

COLLECT: Grant us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always such things as are right, that we who cannot do anything that is good without you, may in your strength be able to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

PRAYER BEFORE READING: We thank you, heavenly Father, for inspiring all Scripture by the Holy Spirit. By your Spirit help us so to hear your holy word that we might be equipped for every good work, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Next Week's Bible Readings:

Zechariah 13:1-9

1 Peter 1:1-12

Matthew 4:18-22

Next Sunday's Sermon Title:

1 Peter 1:1-12

FEEDING ON GOD'S PROMISES

"For I think God has displayed us, the apostles, in last place, like men condemned to die: We have become a spectacle to the world and to angels and to men."

1 Corinthians 4:9 (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 - see Simon Reeve

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 4-12

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

DAYS OFF Simon—Thursday Pam—Friday



28 July 2024 AD

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 – Walking Out

As we conclude our series today may the cumulative teaching from God's word and the inspiring words of John Stott move us to honour Jesus the Lord of his Church. John Stott concludes his dream.

"I have a dream of a church which is a serving church—which has seen Christ as the Servant and has heard his call to be a servant too, which is delivered from self-interest, turned inside out, and giving itself selflessly to the service of others, whose members obey Christ's command to live in the world, to permeate secular society, to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world, whose people share the good news of Jesus simply, naturally and enthusiastically with their friends, which diligently serves its own parish, residents and workers, families and single people, nationals and immigrants, old folk and little children, which is alert to the changing needs of society, sensitive and flexible enough to keep adapting its program to serve more usefully, which has a global vision and is constantly challenging its young people to give their lives in service, and constantly sending its people out to serve."

"I have a dream of a church which is an expectant church—whose members can never settle down in material affluence or comfort, because they remember that they are strangers and pilgrims on earth, which is all the more faithful and active because it is waiting and looking for its Lord to return, which keeps the flame of the Christian hope burning brightly in a dark, despairing world, which on the day of Christ will not shrink from him in shame, but rise up joyfully to greet him."

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, Ian Fraser, Gwen Wills, Joan Neuwirth, Henry Hill and Kerry Burke.

*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: CCSM - Coffs Coast Schools Ministry seeks to resource and support Scripture (SRE) in schools across the Coffs Coast, including the 5 public schools on the Northern Beaches. CCSM will be holding its **Annual Dinner** at Harbourside Presbyterian Church, Coffs Harbour at 6pm on Saturday 24 August. It would be great to gather a group of us to go to the dinner to show our support, and to hear of some of the fruit that is coming to bear from this important ministry. Please pray for this annual event, and for ongoing fruit as the gospel is faithfully taught in our local public schools.



CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED:

Our Christianity Explored course will begin **this Tuesday 30 July, 5:00-6:00pm**. This course is designed for those who are new to our church family, or for those who want to ask questions about the Christian faith, and also for those who are wanting to know how to lead a Christianity Explored Course. Please speak to or text message Simon if you would like to join in this six-week course.

Mission Encounter

GOD'S WORD · GOD'S MISSION · GOD'S WORLD

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



2-3 AUGUST 2024 | TAMWORTH

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



SOUP SUNDAY: Please be aware that **all our congregation**, and their **guests**, are invited to the **rectory** (the Reeve's place next door) next Sunday **4 August** following the 10am Service for a winter soup luncheon. People are welcome to **arrive after 11:30am** to enjoy catching up and meeting new people. No RSVP necessary.

"Church - Walking Out"

This Week's Readings:

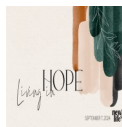
Colossians 3:12-17 (pg 1184)

Ephesians 5:8-20 (pg 1176)

Matthew 5:13-16 (pg 969)

Today's Sermon Readings:

All 3 - Walking Out



NEW LIFE CONFERENCE 2024 in Tamworth 7 September 2024. A number of ladies from our 10am Service will be making the trip. Please speak to Alison if you would like to join them travelling up to Tamworth.



MEN'S BREAKFAST:

There will be **NO** Men's breakfast next Saturday. We will try and aim to hold it next month on the first Saturday in September.



Come along to BCA Connect on Sunday **25 August** at St John's Anglican Church Coffs Harbour from **2-5pm**, where you will hear the latest on **BCA Field Staff** going the distance in rural, remote and regional Australia. With afternoon tea provided you will also get to hear from **Rachael Bell**, serving in Central Western NSW, and from **Bishop Rod Chiswell** from Armidale as he shares Four Exhortations for Christian Life and Ministry. Adults \$10, children under 12 free. See Alison for registration details.



Today's Songs of Praise

- @8*** Hallelujah! Sing to Jesus
* Great is Thy Faithfulness
* Now Thank We All Our God
* O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing
@10* See Him Coming
* My Lighthouse
* Raised With Christ
* Let Your Kingdom Come



ROSTERS: August - October.
Available today in pigeon holes.



Keryn Rodham: Thursday 1 August

Clair Anderson: Friday 2 August

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



Steve & Trish Rea

Friday 2 August

*May God bless you both
on this special day.*



Send
Good News
and
Great Joy!



**Operation
Christmas Child
Shoeboxes Appeal:**

Please pick up a box, fill it up and return to church to reach those young people who would not hear about Jesus otherwise. If you have any queries, please contact Jean Maher.