

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 on 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!

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.

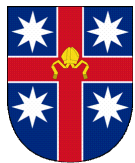
A Parish Prayer for Growth

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 5th November 2023 — Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost
Joshua 3: 7-17; Psalm 107: 1-7, 33-37; 1 Thessalonians 3: 5-13; Matthew 23: 1-12



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-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
29TH OCTOBER 2023

WELCOME



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

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Weekly Services: Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

Reflection

Psalms 90, one of the most poetic in the whole psalter, helps us to see our place as time-bound creations compared to God our creator, of whom the Psalmist writes, 'a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday passing, or like one watch of the night'. The Psalmist knows that God is far beyond us in every way, and so his response is: 'O satisfy us early with your mercy, that all our days we may rejoice and sing'. He knows we need God's mercy because without it there would be no prospect of rejoicing. May God always extend mercy to us, for without it we would perish.

- Thank you for your mercy, Lord. Let me rejoice and sing of your grace to me.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of WontulpBi-Buya College in Cairns and Nungalinga College in Darwin.

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Prayer of the Week

Almighty and everlasting God, give to us the increase of faith, hope and love; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us to love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

News from the Diocese

30th Anniversary of the Ordination of Women in the Diocese of Grafton

Listen to Stories of women ordained in the Diocese with a podcast series entitled "Called by God"
<https://www.buzzsprout.com/197736>

Details of the Service to be held:-

Date: Saturday 2nd December 2023 Time: 10:00am

Place: Christ Church Cathedral Grafton

Followed by Refreshments and Keynote Speaker: Dr Muriel Porter OAM

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.
Next month at Club Tweed is 6th & 20th November 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 9th November
Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time.
Any queries please see Tricia Townend.

Personal Notes

Birthdays: 29th Sven Gray-Sui, 30th Bob Stainlay, 1st Del Johnson
2nd Val Chapman, 3rd Joy Kendrick, 4th Desley Ryan



Wedding Anniversary: 31st Des & Veryl Bennell

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.

Please contact the Parish Office for any changes to the Prayer List

Coming up

Today	29 th Oct	2023 @	9.00am	Godly Play
Saturday	4 th Nov	2023 @	9.00am	Working Bee
Sunday	5 th Nov	2023 @	4.30pm	Spiritual Gym @ Lindisfarne Mahers Lane (4.30pm Refreshments, 5.00 Service)
Wednesday	15 th Nov	2023 @	10.00am	Mothers Union Service / Meeting
Sunday	19 th Nov	2023 @	10.30am	Parish Council Meeting

Working Bee

Saturday 4th November 2023 at 9.00am
There will be jobs to do inside and outside the church.
Many hands make Light Work.

Mothers Union Christmas Cards

"MU Christmas Cards have arrived. If you ordered cards, would you please see Maria Gandey. Payment of the amount owing is shown on the envelope with the cards. Thank you"

Godly Play

Sundays 9.00am, **next dates are 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: 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

Lectionaries for 2024

Lectionaries for 2024 have arrived and are available at the back of the Church. Payments can be made with the envelope provided in the Lectionary and placed in the offertory.

Fashion Parade

Where: All Saints Anglican Church Murwillumbah

When: 18th November at 2.00pm Fashions by Belle M Boutique

Admission: \$15.00 **Call Elizabeth to book 0422823259.** Afternoon tea & a glass of champagne.

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
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.