

Psalm 148

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- ¹ Praise the Lord, praise the Lord from heaven: O praise him in the heights.
² **Praise him, all his angels: O praise him, all his host.**
³ Praise him, sun and moon: praise him, all you stars of light.
⁴ **Praise him, you highest heaven: and you waters that are above the heavens.**
⁵ Let them praise the name of the Lord: for he commanded and they were made.
⁶ **He established them for ever and ever: he made an ordinance which shall not pass away.**
⁷ O praise the Lord from the earth: praise him, you sea-monsters and all deeps;
⁸ **Fire and hail, mist and snow: and storm-wind fulfilling his command;**
⁹ Mountains and all hills: fruit trees and all cedars;
¹⁰ **Beasts of the wild, and all cattle: creeping things and winged birds;**
¹¹ Kings of the earth, and all peoples: princes, and all rulers of the world;
¹² **Young men and maidens: old folk and children together.**
¹³ Let them praise the name of the Lord: for his name alone is exalted.
¹⁴ **His glory is above earth and heaven: and he has lifted high the horn of his people.**
¹⁵ Therefore he is the praise of all his servants: of the children of Israel, a people that is near him. Praise the Lord.

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.**

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 Murwillumbah and the People and Clergy there,
The Diocese of Perth**

Archbishop Kay Goldsworthy, Diocesan Bishops, clergy and laity
**The Diocese of Grafton and the Representatives to the General Synod
SOMA (Sharing of Ministries Abroad)**



Readings for Wednesday 21st May 2025: Acts 15.1-6, Psalm 122, John 15.1-8

Readings for 25th May 2025 — Sixth Sunday of Easter
Acts 16.9-15; Psalm 67; Revelation 21.10-14, 21.22-22.5; John 14.23-29



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.

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
18th MAY 2025**

WELCOME



Sentence:

God is love, and those who abide in love abide in God, and God abides in them.

1 John 4.16.b

Collect:

We behold your glory, O God, in the love shown by your Son, lifted up on the cross and exalted on high: be glorified anew in the love we have for one another as disciples of the risen Lord Jesus, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Readings for Today:

Acts 11: 1-8; Psalm 148; Revelation 21: 1-6; John 13: 31-35

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Weekly Services: Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

Reflection

Jesus calls his disciples to love one another in the same way that he has loved them. How do we follow this new commandment? Do we embrace it, or do we leave it to others because we feel it's not really our thing? How can we break down our barriers so that love can radiate outwards from our hearts?

- Lord, help me to love others extravagantly, abundantly and lavishly, so that people may see you at work in my life.
- Give thanks for the work and witness of the Church of the Province of Central Africa.

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Prayer of the Week

Saving God,

who called your Church to witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us so to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be reconciled to you; through him who died for us and rose again and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **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:

19th Jan Stuckings & Cressa Bartosek,

21st Betty Bell, 23rd Brad Bishop



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

Wednesday	21st May	9.00am	Mothers Union Quiet Day
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
Sunday	14th Sept	9:00am	Bp Murray coming for Patronal Festival

Mothers Union—Quiet Day, Wednesday 21st May



Please put your name on the list at the back of the church if you are coming. If you are staying for lunch please meet at the church at 9am so that we can car share. If you are not staying for lunch and taking your own car, the address is Palm Lakes Resort (Tweed River), 2 Barneys Point Road, Banora Point. Use the code 13# at the gate and you will be directed where to park. If you have any queries please ring Yvonne or Sue.

BCA Lenten Appeal

Total raised from our Lenten Appeal was \$750, a great effort from our congregation, and thanks to all who contributed to this important mission..



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.