

Psalm 105.1-11

- 1 O give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name: tell among the peoples what things he has done.
- 2 **Sing to him, O sing praises: and be telling of all his marvellous works.**
- 3 Exult in his holy name: and let those that seek the Lord be joyful in heart.
- 4 **Seek the Lord and his strength: O seek his face continually.**
- 5 Call to mind what wonders he has done: his marvellous acts, and the judgements of his mouth,
- 6 **O seed of Abraham his servant: O children of Jacob his chosen one.**
- 7 For he is the Lord our God: and his judgements are in all the earth.
- 8 **He has remembered his covenant for ever: the word that he ordained for a thousand generations,**
- 9 The covenant that he made with Abraham: the oath that he swore to Isaac,
- 10 **And confirmed it to Jacob as a statute: to Israel as an everlasting covenant,**
- 11 Saying 'I will give you the land of Canaan: to be the portion of your inheritance',

Readings for Next Sunday: Tenth Sunday After Pentecost: Genesis 32.22-31; Psalm 17.1-7, 16; Romans 9.1-8; Matthew 14.13-21.

Readings for Wednesday 5th August: Jeremiah 31.1-7; Psalm 72.15-21; Matthew 15.21-28.

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 North West Australia, Bp Darrell Parker, the Parish of Mid Richmond, 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.

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 26TH JULY 2026

WELCOME



Sentence: Neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8.38–39

Collect: O God, the fount of wisdom, you have revealed to us in Christ the hidden treasure and the pearl of great price: grant us your Spirit's gift of discernment, that, in the midst of the things of this world, we may learn to value the priceless worth of your kingdom, and be ready to renounce all else for the sake of the precious gift you offer. We ask this 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: Ninth Sunday After Pentecost: Genesis 29.15-28; Psalm 105.1-11; Romans 8.26-39; Matthew 13.44-58.

Readings for Wednesday 29th July: Jeremiah 15.10, 16-21; Psalm 59.1-5, 18-20; Matthew 13.44-46.

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Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

Prayer of the Week

O God, the protector of all that trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy, that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal that we finally lose not the things eternal. Grant this, O heavenly Father, for the sake of 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,

Coming up in 2026

Sunday 2nd August	Monthly Sausage Sizzle after the Service
Sunday 9th August	Lindisfarne Spiritual Gym
Thursday 13th August	Singing Group Practice 4.00pm
Sunday 16th August	Parish Council

Cursillo News

A Cursillo weekend will be held in Grafton from Saturday 3rd to Monday 5th October 2026. For more information please see Maria Gandey or Desley Ryan.

M.U. NEWS—Invitation to Mary Sumner Day

To be held at St. Bartholomews Anglican Church, Alstonville
At 10.00am on Friday 7th August 2026.
Please add your name to the list in church if you wish to attend.

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.

Australian Anglican Church Calendar 2027

Orders are now being taken, please add your name to the list on the back table.
Price is \$18.00 each.

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

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

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.

Personal Notices

***Birthdays:** 28th: Jeri de Kievit.*