

## Psalm 100

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- O shout to the Lord in triumph, all the earth: serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his face with songs of joy.**
- Know that the Lord he is God: it is he who has made us and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.**
- Come into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: give thanks to him, and bless his holy name.**
- For the Lord is good, his loving mercy is for ever: his faithfulness throughout all generations.**

### Christmas Service Times

<b>Sunday</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> December	@	4.30pm	<b>Community Christmas Service (Lindisfarne)</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	24 <sup>th</sup> December	@	6.00pm	<b>Family Service</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	24 <sup>th</sup> December	@	10.00pm	<b>Traditional Mass</b>
<b>Monday</b>	25 <sup>th</sup> December	@	9.00am	<b>Christmas Celebration</b>

### Wedding

Please pray for Michelle and John who are getting married here at St Cuthberts this afternoon.

### 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.

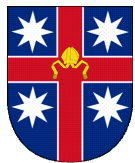
### A Parish Prayer for Growth

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,  
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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 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2023 — First Sunday of Advent  
Isaiah 64: 1-9; Psalm 80: 1-7, 17-19; 1 Corinthians 1: 1-9; Mark 13: 24-37



## 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.

**CHRIST THE KING / THE REIGN OF CHRIST**  
**26<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

*WELCOME*



**Sentence:** O shout to the Lord in triumph all the earth. Serve the Lord with gladness and come before his face with songs of joy. Psalm 100.1

### Collect:

God of power and love, who raised your Son Jesus from death to life, resplendent in glory to rule over all creation: free the world to rejoice in his peace, to glory in his justice, and to live in his love. Unite the human race in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### Readings for Today:

Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24; Psalm 100; Ephesians 1: 15-23; Matthew 25: 31-46

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### Reflection

The image of Christ as King can seem antithetical to how we see and understand Jesus. He is not concerned about power and status but rather caring for all with food, drink, clothing and welcome. This image is replicated by the prophet Ezekiel with God as shepherd searching for and seeking out the sheep. When we are gathered together in the presence of God we share in what has been prepared for us and we are blessed.

- God, bring me with the angels into the presence of your glory.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Episcopal Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East

Text: Fr Matthew Smedley, Diocese of Perth  
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### Prayer of the Week

Stir up, we pray you, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people, that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded, 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 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2023 Time: 10:00am

Place: Christ Church Cathedral Grafton

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/748834352707?aff=oddtcreator>

In order to mark the occasion, we will be having a celebratory Eucharist at 10 am with Sister Linda Mary CSC and the Reverend Jan McLeod presiding and Archdeacon Emeritus Gail Hagon preaching. After the Eucharist, there will be lunch with a keynote address from the Reverend Dr Colleen O'Reilly.

#### 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 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> December 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 7<sup>th</sup> December  
**Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time.**  
Any queries please see  
Tricia Townend.

### Personal Notes

**Birthdays:** 27<sup>th</sup> Elsie McGrath

**Years Mind:** 27<sup>th</sup> Gavin Talbot, 1<sup>st</sup> Barry Shields



### Prayer List

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

Jasmine Adams, 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

<b>Today</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	2023 @	9.00am	<b>Godly Play</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	2023 @	4.30pm	<b>Spiritual Gym @ Lindisfarne Mahers Lane (4.30pm Refreshments, 5.00 Service)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2023 @	9.00am	<b>Working Bee</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2023 @	10.30am	<b>Parish Council Meeting</b>

### Monthly Spiritual Gym — Hosted by the Anglican Parishes of the Tweed

**Next Dates:** 3<sup>rd</sup> December — Carols Service

**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

### Nativity Sets Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School Display. 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2023

We are excited to announce that our school will be hosting a special Nativity Christmas display in the chapel. We are kindly asking for the loan of your Nativity Christmas sets to be used in our display. If you are willing to lend your Nativity set for this purpose, please drop it off at Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School receptions from November 10. Please be assured that every effort will be made to handle your sets with the utmost care and respect.

Thank you in advance for your usual support. **Rev Constantine Osuchukwu Chaplain**

### Christmas Bowl Campaign 2023.



From next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December envelopes will be handed out each week through the month of December. Please place filled envelopes into the offertory. Unused envelopes should be returned to the box on the church table for recycling. Thank you for your continued support. Pamela Ayscough, mission secretary.

### View Club Christmas Service

View Club held their Christmas Service here on Friday and donated \$229.00 for local Charities.

### Mothers Union Rise Up campaign 25th November-10th December 2023

There are around 4 million Mother's Union members in 84 countries working to strengthen families, serve their communities and advocate for building a future where everyone thrives. In 2023 we have launched an international campaign called RISE UP Against Domestic Abuse to raise awareness amongst churches that abuse is never okay. Visit our website for more information: <https://www.mothersunion.org/riseup>  
Created in his image, each of us and all of us. Created for good, for relationship, for community. Created to care for, support, honour and respect one another as we recognize God's image in each other. No 'buts' and no exceptions of age, gender, ability, colour, background, education, ethnicity or religion. All made in God's image, and that is very good! *Creator God, we thank you that we are all made in your image, and equally loved by you. Open our eyes to see your face in those of our sisters and brothers. Amen*

### Christmas Festival Concert

NRSO Strings and Coolamon Choir & Soloists Selections from the Messiah & Community Carols.  
Bass Soloist Ian Holston Adults \$45.00-Students \$20.00 Children under 18 Free.  
Fund Raising Concert for the Orchestra. Date: 10th December 2023 Time: 2.30pm NSW time.

### 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.