

Psalm 51.14-19

- 14 O Lord God of my salvation, deliver me from bloodshed: and my tongue shall sing of your righteousness.
- 15 **O Lord, open my lips: and my mouth shall proclaim your praise.**
- 16 You take no pleasure in sacrifice, or I would give it: burnt-offerings you do not want.
- 17 **The sacrifice of God is a broken spirit: a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.**
- 18 In your graciousness do good to Zion: rebuild the walls of Jerusalem.
- 19 **Then will you delight in right sacrifices, in burnt-offerings and oblations: then will they offer young bulls upon your altar.**

Readings for Next Sunday: FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 7.55-60; Psalm 31.1-5, 17-18; 1 Peter 2.11-25; John 14.1-14.

Readings for Wednesday 29th April: Acts 12.24-13.5; Psalm 67; John 12.44-50.

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 the staff and students in our Anglican Schools in the Diocese: Bishop Druitt College, Coffs Harbour; Clarence Valley Anglican School, South Grafton; Emmanuel Anglican College, Ballina; Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School, Terranora; St Columba Anglican School, Port Macquarie; Grafton Anglican Schools Commission.



We thank you for the precious gifts that you have placed in our care—our schools and the students in the schools, In this time of change and opportunity may we be responsible stewards, diligently seeking your wisdom, vision and inspiration. Amen



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 26TH APRIL 2026

WELCOME



Sentence: 'No one has greater love than this, than to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends,' says the Lord, 'if you do what I command you.'
John 14:13-14

Collect: O God, our ruler and guide, in whose hands are the destinies of this and every nation, we give you thanks for the freedoms we enjoy in this land and for those who laid down their lives to defend them: We pray that we and all the people of Australia, gratefully remembering their courage and their sacrifice, may have grace to live in a spirit of justice, of generosity, and of peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Readings for Today: ANZAC SERVICE

Micah 4.1-4; Psalm 51.14-19; Romans 5.1-8; John 15.9-17.

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Weekly Services:

Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

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.**

Craft / Friendship Group

Meets in the Hall on the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month. On the 1st and 3rd Monday of the month meet at Club Tweed for lunch at 12.30pm. Please see Margaret Blaney for more information.

Coming up in 2026

Sunday 3rd May 4.30pm Lindisfarne Spiritual Gym
Rev. Ron and Rev. Crystal Presiding and Preaching.
Sunday 24th May Anglicare Sunday

Reconciliation Week (27th May to 3rd June)

Prayer for a New Incumbent

Bountiful God, give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments, an encourager who will equip your people for ministry and enable us to fulfil our calling. Give to those who will choose, wisdom, discernment and patience and give to us warm and generous hearts for Jesus Christ's sake. **Amen.**

Singing Group

Singing Group will usually meet on the second Thursday of each month. However, our next rehearsal is Thursday 7th May 2026. **Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time.** Any queries please see Tricia Townend.

SAFE MINISTRY TRAINING

Thank you to all those who have updated their relevant training and information required by the Diocese. When training dates are available these will be published in the bulletin.

ANZAC SERVICE TODAY

Ross Johnson will be returning to play for us for this special service.



MONTHLY SAUSAGE SIZZLE!

Sausage sizzles will be held on the first Sunday of each month. Volunteers are required to assist in buying, setting up and cooking the BBQ. Expenses will be refunded (keep receipts). A roster will be drawn up. Please add your name to the list at the back of the church. Thank you.

OFFERTORY GIVING ENVELOPES

We are using re-cycled giving envelopes from previous years. Please collect these from the table at the rear of the church. Thank you.

MESSAGE FROM THE TREASURER

As all of our spending requires the authorisation of two people and a clear audit trail, we can no longer reimburse payments for goods purchased for the church by cash. Some banks have already stopped issuing or accepting cheques. As it is faster and more efficient, I request that receipts can be presented together with bank account name, BSB and account number. It is normal business practice to provide these details on an invoice and in fact, these details are printed on every cheque so it does not put your account in jeopardy. Thank you for your understanding.
Margaret Bishop

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

Next Date: 3rd May 2026.
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.

Fred's Place

Your ongoing support for non perishable items for Fred's place is greatly appreciated. Thank you to all who continue to donate.

M.U. NEWS

"Quiet Day" open to all parishioners and following the 10.00am service on Wednesday 20th May 2026 will be held in the church. Rev. Crystal will lead the day. After our quiet time please join us for lunch at Club Tweed. Everyone welcome.

Although small in number, our picnic in the park was enjoyed by all.

Personal Notices

Birthdays: 1st: Kevin Crompton
Anniversaries: 30th: Belinda and Peter Lincoln.
Years Mind: 27th: Bill Knight. 28th: Alexander Kerr.



Prayer List

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

Jim Boyd, Dorothy Olney, Barbara Marr, Robyn Morisset, Russell Trickey, Kelly Standing, Elsie McGrath, Edward Kay, Jeri & Tony de Kievit, Matthew Read, Gwyneth Clarke, Stephen Blaney, Chrissie Carroll, Wendy Crook, Fay Flaherty, Val Chapman, Cressa Bartosek, Val Wilson, Elan, Christine Charlton, Nancy Walker, Mervyn Fitzpatrick, Robyn Hobson, Ross Johnson, Jan Stuckings, Veryl Bennell.

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

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

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