

PSALM 124

- 1 If the Lord had not been on our side, now may Israel say: if the Lord had not been on our side, when our enemies rose against us,
- 2 **Then they would have swallowed us alive: when their anger was kindled against us.**
- 3 Then the waters would have overwhelmed us, and the torrent gone over us: the raging waters would have gone clean over us.
- 4 **But praised be the Lord: who has not given us as a prey to their teeth.**
- 5 We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowler: the snare is broken, and we have gone free.
- 6 **Our help is in the name of the Lord: who has made heaven and earth.**

Readings for Next Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost: Exodus 3.1-15; Psalm 105.1-6.23-26; Romans 12.9-21; Matthew 16.21-28.

Readings for Wednesday 2nd September: 1 Corinthians 3.1-9; Psalm 33.13-21; Luke 4.38-44.



BCA SEPTEMBER BOX COUNT

Calling all Box Holders, please return your boxes through the month of September. Please place in the basket at the Church entry. Thank You.

SERVICE	Hosts	1st Reading	2nd Reading	LLM	Prayers
9 A.M. 30th Aug	N. Daniels J. Murphy	J. Stuckings	D. Lakay	S. Woodcock	S. Woodcock

SUNDAY MORNING TEA ROSTER

1ST Sunday	Chris and Gwenyth	2ND Sunday	Pamela and Jan
3RD Sunday	Annette and Jenny	4TH Sunday	Frances and Veryl
5TH Sunday	Gaynor and Team		

Thank you to our valuable volunteers !

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.



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.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 23RD AUGUST 2026

WELCOME



Sentence: Martha said, 'Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.'
John 11.27

Collect: O God, fount of all wisdom, in the humble witness of the apostle Peter you have shown the foundation of our faith: give us the light of your Spirit, that, recognising in Jesus of Nazareth the Son of the living God, we may be living stones for the building up of your holy Church; 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: Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost: Exodus 1.8-2.10; Psalm 124; Romans 12.1-8; Matthew 16.13-20.

Readings for Wednesday 26th August: 2 Thessalonians 3.1-18; Psalm 128; Matthew 23.27-32.

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Weekly Services:

Sunday 9.00am, Wednesday 10.00am

Prayer of the Week

Creator God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you: teach us to offer ourselves to your service, that here we may have your peace, and in the world to come may see you face to face; 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.**

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:** 25th: Russell Robertson*

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

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 10th September 2026. **Starting at 4.00pm NSW Time.** For more information please see Tricia Townend.

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

Next Date: T.B.A.
Where: Lindisfame 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

TODAY 23rd August	Parish Council
Saturday 5th September	Men's Breakfast, Kingscliff (flyer on notice board)
Wednesday 7th October	Rev. Stephanie commences Ministry
Wednesday 14th October	Rev. Stephanie's Commissioning at 6.00pm

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.

Name Badges

Orders for name badges are now being taken. Please PRINT your name on the envelope on the table at the back of the church with \$10.00 enclosed. Thank you.

Advanced Notice

Pre Loved Pop Up Shop Sustainable Pop Up Shop Saturday 19th September 2026 8.00am to 1.00pm St. James Church Hall, 41 Pearl Street Kingscliff. see flyer on Notice Board

Murwillumbah Baby Show & Fete

Saturday 12th September
See flyer for full information

Australian Anglican Church Calendar 2027

Orders are now being taken, please add your name to the list on the back table. Price is \$20.00 each.

Supporting our Parish Ministry

A Big Thank You to All who financially support our Parish either at Worship or electronically.

We now have a 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 the office on 07 5536 1060 or Treasurer Margaret Bishop on 0413 993 923 if you have any queries, or would like to discuss this further.

Appointment of Rector for St. Cuthbert's Church

Rev. Stephanie Patching will commence her Ministry on Wednesday 7th October 2026. Rev. Stephanie's Commissioning date is Wednesday 14th October 2026 at 6.00pm. In the weeks ahead there is much planning to be done. We will be looking for volunteers to assist in preparing the Church, providing supper, helping in the kitchen, in addition to other important arrangements. Please note in your diary the 14th October to welcome Rev. Stephanie to our Parish. More details will be given as they become available.