

Psalm 119.105-112

- 105 Your word is a lantern to my feet: and a light to my path.
106 I have vowed and sworn an oath: to keep your righteous judgements.
107 I have been afflicted beyond measure: Lord, give me life according to your word.
108 Accept, O Lord, the freewill offerings of my mouth: and teach me your judgements.
109 I take my life in my hands continually: yet I do not forget your law.
110 The wicked have laid a snare for me: but I have not strayed from your precepts.
111 Your commands are my inheritance for ever: they are the joy of my heart.
112 I have set my heart to fulfil your statutes: always, even to the end.

Readings for Next Sunday: Eighth Sunday After Pentecost: Genesis 28.10-19a; Psalm 139.1-12, 23-24; Romans 8.12-25; Matthew 13.24-30 (31-33) 36-43.

Readings for Wednesday 22nd July: Song of Songs 3.1-4a; Psalm 63; 2 Corinthians 5.14-21; John 20.1-18.

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 Senior Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Canberra and Goulburn, the Parish of Kempsey, the Ministers and Lay Ministers. *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.

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 12TH JULY 2026

WELCOME



Sentence: The words you have spoken are spirit and life, O Lord; you have the words of eternal life. John 6.63, 68

Collect: Bountiful God, we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word: by your Holy Spirit, help us to receive it with joy, and to live according to it, that we may grow in faith and hope and love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Readings for Today: Seventh Sunday After Pentecost: Genesis 25.19-34; Psalm 119.105-112; Romans 8.1-11; Matthew 13.1-9 18-23.

Readings for Wednesday 15th July: Isaiah 10.5-7 13-16; Psalm 94.8-15; Matthew 11.25-27.

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Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

Prayer of the Week

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayer for our New Incumbent

Gracious God, we give thanks for the appointment of the Rev. Stephanie Patching who is to become the new Rector for St. Cuthbert's Anglican Church, Tweed Heads. We have been blessed that God has chosen Rev Stephanie to minister to our Parish and guide our spiritual journey in many different aspects of parish life.

Please pray for Rev Stephanie as she prepares for the move to St Cuthbert's. **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.

Singing Group

Singing Group will meet on the second Thursday of each month. Our next rehearsal is Thursday 13th August 2026. **Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time.** Any queries please see Tricia Townend.

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

Next Date: Sunday 9th August

Where: Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School Chapel,

Time: 4.30pm Refreshments,
5.00pm Service
St James Kingscliff,
St Cuthbert's Tweed Heads,
All Saints Murwillumbah,

Personal Notices

Birthdays: 15th: Lyn Teefy; 17th: Janyce Cooper.

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, 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

Coming up in 2026

Sunday 19th July
Saturday 25th July
Sunday 9th August

Parish Council Meeting
M.U. 150th Anniversary Celebration (Grafton)
Lindisfarne Spiritual Gym

Baptism



Rev. Constantine and Faith Osuchukwu invite all parishioners to the Baptism of their son, Kenechukwu Patrick on Saturday 18th July 2026 at 11.00am at St. James Church, Kingscliff.

Please see poster on notice board with more details.

M.U. NEWS

As we will be celebrating the 150th Anniversary of M.U. at the Cathedral in Grafton on Saturday 25th July 2026, there will be no M.U. meeting on Wednesday 15th July 2026. The normal Wednesday service will still be held at 10.00am.

Monthly Barbecue Roster

Thank you to those who have already volunteered, however, we need more people to make up a workable roster. Please contact a Warden for detailed information of what you can do to help. Thank you.

Anglicare are holding an Evacuation Centre Volunteer Training Day for community members on Saturday 25th July 2026 from 10.00am to 4.00pm. If you would like to assist in emergencies within the Tweed area please see Notice Board for more information.

COOLAMON SINGERS PRESENT ...

“MASS IN TIME OF WAR”
**Please see notice board
for more details.**

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR POSITION

The Parish is looking to employ a person part time for this position.

Duties will be Office related and assisting the Rector when required.

In the first instance please speak to Desley Ryan or John Gandey for further information. Thank you

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.