Psalm 114

- ¹ When Israel came out of Egypt: and the house of Jacob from among a people of an alien tongue,
- ² Judah became his sanctuary: and Israel his dominion.
- ³ The sea saw that, and fled: Jordan was driven back.
- ⁴ The mountains skipped like rams: and the little hills like young sheep.
- ⁵ What ailed you, O sea, that you fled: O Jordan, that you were driven back?
- ⁶ You mountains, that you skipped like rams: and you little hills like young sheep?
- ⁷ Tremble, O earth, at the presence of the Lord: at the presence of the God of Jacob,
- ⁸ Who turned the rock into a pool of water: and the flint-stone into a welling spring.

TCCEA - SRE Teachers Please continue to pray for Tweed Coast Christian Education Association Special Religious Education Teachers

Emmanuel Anglican Church Nigeria Let us continue to pray for Emmanuel Anglican Church, Owerre-Umudioka, Orlu, Nigeria.

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.**

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 24th September 2023 — Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost Exodus 16: 2-15; Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45; Philippians 1; Matthew 20: 1-16



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.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 17TH SEPTEMBER 2023

WELCOME



Sentence: If you, O Lord, should note what we do wrong, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered. Psalm 130.3-4

Collect:

O God, you call your church to witness that in Christ we are reconciled to you: help us so to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may turn to you; 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:

Exodus 14: 19-31; Psalm 114; Romans 14: 1-14; Matthew 18: 21-35

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Reflection

Both today's psalm and the alternative canticle remind us of the Easter Vigil where the Church celebrates the exodus of the Israelites from Egypt. This miracle is the focus of the Jewish Passover. The Psalmist tells us that God is powerful enough to have turned the 'rock into a pool of water and the flint-stone into a welling spring'. If we look, we can find those times where God has caused miracles to happen in our own lives. There are probably times, if we look carefully enough, when God has done something miraculous for our country. Let us all be attentive this week to see where we can find God's miracles in our own lives, among our friends and families and within Australia.

- Lord, help me to find miracles, both big and small, in the world.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Korea, the Daehan Seong Gong Hoe.

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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**

News from the Diocese

Installation of Canons

Wednesday 20th September 2023 10:00am Christ Church Cathedral Grafton

Diocesan Ordination Service

Saturday 28th October 11.00am. The Rev'd Ruth Pobjoy and the Rev'd Mandy Larkin will be ordained priests at Christ Church Cathedral Grafton.

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 4th & 18th 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 12th October **Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time**. Any queries please see Tricia Townend.

Personal Notes

Birthdays:

18th Ted Bates, 22nd John Reid, 23rd Louise Talbot



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

Kelly Standing, Elsie McGrath, Edward Kay, Jeri & Tony de Kievit, Matthew Read, Glynnis Gamble, Gwyneth Clarke, Mavis Johnson, Stephen Blaney, Chrissie Carroll, Bill Wordsworth, Louise Talbot, Alan Wyatt, Wendy Crook, Betty Hagen, Betty Bell, Fay Flaherty, Loretta Flaherty, Joy Kendrick, Iris Pyle, Val Chapman, Cressa Bartosek, Cliff Boyd, Janis Hepburn, Wynn Gilliland, Christine Charlton, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Elan, Robyn Hobson.

Church is committed to protecting your privacy. People on this list have requested prayer. <u>Please contact the Parish Office for any changes to the Prayer List</u>

Coming up				
Today	17 th Sept	2023 @ 10.30am	Parish Council Meeting	
Today	17 th Sept	2023 @ 4.00pm	Hub Baptist Church Food Truck 4pm Worship Service 5pm	
Wednesday	20 th Sept	2023 @ 10.30pm	Mothers Union Meeting	
Sunday	24 th Sept	2023 @ 9.00am	Godly Play	
Sunday	15 th Oct	2023 @ 4.30pm	Spiritual Gym @ Lindisfarne Mahers Lane	
Sunday	21 ^{st-} 22 nd October 2023		(4.30pm Refreshments, 5.30 Service) Cursillo Regener8 Weekend	

Mothers Union Meeting Wednesday 20th September

Our guest speaker in September will be Karen Howell who is the President of CWA, Coolangatta. Karen is a very good speaker and members of the parish are invited to come along and hear her. Eucharist at 10am, Morning Tea in the hall then back into the church to hear Karen speak. All are invited and most welcome.

Godly Play

Sundays 9.00am, **next dates are 24th Sept**, **29th Oct**, **26th Nov**, **24th Dec**. Godly Play: What is it? "In most religious education children are told what God did. In Godly Play children discover who God is." Children from ages 4 to 11 are welcome to join in.

Monthly Spiritual Gym — Hosted by the Anglican Parishes of the Tweed Next Dates: 15th October, 5th November, 3rd December

Where: Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School Chapel, Time: 4.30pm Refreshments, 5.00pm Service St James Kingscliff, St Cuthbert's Tweed Heads, All Saints Murwillumbah, Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School



BCA September money box return.

Two more weeks before the end of the month to get your boxes in. Please place them in the basket in the church. Thank you for your ongoing support of this important ministry. Pamela Ayscough Mission Secretary.

Cursillo — Regener8 Invitation

It's on again. Our Regener8 weekend. It's all about: **"The Seed of Life"** Where: Grafton Cathedral Parish Centre Grafton When: 21st - 22nd October 2023 Who: All Cursillistas plus friends How Much: \$50 for food and incidentals + you book your own accommodation. For more information contact: Desley Ryan 0412739695

Supporting our Parish Ministry

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