<u>COLLECT</u>: Almighty God, whose never-failing providence governs all things in heaven and earth: we humbly ask you to put away from us all hurtful things, and to give us whatever may be profitable for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

PRAYER BEFORE READING: Thank you, Father, for making yourself known to us, showing us the way of salvation through faith in you Son. We ask you now to teach us through your word, so that we may be ready to serve you, for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.

## **Next Week's Bible Readings:**

Colossians 3:12-17 Ephesians 5:8-20 Matthew 5:13-16

## **Next Sunday's Sermon Title:**

CHURCH—Walking Out

#### FEEDING ON GOD'S PROMISES

"For who makes you so superior? What do you have that you didn't receive? If, in fact, you did receive it, why do you boast as if you hadn't received it?"

#### 1 Corinthians 4:7 (HCSB)

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WEEKLY HAPPENINGS

Monday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering

9-11am - Stay and Play (Playgroup)

2.00pm - Fellowship Gathering @ Woolgoolga Aged Care Centre

Tuesday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering

**4pm** - Choir Rehearsal

**Wednesday: 9-10am** - Prayer Gathering

**1.30pm** - Women's Bible Study - fortnightly (Anne Dorman's home) **2pm** - Women's Bible Study - fortnightly (Lilian Essex-Clark's home)

4pm - Sunday@10 Singing Practice—see Simon Reeve

7.30-8.30pm - Men's Bible Study

Thursday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering

11.00am - Armchair Church @ Woolgoolga Aged Care Centre

4.30pm - 6pm - TEF - 8 Whitehaven Crescent Woolgoolga (Hanger home)

Friday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering

9am - Women's Bible Study - Alison Reeve's home (Rectory)

**5.30pm** - WiFY - Years 4-10

2nd Sunday: 2pm - Jesus Club next: 28 July

# DAYS OFF Simon—On Leave Pam—Friday



# We warmly welcome you to Northern Beaches Anglicans

If you are new, visiting, or one of our regulars, we are glad you have joined us today.



## **CHURCH – Being Here**

Is the church we walk into my church or God's church? How do we live out God's purposes for his church? What are the means of mutual encouragement as we gather? Key questions answered from God's word. Be challenged by John Stott's dream for the church.

"I have a dream of a church which is a caring church—whose congregation is drawn from many races, nations, ages and social backgrounds, and exhibits the unity and diversity of the family of God, whose fellowship is warm and welcoming, and never marred by anger, selfishness, jealousy or pride, whose members love one another with a pure heart fervently, forbearing one another, forgiving one another, and bearing one another's burdens, which offers friendship to the lonely, support to the weak, and acceptance to those who are despised and rejected by society, whose love spills over to the world outside—attractive, infectious, irresistible, the love of God himself."

PARISH SERVICES: SUNDAY@8 - 8AM (Holy Communion) &

Sunday@10 - 10AM (Family Service). NEXT Combined Service 29th Sept Sunday@9 - 9am

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Mark Wyborn, Marj Simmons, Ivan Heckenberg, Ted and Laurel Vardy, Ian Fraser, Elizabeth Macintosh, Gwen Wills, Ron Maddox, Joan Neuwirth, Henry Hill and Kerry Burke. Please pray for Lynda-Mary and David and their family as they mourn the death of David's brother John.

Northern Beaches Anglicans in the Diocese of Grafton is committed to protecting your privacy.

The people on this list have requested prayer at this time.

### GOSPEL PARTNERSHIP:

Anglican Aid is at the forefront of gospel ministry growth in some of the poorest countries in the world through generous financial support to local

Christian partners. This support meets immediate need and reveals the love of Christ to huge numbers of people. The encouraging truth about Anglican Aid is they receive no money from governments or philanthropic organisations. Only from individual Christians and churches like Northern Beaches Anglicans. In the Diocese of Sydney there are around 6000 supporters from ninety eight percent of churches in the Diocese. Why not join them alongside some members of NBA.

Praise God for the impact of Anglican Aid.

#### CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED:

Our next Christianity Explored course will begin Tuesday 30 July, 5:00-6:00pm. This course is designed for those who are new to our church family, for those who want to ask questions about the

Christian faith, or for those who are wanting to know how to lead a Christianity Explored Course. Please speak to, or text message Simon, if you are wanting to join in this six-week course.



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Songs that stir the Soul (Journey with God through the Psalms)



2-3 AUGUST 2024 | TAMWORTH

#### Songs that stir the Soul

The book of Psalms not only speak to us, but often speak for us as we process the pains and joys of life. Nowhere is this more clearly seen than in the life of our Lord Jesus who quoted them more than any other biblical book through to his dying breath.



Bible Speaker Richard Chin AFES National Director

Our CMS Mission partner will be sharing her experiences. Please see David or Leone if you are interested.

# "Church—Being Here" This Week's Readings:

Ezekiel 36:24-38 (pg 865) Hebrews 10:19-25 (pg 1211) John 17:20-26 (pg 1084)

Today's Sermon Reading: Hebrews 10:19-25



SCHOOL HOLIPAYS: During the

School

Holidays our usual kids and youth program have been in recess.

KidsChurch, Stay & Play and WiFY will resume next week.



Thank you to all who baked for and helped out at our Toy and

Bake Stall yesterday. Again, another successful day connecting with our community.



Things to note: The CMS mission partners newsletter is on the noticeboard in the Church. A date to put in your diary: Mid North Coast BCA connect event is on the afternoon of Sunday 25 August.

More details to come.



# Today's Songs of Praise

@8\* Holy Holy Holy Lord God
Almighty

- \* Breathe on Me Breath of God \* My Hope is Built on Nothing Less
- \* Lord I Come To You @10\* O Great God
- \* My Soul Will Wait for You
  - \* This Life I Live
  - \* Reformation Hymn



NEW LIFE
CONFERENCE 2024
7 September 2024
All women welcome.
Earlybird registration closes
today. If you are interested
please speak with Alison.

ROSTERS: It's that time again and rosters are being done for August - October. If you want to go on the rosters or will be away PLEASE let Leone or the Parish Office know as soon as



possible.

Gail Bennett: Tuesday 23 July

Thelma (22): Wednesday 24 July

Margie Hewtin: Thursday 25 July

Penise Lockett: Friday 26 July

Meredith Grono: Friday 26 July

May you enjoy this special celebration and may God bless you all on your special day.