## Psalm 14

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- <sup>1</sup> Fools have said in their hearts 'There is no God': they have all become vile and abominable in their doings, there is not one that does good.
- <sup>2</sup> The Lord looked down from heaven upon the children of Adam: to see if there were any who would act wisely and seek after God.
- <sup>3</sup> But they have all turned out of the way, they have all alike become corrupt: there is none that does good, no not one.
- <sup>4</sup> Are all the evildoers devoid of understanding: who eat up my people as they eat bread, and do not pray to the Lord?
- <sup>5</sup> They shall be struck with terror: for God is with the company of the righteous.
- <sup>6</sup> Though they frustrate the poor in their hopes: surely the Lord is their refuge.
- <sup>7</sup> O that deliverance for Israel might come forth from Zion: when the Lord turns again the fortunes of his people, then shall Jacob rejoice and Israel be glad.

## Prayer of the Week

O God, without you we are not able to please you: mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

# A Parish Prayer for Growth

God of Mission, Who alone brings growth to your Church, Send your Holy Spirit to give Vision to our planning, Wisdom to our actions, and Power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community, We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

# A Prayer for Faith

Loving God, I bring before you,

I pray that they would come to accept Jesus into their life. Give them Joy and Peace in knowing You through Jesus and help them to be guided by the Holy Spirit, seeking to follow Jesus in all that they do. **Amen.** 

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# **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 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022 — Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost Jeremiah 8: 18-9.1; Psalm 79: 1-9; 1 Timothy 2: 1-10; Luke 16: 1-13



# 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.

# FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 11<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022

# WELCOME



**Sentence:** I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.

Collect: Undaunted you seek the lost, O God,

exultant you bring home the found:
touch our hearts with grateful wonder
at the tenderness of your forbearing love;
grant us delight in the mercy that has found us;

and bring all to rejoice at the feast of forgiven sinners.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in

the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

# Readings for Today:

Jeremiah 4: 11-12, 22-28; Psalm 14; 1 Timothy 1: 1-2, 12-19a; Luke 15: 1-10

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#### Reflection

This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them. The Pharisees' jibe is something that Jesus may well have worn as a badge of honour. How lucky for us that this fellow Jesus does precisely that. Were it up to our own level of righteousness we would never be able to feast with Jesus, but that is what he calls us to do week by week at the Eucharistic feast. What a joy that is. George Herbert expresses his eagerness for the Eucharist in his 1633 poem, The Banquet:

Welcome sweet and sacred cheer, Welcome deare; With me, in me, live and dwell: For thy neatnesse passeth sight, Thy delight Passeth tongue to taste or tell.

- Lord Jesus Christ, Priest and Victim in the Eucharistic feast, feed me now and forever. May I always be eager to receive you.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

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# Faithfulness in Service Training

Saturday 24th September 2022, 10am to 12 noon. The training will be held in the Church. Very important training, please put your name on the list at the Church to register.



#### **BCA Box Return**

Please start returning your BCA boxes during the month of September Please place these in the marked box next to the offertory box in church. Thank you all for your continued support. Mission Secretary.

# Scrabble Group

Meets every Friday Morning in the Church Hall at 9 30am Everyone is welcome. Any queries please see Barbara Marr

#### Craft / Friendship Group

Meets every Monday afternoon Twice a month we will meet for a Coffee/Lunch at Club Tweed This month at Club Tweed is 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> September at 12.30pm Everyone is welcome to come and join us.

#### Singing Group

Singing Group will be meeting on the second Thursday of each month Our next rehearsal is Thursday 13th October. Starting at 4.30pm Any queries please see Tricia Townend.

# Personal Notes

13<sup>th</sup> Jan Murphy, 13<sup>th</sup> Mike Nash, Birthdays: 14<sup>th</sup> Dawn Leigh, 14<sup>th</sup> Shirley O'Brien

14<sup>th</sup> Ruth Conlan Years Mind:



### **Praver List**

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

Glynnis Gamble, Martina Benzen, Gwyneth Clarke, Mavis Johnson, Erica Crompton, Stephen Blaney, Chrissie Carroll, Bill Wordsworth, Louise Talbot, Bryan Osborne, Alan Wyatt, Wendy Crook, Betty Hagen, Betty Bell, Daphne Hawtin, Fay Flaherty, Loretta Flaherty, Joy Kendrick, Iris Pyle, Jacqueline Kerr, Val Chapman, Barbara, Cressa Bartosek, Margaret Dudgeon, Trish Hooley, Cliff Boyd, Janis Hepburn, Wynn Gilliland, Christine Charlton, Colin Hawtin, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Elan, Robyn Hobson, Tony de Kievit.

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

## A prayer on the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

Gracious God, we give thanks for the life of your servant Queen Elizabeth, for her faith and her dedication to duty. Bless our nation as we mourn her death and may her example continue to inspire us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Coming up in 2022

Wednesdays @ 8.30am & 6.00pm Alpha Continues (on 21/09/2022) 18<sup>th</sup> September @ 10.30am Parish Council Meeting Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September @ 10.00am Faithfulness in Service Training Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> October Sunday **Cursillo Regener8 Weekend** 23<sup>rd</sup> October @ 9.00am Bishop Murray will be joining us Sunday 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> November Sat-Sun **Diocese Governance Conference** 

#### Mothers Union September Meeting, 21st September.

Julian, the Manager from Fred's Place, will be our quest speaker. Because so many parishioners generously donate food each week, you might be interested in hearing a bit more about the work of Fred's Place and what happens to your donations. After the 10am service MU will be serving a delicious morning tea and then Julian will speak. Please mark the date in your diaries and come along.

#### **Diocesan Ordinations**

Saturday 15th October 2022 at 11.00am Christchurch Cathedral Grafton Please Pray for Mrs Ruth Pobjoy & Ms Amanda Larkin to be ordained as Deacons. Please Pray for Rev. Aaron Coates to be ordained a Priest.

#### Cursillo — Regener8 Invitation

It's on again. Our second Regener8 weekend. It's all about: GRACE Where: Grafton Cathedral Parish Centre Grafton When: 22nd - 23rd October 2022 Who: All Cursillistas plus friends

**How Much:** \$50 for food and incidentals + you book your own accommodation. For more information contact: Desley Ryan 0412739695, Rev. Rhonda 0428197659

# COVID-19 Update - Current Restrictions in Place as of the 25<sup>th</sup> February

Face Masks are recommended but not mandatory.

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

### **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

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

BSB: 064410 Account No.:10395636

Please call Rev. Dway on 07 5536 1060 or Treasurer Margaret Bishop on 0413 993 923 if you have any queries, or would like to discuss this further.