Will resume in the New Year.
Any queries please see Margaret Blaney.

Scrabble Group

A get together at South Tweed Sports Club has been organised on Friday 21ST January, at 11.30am for a luncheon to plan the New Year. Many thanks Barbara Marr

Personal Notes

Birthdays: 1st Beryl Burns, 3rd Belinda McIntosh,
5th Glynnis Gamble

Anniversaries: 4th Brook & Maria Koopmans,
5th Ross & Del Johnson

Give thanks for the life of : Madge Cook



Prayer List

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

Bill Wordsworth, Neil Callaghan, Alan Hampson, Louise Talbot, Kevin Turner, Bryan Osborne, Alan Wyatt, Wendy Crook, Anne Davies, Marie Gill, Betty Hagen, Betty Bell, John French, Daphne Hawtin, Fay Flaherty, Loretta Flaherty, Joy Kendrick, Iris Pyle, Jacqueline Kerr, Val Chapman, Barbara, Cressa Bartosek, Margaret Dudgeon, Trish Hooley, David Leigh, Cliff Boyd, Janis Hepburn, Wynn Gilliland, Christine Charlton, Brian Scrase, Colin Hawtin, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Elan, Robyn Hobson, 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*

Coming up in 2022

Sunday	20 th February	@ 9.00pm	Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School will be joining us for Worship
Sunday	27 th February	@ 10.30pm	Parish AGM
Wednesday	2 nd March	@ 10.00am 6.00pm	Ash Wednesday Services
TBA			Lenten Studies "Conversations with Our Awesome God"
Sat-Sun	5 th & 6 th March	TBA	Diocese Governance conference
Sunday	17 th April		Easter Day
Wednesday	27 th April	TBA	Alpha Course Begins (Adult introduction to Christianity)

COVID-19 Update - Current Restrictions in Place as of the 15th December

Check in is required in places of Worship
Face Masks must be worn indoors.
Singing will resume for all.

Social distancing is recommended but there are no limits on attendance.
Morning Tea will continue in the Breezeway. During regular Sunday Worship.
Please feel free to call Parish Office on 07 5536 1060 if you have any queries.

Lectionaries for 2022

Are available at the back of the church. \$15.00each

Notice of Parish Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting will be held on
Sunday 27th February 2022 commencing at 10:30am.

Would all event coordinators please have your reports for the AGM into the Parish Office by
Friday, 21st January 2022 Thank you.

Supporting our Parish Ministry

**A Big Thank You to All who financially support our Parish either at Worship or electronically.
We now have a new Bank Account with the Commonwealth Bank.**

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

Name: ST CUTHBERT'S ANGLICAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA TWEED HEADS
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