

Welcome to church!

Ballina and Lennox Head Anglicans

We're so glad you are here

29 SEPTEMBER 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.

PRAYER AND CARE

Parish Prayer for the week

Heavenly Father, please give us peace in our hearts as we follow your path of righteousness. Help us to be humble, persevering, consistent and prayerful in all that we do and say. As your servants, help us to remain steadfast and strong and ready to act, when faced in our daily lives with evil, so we will have the words to express our beliefs well to those in need and speak up against evil deeds we see and know of, so that justice can prevail. 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, Janice Peate, and Cate Bible.

We pray for our schools:

Pray for a safe two week holiday period for all staff, students and their families. May it be a time of relaxation and refreshment ready for Term 4. Continue to pray for Year 12 as they prepare for the start of the HSC.

FEATURED NEWS

RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS

Saturday 26 October, St Mary's at 11 am

All married couples are invited to come and renew their marriage vows in this very special service,

Bring your friends and family to share the joy of this day.

To help us with catering, please put down your name on the sign-up sheet in the foyer of each church.

SOCIAL ACTIVITY

Please come and join us for a visit to the Crawford House Museum Alstonville on **Friday 11 October 2024 at 10.30am.**

\$10 pp for entry fee, guided tour and morning tea. Accessible and easy parking.

Crawford House is an original farmhouse featuring household objects reflecting family life from the turn of the century to the 1960s.

Please indicate your attendance/transport needs etc - attendance sheet on table in the entry.

READINGS for this week

Pentecost 19

Psalm 19:7-14; James 5:12-20;

Mark 9:38-50

READINGS for next week

Pentecost 20, St Francis of Assisi

Job 38:1, 12-21, Job 40:3-5, Psalm 139:6-11

Luke 10:13-16

SPECIAL EVENTS

Daylight Savings commences
6 October. Don't forget to put
your clocks forward.

From Bach to Interstellar
3.00pm Sunday 6 October
at St Mary's

Hamsa Arnold takes you on a musical journey from Bach to the iconic soundtrack of Interstellar. This program presents St Mary's organ in a variety of repertoire from classic to modern.

Tickets \$25 / \$20 at the door or book at

www.themusicestuary.org

'Transcendence' is a Celtic and
Jazz inspired fusion
Sunday 20 October, 3 pm at St
Mary's

Ilse De Ziah & Ian Date take the combination of Cello and Guitar on a new journey with unparalleled artistry and soul-stirring melodies.

Tickets \$25 / \$20 at the door or book at

www.themusicestuary.org

While Rev. Cathy is on leave

Rev. Cathy returns to work on Tuesday 8 October.

In the meantime contact Rev. Mandy for pastoral care needs.

Contact the wardens via the Parish Office for any other issue.

Wardens: John Bryen, Kerry Johnston, John Phillips

WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday 29 September

Combined Service 10am Ballina

Wednesday 2 October

10am Ballina

Sunday 6 October

8am Lennox Head

10am Ballina

Rev. Cathy is on leave, returning

Tuesday 8 October.

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10.30am Crowley Chapel

Wednesday 9 October

10am Ballina

11.30am Palm Lake Resort

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

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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

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:

**Ballina Christian Education
Committee**

BCEC fund raising supports
Christian Education classes in
our state primary schools and
Ballina Coast High School.
Please mark your donation for
BCEC.