

COLLECT: Almighty God, you have conquered death through your dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant us by your grace to set our mind on things above, so that by your continual help our whole life may be transformed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit in everlasting glory. **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 Readings:

1 Samuel 23:1-18
Acts 8:26-35
Luke 24:13-35

Next Week's Sermon Reading

Luke 24:13-35

FEEDING ON GOD'S PROMISES:

"Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for whoever loves others has fulfilled the law."

Romans 13:8

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WEEKLY HAPPENINGS

Monday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering
9-11am - Stay and Play (Playgroup) **RECESS**
2.00pm - Fellowship Gathering @ Woolgoolga Aged Care Centre (see Pam)

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
7.30-8.30pm - Men's Bible Study - Ministry Centre

Thursday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering
11.00am - Armchair Church @ Woolgoolga Aged Care Centre (see Pam)

Friday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering
9am - Women's Bible Study - Alison Reeve's home (Rectory) **RECESS**
5.30pm - WiFY - Parish Centre - Years 4-10 **RECESS**
6.30pm - Friday Night Fellowship **RECESS**

DAYS OFF David—Monday 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.



"Christ is RISEN! He is risen INDEED!" For hundreds of years across the English speaking world this simple phrase has reminded people of the wonder of the resurrection of Jesus Christ after his brutal death. Even beyond the English speaking world, and for millennia before, the declaration of Jesus' resurrection has brought hope and peace to generations of people beyond their temporal struggles.

In Dr Luke's account of the resurrection we see that the women who cared for Jesus were the first to take this message to the disciples. Their message was not believed. And yet the disciples who carefully investigated the claim discovered the truth of the resurrection and set about declaring it to the rest of the world. We are given this exact opportunity this Easter to investigate the wonder of the resurrection, and allow Jesus to bring us such hope and peace.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Rex Rainbow, Frances Robinson, Mark Wyborn, Marj Simmons, Pam Clarke, Laurel Vardy, Leone Hanger, Sue Egan, Ron Maddox, Naomi Pike and her twins.

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.

EASTER WELCOME: It's a blessing for us to welcome newcomers and visitors to our Easter Services over this special time of the year. Jesus' death and resurrection not only brings us hope and peace, but also brings us together as we wait for Jesus to return. On behalf of Northern Beaches Anglicans I trust that you will be strengthened in your faith as we celebrate this momentous event in time and history. If you are new or visiting, please take the time to make yourself known to one of the ministry team so that we can get to know you, and we can share our vision for ministry to the people on the Northern Beaches.



GOSPEL PARTNERSHIP



Rev David Hanger, and his wife Leone, came to this parish in 2010 and have served here faithfully for the last 13 years. Before coming to Northern Beaches Anglicans they also served in the Parishes of Nambucca, Alstonville, Mullumbimby, Kempsey and Port Macquarie. For four decades they have cared for people, taught the Bible and pointed people to Jesus in a way that is rarely seen or appreciated in our times. As we celebrate our Gospel Partnership with the Hanger family as David retires, please pray that both David and Leone will continue to rely on God for the next steps in their services for Him. And may we give thanks to God for the way we have benefited from their consistent and godly care of all people.



REFRESHED WEBSITE: We have launched a refreshed version of the NBA website. Please visit and check out some of the new features.
<http://northernbeachesanglicans.org.au>

The Parish still has a number of **masks** and **COVID RAT** freely available for anyone in need. Please take what you need from the **back table**, or you can enquire through the parish office.



PARISH COUNCIL will be meeting this **Tuesday April 11 at 6:30pm** in the **Parish Hall**. Please pray for wise stewardship of the resources entrusted to this parish as we seek to see ministry grow in our local region.

'Celebrate Easter'

This Week's Readings

Ezekiel 37:1-14 (Pg 865)

1 Corinthians 15:35-58 (Pg 1155)

Luke 23:50-24:12 (Pg 1059)

This Week's Sermon Reading

Luke 23:50-24:12 (Pg 1059)



Registrations are now open for the annual **CMS MELT Youth Camp** (April 2023 in Burleigh Heads) for young people Grade 7-12. Please contact Simon for further details.



Simon Reeve:

TODAY: 9 April

Lynnette Mikulski

TODAY: 9 April

Annie

Solomon-Finch:

Sat 15 April

May God bless you all on your special day



On **Sunday April 30** we will be celebrating the 4 decades of **ministry** that **David and Leone Hanger** have enjoyed across the Diocese. On that Sunday we will have a **combined church communion service at 9am**, followed by a **luncheon at the Cex Bowling Club**, Woolgoolga. Everyone is welcome to the 9am church service. The Luncheon is a ticket event at \$15 per person for a 3 course buffet style lunch. In order to register and pay for tickets, put your name on the Luncheon List on the back table, and deposit your money in a marked envelop in the offertory box, or directly into our bank account with a reference to 'luncheon/your name'. Please book your tickets before April 16, and contact the office (6654-1370) if you need further information.

Today's Songs of Worship

@8* Christ the Lord is Risen Today

*This is the Day

*Thine be the Glory

*Crown Him with Many Crowns

@10* Come People of the Risen King

*Never Alone

* Amazing Grace (My Chains)

* In Christ Alone

SENIOR MINISTER ON LEAVE:

Simon and his family will be taking **annual leave after Easter, April 11-29** inclusive. David Hanger will be in charge of the parish (again) for those three weeks until his concluding celebration on April 30.



Happy Anniversary

Paul & Adrienne

Hatton

Sat 15 April

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

A **Faithfulness in Service Workshop** will be run at **St John's Anglican Church in Coffs Harbour** on **Saturday April 29, 9:30am-12md**. If you have not completed this workshop on the church's "Code of Conduct", or you are needing to attend a refresher course, please register with St John's Parish Office by phone on 6651 4700, Mon-Fri, 9am-12md.

The Toy and Bake Stall will be on NEXT Saturday 15 April 9.00-12.00
If you are **able to bake** or **have produce that can be sold** on the stall, **please bring to the Op Shop or Parish Office by Friday 14 April** or **deliver to the stall by 9am** on the day.