<u>COLLECT</u>: Lord God, the unfailing helper and guide of those whom you bring up in your steadfast fear and love, keep us, we pray, under the protection of your good providence, and give us a continual reverence and love for your holy name; 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:

Isaiah 10:5-19 Isaiah 10:20-34 Matthew 23:13-24

Next Sunday's Sermon Reading:

Isaiah 10—Assyria's time will come—
A Nation on the Brink

FEEDING ON GOD'S PROMISES

"For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with God, since it is written: He catches the wise in their craftiness; and again, The Lord knows that the reasonings of the wise are meaningless".

1 Corinthians 3:19-20 (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 IN RECESS

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

Thursday: 8.30am - Prayer Gathering

11.00am - Armchair Church @ Woolgoolga Aged Care Centre IN RECESS

4.30pm - 6pm - TEF - 8 Whitehaven Crescent (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 16 June

NORTHERN BEACHES
'A Place of HOPE' ANGLICANS
9 June 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.



Then and Now – Isaiah 9

Since Isaiah's commissioning in chapter 6 we have seen the warning of judgement to come to those who do not trust in God. Israel – the northern kingdom – is under threat. Syria – to the north of Israel – is warned of what is coming. And Judah – the southern kingdom, and God's specific chosen people – are giving the choice to escape judgement by obeying God's word. However, while all this talk of judgement is going on we are introduced to a number of children. Isaiah's son, Shear-jashub, in 7:3. Immanuel in 7:14, 8:8 and 8:10. Isaiah's other son, Mahershalal-hash-baz, in 8:1 and 3. And this week a Davidic child king, 9:6 and 7. The message seems to be that God brings hope to humanity through new birth.

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

Sunday@10 - 10AM (Family Service). NEXT Combined Service 30th June Sunday@9 - 9am

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Mark Wyborn, Marj Simmons, Ian Fraser, Ivan Heckenberg, Elizabeth Macintosh, Ted and Laurel Vardy, Gwen Wills and Pam Stone.

Please pray for the family and friends of John Rooth as they mourn his death last Sunday. 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: Bush Church Aid Society

Going the distance As we roll into the winter months, the Bush Church Aid Society has sent out the most recent editions on the Prayer Notes - a daily

prayer diary for BCA Field Staff – and the Real Australian – an update of gospel work going on around Australia through BCA. Our link field staff, David and Margie Wood, feature predominately in both publications. Please pick up the most recent editions from the BCA notice board to read through and pray for the work of BCA in rural, regional and remote Australia.

COLIN BUCHANAN CONCERT:

Thank A big **thank you** goes out to all who attended, and all who helped out at You! the Colin Buchanan Concert last night. A huge effort has particularly gone into ensuring that everything has been ready for our services this morning. So thank you to all who have help in little and large ways. It was a concert to remember!!

Thursday Morning Prayer

We would love for you to join us at **8.30** in the Chapel for prayer led by The Litany.

PARISH COUNCIL

Meets this Tuesday, 11 June, in the Parish Centre beginning at 6.30pm. Please pray for this important meeting

Happy Birthday



Terence (13) Monday 10 June

Isla McLeau Tuesday 11 June

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



Due to John Rooth's funeral, the Op Shop will be closed on Friday. Refreshments after the funeral will be held in the

Parish Centre. We will not be catering but assistance will be required to set tables and help in the kitchen. If you can assist, or have fresh flowers/ greenery, please speak with Leone

GIRL'S CRAFT AFTERNOON:



23 June 2.00-4.30 in the Parish Hall. A time to connect, be creative and enjoy some afternoon tea together. For Girls from

years 4-12. Please speak with Emily for more details.

"Then and Now" This Week's Readings:

Isaiah 9:1-7 (pg 687) Isaiah 9:8-10-4 (pg 688) Matthew 4:12-17 (pg 968)

This Sunday's Sermon Reading:

Isaiah 9—Then and Now— A Nation on the Brink

Today's Songs of Praise

@8* Rejoice! The Lord is King * Thou Whose Almighty Word

* For Unto Us a Child is Born

* To Him We Come

@10* Only a Holy God

* Jesus, Thank You

* My Hope is Built

* Reformation Hymn

GAFCON AUSTRALASIA **CONFERENCE**

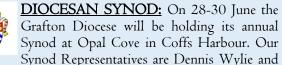
From July 1-4 inclusive, the

Global Anglican Fellowship (GAFCON) Australia will be hosting an intergenerational conference in Brisbane. The details can be found by googling Conference-GAFCON Australia and clicking on the icon, OR speak to Leone in the Parish Office.



NEW LIFE CONFERENCE 2024 7 September 2024 All women welcome. Please put the dates in your diary and speak with Alison.

FUNERAL: A funeral service will be held for the late John Rooth OAM at 2:30pm on Friday 14th June at Northern Beaches Anglicans. All are welcome to attend.



Rob McLeay along with our Senior Minister, Simon, and our Honorary Deacon, Pam. Many important discussion are held at Synod impacting the direction and future of ministry in our diocese. Please pray for our Synod Reps, that they would engage in a way that brings about good gospel vision for the future and direction of this diocese.

CMS

CMS Mission

Encounter—Tamworth—2 & 3 August 2024. Our CMS Mission partner will be sharing of her experiences. Please see David, Leone or Emily if you are interested.

The Bake and Toy Stall will be on Saturday 15 June 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 June or deliver to the stall by 9am on the day.



30 JUNE 5th **SUNDAY:** Usually we hold a combined parish service on a

5th Sunday in a month. However, because of Synod we will be holding our 2 regular services on the 30th June. Like last year, our 8am Service can expect visitors from Synod, while at our I0am Service the sermon will be via video.