

Psalm 23

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- ¹ The Lord is my shepherd: therefore can I lack nothing.
- ² **He will make me lie down in green pastures: and lead me beside still waters.**
- ³ He will refresh my soul: and guide me in right pathways for his name's sake.
- ⁴ **Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for you are with me, your rod and your staff comfort me.**
- ⁵ You spread a table before me in the face of those who trouble me: you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.
- ⁶ **Surely your goodness and loving-kindness will follow me all the days of my life: and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.**

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.

Birthday Party—Parishioner Cressa Bartosek would like to invite everyone to Club Tweed to share with her on her Birthday on Friday 16th May at 6:00pm

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.**

Prayers for our Grafton Diocese

This week let us pray for: Our Bishop: The Right Reverend Dr Murray Harvey, Our Parish: St Cuthberts, Our School: Lindsfame Anglican Grammar School, Our Local Area: The Tweed Network including parishes of Tweed Heads, Kingscliff, Murwillumbah & Lindsfame

**The Parish of Mid Richmond and the People and Clergy there,
The Diocese of North West Australia
Bishop Darrell Parker, clergy and laity
The Diocese of Grafton and the Household of Deacons
The Anglican Men's Society**



Readings for Wednesday 14th May 2025: Acts 12.24-13.5, Psalm 67, John 12.44-50

Readings for 18th May 2025 — Fifth Sunday of Easter
Acts 11: 1-8; Psalm 148; Revelation 21: 1-6; John 13: 31-35



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.

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
11th MAY 2025**

WELCOME



Sentence:

The Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.
Revelation 7.17

Collect:

Gracious God,
you sent Jesus, the good shepherd, to gather us together: may we not wander from his flock, but follow wherever he leads us, listening for his voice and staying near him, until we are safely in your fold, to live with you for ever;
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:

Acts 9: 36-43; Psalm 23; Revelation 7: 9-17; John 10: 22-30

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Weekly Services: Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

Reflection

The religious authorities confront Jesus at the Temple, demanding that he tell them unequivocally whether or not he is the Messiah. Jesus doesn't play whatever game it is they want him to play and declares that he has clearly told them but they have not believed. The works that he has done have been in the Father's name but, despite that, they have not believed. They, he unequivocally tells them, are not of his flock.

- Lord, may I always remain one of your flock by following you wherever you lead me.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Anglican Church of Melanesia

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Prayer of the Week

God of peace,
who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep,
through the blood of the everlasting covenant: make us perfect in every good work to do
your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Safe Church Awareness Workshop—Saturday 24th May 2025—9am to 4pm

BYO Lunch and Morning tea provided. List for names in Church.
This training is required for all who hold positions within the life of the Parish.

Godly Play Core Training—7-9 July 2025

Lindisfarne Anglican School is offering a 3 day training course for those hoping to use Godly Play in the life of their church or family. The course is suitable for parish workers, teachers, chaplains and others.
Please see poster on the noticeboard or more information or contact Rev'd Kathrin Koning at kathrinkoning62@gmail.com

Craft / Friendship Group

Meets every Monday afternoon, twice a month we will meet for a Coffee/Lunch at Club Tweed. Next meetings are at Club Tweed on 19th May and 2nd June. Everyone is welcome to come and join.

Singing Group

Singing Group will be meeting on the second Thursday of each month. Our next rehearsal is Thursday 12th June 2025. **Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time.** Any queries please see Tricia Townend.

Personal Notes

Birthdays: 12th Jenny Connell & Evelyn Rigney, 16th Neil Duncan
Years Mind: 12th Fred Bell



Prayer List

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

Marcia Eldridge, Jasmine Adams, Kelly Standing, Elsie McGrath, Edward Kay, Marilyn Sanders.
Jeri & Tony de Kievit, Matthew Read, Gwyneth Clarke, Stephen Blaney, Chrissie Carroll, Louise Talbot, Iris Pyle, Betty Bell, Wendy Crook, Fay Flaherty, Val Chapman, Cressa Bartosek, Cliff Boyd, Janis Hepburn, Val Wilson, Elan, Christine Charlton, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Robyn Hobson, Erica Crompton.

*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 2025

Saturday	24th May	9.00am	Safe Church Awareness Workshop
Sunday	1st June	4.30pm	Spiritual Gym at Lindisfarne
Sunday	8th June	9.00am	Pentecost—Lindisfarne Joining us for Worship
Saturday	23rd August	10.30am	Fashion Parade
Sunday	14th Sept	9:00am	Bp Murray coming for Patronal Festival



Mothers Union

Mothers Union is hosting its annual Quiet Day on Wednesday 21st May. The Quiet Day is open to any member of the parish who is interested in attending. Depending on numbers, it will be held at Palm Lake Resort in Banora Point. Details are in the leaflet in the pew bulletin. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of the church if you are coming. Everyone is welcome.

Cursillo Movement— Next Fire Day

The next Fire Day in our region will be on Saturday, 24th May at St John the Baptist Anglican Church, Lennox Head, 9.30am—3.00pm. Please see poster on noticeboard.

HOPE 25

From Easter Day to Pentecost (8 June 2025) we will be having a number of events where we can invite family and friends to come and find out about the hope we have in Jesus.

Encounter—People Jesus met, then and now (7 sessions)

Wednesdays, 11.00am & 6.00pm

Hymns we love (5 sessions) Thursdays 1.30pm

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

Next Dates: 1st June, 3rd August

Where: Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School Chapel,

Time: 4.30^{pm} Refreshments, 5.00^{pm} Service

St James Kingscliff, St Cuthbert's Tweed Heads, All Saints Murwillumbah, Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School

Godly Play

Sundays 9.00am, next date is: TBA

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.

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.