

Welcome to church!

Ballina and Lennox Head Anglicans

We're so glad you are here

13 APRIL 2025

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

Prayer for Hope

God of Hope, you call on us to be your witnesses in this uncertain world;
by your Spirit awaken in us

a true vision of your kingdom,
a greater certainty of our salvation, and
a deeper dedication to your service;

that through our words and actions the same Spirit may bring many who are lost to be found, and for them to celebrate the hope that we can only have in Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Pray for those in need of healing

Joy Swinbourne, Ros Rowe, Phil and Felicity Ross, Mavis McDonald, Maisie Stratton, Yvette Paish, Janice Peate, Cate Bible, Alison Lee, Bonnie, and Jeanette Peard.

Schools Prayer

Give thanks for a successful Term 1 for all students especially for those commencing Kindergarten, Year 7 and Year 12 as they move towards completion of their schooling.

Pray for a safe and relaxing holiday for all who work in and attend our schools. May they listen and be open to the message of hope of the Easter story.

FEATURED NEWS

HOPE AT THE OP SHOP

During Hope25 (from Easter Day to Pentecost) we are joining Anglicans all around the country as they connect with their communities and share the hope we have in following Jesus. We will be setting up out the front of the Op Shop, talking with passersby. We want to hear their stories, offering them a compassionate listening ear, and discerning how God calls us to bring hope to our community.

1- 3 pm each Tuesday and Thursday,
from 29 April to 5 June

Would you like to be part of this? You can be rostered on as little or as often as you wish. There will always be at least one priest present.

For further information contact Rev.
Cathy revridd@gmail.com or
0427 836 988.

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

READINGS for this week

Palm Sunday

Psalm 31:9-18; Philippians 2:5-11

Luke 19:28-40

READINGS for next week

Easter Day

Isaiah 65:17-25; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24;

Luke 24:1-12

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 every third Saturday

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)

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

Birthday:

Fran Bourne

Marjorie Cradock

SPECIAL EVENTS

A Labyrinth Walk for Peace

is being held at St Mary's
Labyrinth 1pm Saturday 3 May.

Please see flyer in the foyer.

For more information please

contact Kerry Johnston

0407257129

Holy Week

Maundy Thursday 17 April

Service of Shadows

5.30pm Ballina

6.30-8pm Prayer Vigil in the

Mariners' Chapel

Good Friday 18 April

Veneration of the Cross

8am Lennox Head

10am Ballina

Seven Last Words of Jesus

3pm Ballina

Easter Sunday 20 April

Celebration in the Park

7am Ross Park, Lennox Head

Please bring a chair and a
spare!

10am Holy Communion Ballina

*The Parish Office will be closed
for the Easter Public Holidays*

Friday 18 April –

Monday 21 April

WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday 13 April

8am Lennox Head

10am Ballina

Tuesday 15 April

10am St Andrews Village

5.15pm Evening Prayer Ballina

or by Zoom

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Wednesday 16 April

10am Ballina

Sunday 20 April

7am Lennox Head

10am Ballina

Tuesday 15 April

10am St Andrews Village

5.15pm Evening Prayer Ballina

or by Zoom

Wednesday 23 April

10am Ballina

11.30am Palm Lake Resort

ON EVERY WEEK

Mondays 9.30 am

except Public Holidays

Craft Group

*Monday 21 April is a Public
Holiday*

Thursdays 10.30 am

Coffee 'n' Chat – Ballina

Thursdays 2pm

St Mary's Singing Group

MISSION OF THE MONTH:

MISSION FOR APRIL: Bush Church Aid. Bush Church Aid is all about Aid to the Church in the Bush; providing biblically faithful ministry and bringing the life-changing gospel message of Jesus to rural, regional, and remote Australia.