

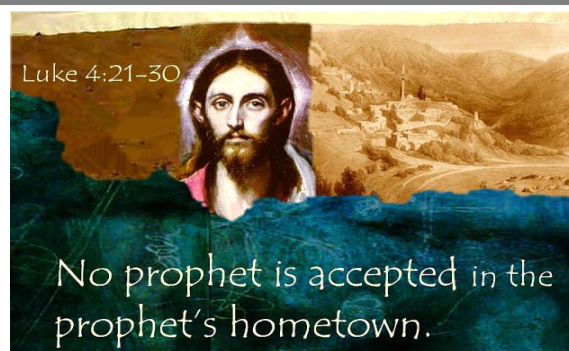


# ANGLICAN CHURCH Gympie & Region

*Servicing Gympie, Rainbow Beach,  
Mary Valley, Tin Can Bay and Gunalda*

*Living and telling the good news of Jesus Christ,  
reaching out to all in love and service.*

## **FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY 3<sup>RD</sup> FEBRUARY 2019**



### **Sentence & Prayer of the Day**

#### **Sentence:**

Now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known.

1 Corinthians 13.14

#### **Prayer of the Day:**

Righteous God, you confound the world's wisdom by giving your blessing to the lowly and pure in heart: give us such a hunger and thirst for justice and perseverance in striving for peace, that in our words and deeds the world may see the promise of your kingdom, which has been revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### **This week**

#### **Readings:**

Jeremiah 1.4-10      Psalm 71.1-6  
1 Corinthians 13.1-13      Luke 4.21-30

#### **Services:**

St Peter's      8.00 & 5.30  
Tin Can Bay      7.30  
Rainbow Beach      9.30  
Glastonbury      10.30

### **Next Week**

Isaiah 6.1-8      Psalm 138  
1 Corinthians 15.1-11      Luke 5.1-11

St Peter's      8.00, 9.30 & 5.30  
Rainbow Beach      9.30  
Imbil      11.00

# Prayers

## Pray for the Church:

**Worldwide:** *The Dioceses of Lainya (South Sudan); Southeastern Mexico*

**National:** *The Diocese of Armidale*

**Our Diocese:** • *The Parish of Indooroopilly* • *Parishes & Other Missions Agencies Commission*  
• *Cannon Hill Anglican College*

## Local:

**MU Prayer Point:** *Although Botswana is stable politically, 67% of women have experienced domestic trauma. Malawi's poverty and HIV rates are among the highest in the world. In both countries MU presents a stable force for the safety and care of women and children. A campaign in Botswana led by 300 members drew attention of partner killings and called for reporting and justice for victims. Care for family life is at the heart of members' activism.*

**Ministry:** *Cursillo*

## This Week in the Parish

St John's Place	Mon	4 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.30 am	<i>mainly music starts for 2019</i>
Cooloola Coast Hall	"	"	9.45 am	Preparation meeting World Day of Prayer
St Peter's Church	Tues	5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Senior's Service
"	"	"	5.00 pm	Christian Meditation
St Peter's Church	Wed	6 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 am	Eucharist
	"	"	9.00 am	Warden's Meeting
Chatsworth	"	"	6.00 pm	Bible Study: 6 pm Drinks & Nibbles; 6.30 – 8.00 pm Study (Call Northa on 54821259)
St Peter's Church	Thurs	7 <sup>th</sup>	3.00 pm	Bible Study
" " "	"	"	3.30 pm	Messy Church Planning Meeting
" " "	"	"	5.00 pm	Eucharist

## Coming Up

### FEBRUARY

St John's Cathedral	Fri	15 <sup>th</sup>	5.30 pm	Generous Hospitality Launch (See News & Notices)
St Peter's Church	Sat	16 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 am	Parish Council Meeting
Kandanga Hall	Tues	19 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Hoi!
Pavilion - Southside	Fri	22 <sup>nd</sup>	6.30 am	Mayoral Prayer Breakfast
St John's Place	Sat	23 <sup>rd</sup>	4.00 pm	Messy Church

### MARCH

Cooloola Coast Hall	Fri	1 <sup>st</sup>	10.00 am	World Day of Prayer Cooloola Coast
St Peter's Church		3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.00 am	Annual General Meeting (See News & Notices)
St Peter's Church	Wed	6 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 & 12 noon	Ash Wednesday Services

# News and Notices



World Day of Prayer  
**AUSTRALIA**

## PREPARATION MEETING FOR WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – COOLOOLA COAST

A meeting of interested persons will be held on **Monday, 4th Feb at 9.45 am** at the Cooloola Coast Community Hall (begins Woolworths).

*The World Day of Prayer Cooloola Coast will be held on 1st March 10:00 am in the Cooloola Coast Hall.*



## Annual General Meeting, Reports and Election of Office Bearers

**Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 9 am in St Peter's**

**Please note:** There will not be any services held in regional centres on this day as we encourage you to come to St Peter's for the 8 am Service, followed by Meeting & Election of Office Bearers for 2019.

### NOMINATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

Please place nominations in the Nominations Box at the back of St Peter's Church or send/deliver to the Church Office in an envelope marked "Nominations Box". Nominations are to be submitted by Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> February.

Please have financial and written/ emailed reports to the Church Office by 20<sup>th</sup> February. Thank you.



Fr Shaji is starting up a weekly cuppa and conversations

gathering: possible suggestions of day and place welcome. Consider a different place (home or coffee shop for each week). Please talk to Fr Shaji if you have any ideas.

## 2019 Diocese Theme Launch Event



*2019 will be the year of 'Generous Hospitality'... The idea of hospitality, or welcome, is central to the Christian faith."* (Archbishop Phillip Aspinall)

You are warmly invited to attend the launch of Archbishop Phillip Aspinall's 2019 Diocesan theme 'Generous Hospitality'. Flyer at the back of the Church

**Date:** Friday 15 February 2019

**Time:** 5.30 pm to 7.00 pm (formalities) and 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm (food & fellowship)

**Venue:** St John's Anglican Cathedral

**Cost:** This is a free event



Please start thinking about forming or joining a Lenten study group, or you may like to study alone. The book we are looking at is ***All I have is yours: Forty Days to Freedom***. Author, Michael McGirr, asks us to consider that choosing what we do in our lives is really about choosing the kind of people we want to be. His selection of readings, gospel, prayers and personal reflections are underpinned by commentary that questions and prompts the reader, offering a Lenten program that will nourish and encourage important conversation. If you wish to order a book (approx. \$8 ea) and give us an indication of numbers to order; please put your name of the sheet at the back of the Church.

## Bank Details for Direct Giving

*Deposits may be made direct to our Church Bank Account using the following information:*

**Account Name:** Anglican Parish Gympie

**Bank:** Wespac

**BSB:** 704901

**Account Number:** 00005910

*Please use all the four zeros when entering the Account No.*

Please use the appropriate reference identification e.g. **"Giving"** for weekly offering, or if it is for a specific purpose use a word(s) that best describe that.  
Thank you.

## Fancy That Op Shop

We invite you to drop in for a browse and a cuppa anytime you're in town. If you're in need of cool clothing, feel free to check out our range of summer clothing. We have a good range of sizes and styles – you never know what you'll find.

Donations wanted: **Towels and magazines** needed at present.

We welcome any clean, undamaged items such as clothing, bedding, kitchen wares, bric-a-brac, shoes, books, curtains etc.

If you're unsure please call us on 5483 6207.

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