

# Welcome to church!

Ballina and Lennox Head Anglicans

We're so glad you are here

21 JULY 2024

God calls us to...

**Worship and pray** *creatively* encountering God in old ways and new

**Think and learn** *eagerly* discovering more about God and faith

**Serve and care** *generously* sharing God's love and justice in our community

**Accept and include** *compassionately* because God's table has a place for everyone

If you're new we'd love to connect with you and hear more of your story.  
Fill in a follow-up card or talk to one of the priests.

## PRAAYER AND CARE

### Prayer

Go before us, O Lord, in all our doings with your most gracious favour, and assist us with your continual help; that in all works, begun, continued and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, and finally by your mercy obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Pray for those in need of healing

Joy Swinbourne, Ros Rowe, Alex & Myra Arrighi, Gerri White's granddaughter, Phil and Felicity Ross, Ramin Nairyzi, Mavis McDonald, Betty Missingham, Damien Bourke, Margaret Saul, Maisie Stratton, Yvette Paish, Jimmy Gistitin, and Janice Peate.

### Supporting a refugee family coming to Ballina:

Ballina Region for Refugees is bringing together a group of volunteers to support a refugee family. Are you interested in being part of this group? They especially need people who can drive the family members to appointments, school etc. Talk to Rev Cathy if you're interested.

### We pray for our schools:

We give thanks for the time of refreshment during the holidays. We pray for a successful start to Term 3 as students refocus their learning and routines. We especially pray for students who find schooling difficult. We pray for teachers and staff that they will have appropriate wellbeing programs and resources to meet the needs of all students.

## FEATURED NEWS

### **WHAT'S IN THE LITURGY AND WHY IS IT THERE?**

#### **BIBLE STUDY**

Join Cathy and Mandy as we explore what we say, sing and do in our liturgy.

Week 1: What is liturgy anyway?

Lennox Head Sundays 4 pm

21/7, 28/7, 4/8, 11/8

Ballina Tuesdays 2 pm

23/7, 30/7, 6/8, 13/8, 20/8, 27/8, 3/9

Ballina study includes 3 bonus sessions on music in liturgy, led by Hamsa Arnold.

### **URGENT: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO COUNT OFFERTORY AFTER SUNDAY 10AM SERVICE.**

To comply with the audit requirements and Faithfulness in Service, two people must count the offertory following the Sunday 10am service. We need at least 8 people so a monthly roster can be developed. Training will be provided. If you can assist please let the clergy or churchwardens or Hugh McIntosh know.

Can you help share the volunteer load?

**STRONG TABLES FOR SALE:** Five heavy duty tables for sale: \$50 each. Great work benches. View St Mary's Function Room.

## READINGS for this week

'What's in the liturgy and why is it there?' Week 1

Heb. 10:19-25, Ps. 34:1-5,15-19, 22, John 4:3-7a,19-26

## READINGS for next week

'What's in the liturgy and why is it there?' Week 2

1 Corinthians 15:26-36, Psalm 95:1-7, Matthew 18:15-22

### SPECIAL EVENTS

#### Coffee & Conversation

10am Thursday 25 July

Goanna Café, 90-92 Ballina St,  
Lennox Head

#### Lismore Symphony Orchestra 20th Anniversary Concerts

St Mary's, Ballina

7.30pm Saturday 27 July

3.00pm Sunday 28 July

We are excited to celebrate two decades of music-making with the Lismore Symphony Orchestra at their 20th Anniversary Concert series! It is wonderful to have the orchestra bringing their music to St Mary's. They present a great program with symphonic highlights including Beethoven's 5<sup>th</sup>, Dvorak's Largo from the New World Symphony and Schubert's Unfinished. These concerts are likely to sell out. Booking in advance is recommended. Booking:

[www.themusicestuary.org](http://www.themusicestuary.org)

Tickets \$35, Concession \$30

#### Lunch and a Talk

The Gallery Cafe, Wednesday  
7 August at 12 pm

Guest speaker is the Rev.

Richard Browning, chaplain at Emmanuel Anglican College. To book a place please complete the attendance sheet in the foyer.

### WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday 21 July

8 am Lennox Head

10 am Ballina

Wednesday 24 July

10 am Ballina

11.30 am Palm Lake Resort

Sunday 28 July

8 am Lennox Head

10 am Ballina

Wednesday 31 July

10 am Ballina

### ON EVERY WEEK

Tuesdays 9.30 am

Craft Group - St Mary's Function  
Room

Thursdays 10.30 am

Coffee 'n' Chat - Gallery Cafe,  
Cherry St, Ballina

Thursdays 2pm

St Mary's Singing Group practice  
St Mary's Function Room

### CELEBRATIONS

Happy birthday to

Mavis McDonald

### CONTACT US

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### GIVING OPTIONS

By Direct Debit or online

BSB: 705077 Acc: 00040134

#### In Person

Gifts can be placed in  
offertory box during services

### OP SHOP AND ISAIAH 61 PROJECT NEWS

Op Shop open Mon-Fri 9.00 - 3.30; Sat 9.00 - 1.00

#### Free Community BBQ Breakfast

8-10 am at St Mary's Third Sunday of each month

Come for a delicious breakfast and friendly conversation.

All are welcome.

*God calls us to bring good news to the poor and the oppressed. (Is. 61:1)*

### MISSION OF THE MONTH:

#### Anglican Overseas Aid

Anglican Overseas Aid is a relief & development agency of the Anglican Church of Australia. Their work is inspired by the gospel of Christ, with a vision for a peaceful, just and sustainable world for all. They support communities all over the world.