

NEXT SUNDAY AT DECEPTION BAY

26th September ~ Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost - (green)

8:30am Holy Communion - Contemporary Service
5:00pm Holy Communion - Traditional Service

READINGS

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10, 9:20-22 Psalm 124
James 5:12-20 Mark 9:38-50

ROSTERS

TODAY

NEXT WEEK

8:30am

Sunday 19th Sept

Sunday 26th Sept

LA:	Carole Mullan	Kris Frith
Readers:	Rose McIntosh Brian Hine	Christine Davies Roland Seeger
Intercessions:	Jeff Ritchie	Troy Juides
Counters:	Carolyn BUck Jenny Ritchie	Barbara HUnt Diana Ferrari

5:00pm

LA:	Sue Morbach	Paula Rogers
Readers:	Naida Kubert Barbara Johnstone	Barbara Johnstone Sue Morbach
Intercessions:	Sue Morbach	Paula Rogers

KEEPING IN TOUCH ON LINE

Sunday

8:30am Holy Communion live streamed on Facebook
go to freshwateranglican.com
then to 'Join us for worship on Sunday' and click

PEW BULLETIN MATERIAL DEADLINE WEDNESDAY 12 NOON

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The Church of the Risen Christ
43 Park Road, Deception Bay



**Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
19th September 2021**

ENCOUNTER *God's love*
GROW *in Christ*
LIVE *by the Spirit*

OUR VISION:

Through Jesus Christ we are called to lead people to God.
(based on Matthew 28.19-20)

Sentence:

Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all
Mark 9:35

Prayer of the Day

God and Father of all,
you have taught us through your Son
that the last shall be first,
and have made a little child the measure of your kingdom:
give us the wisdom from above,
so that we may understand that in your sight
the one who serves is the greatest of all.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Readings:

Proverbs 31:10-31 Psalm 1
James 3:1-12 Mark 9:30-37



Sunday 19th September

Ps 97; Acts 18:1-4, 24-28

The Church of the Province of Uganda; The Diocese of North West Australia; SAILS Anglican Sailing Adventures in Life Skills Ministry - Gold Coast, Bayside, Sunshine Coast; Ministry with Young Adults; Toowoomba Anglican School, Toowoomba; The Parish of Roma - *Heather Dearden*

Monday 20th September

Ps 48; 1 Kings 13:1-19; Matthew 6:16-24

The Parish of the Falkland Islands - Extra Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury; The Diocese of Perth; Ministry with Street Kids; West Moreton Anglican College, Karrabin; The Parish of Rosewood - *Louise Orpe, Rex Marre, Brenda Davis*

Tuesday 21st September

Ps 50; 1 Kings 13:20-34; Matthew 6:25-7:5

The Diocese False Bay - The Anglican Church of Southern Africa; Society of St Francis; All Saints Anglican School, Merrimac; The Parish of Samford - Robert Paget

Wednesday 22nd September

Ps 51; 1 Kings 14:1-18; Matthew 7:6-23

The Diocese of Fianarantsoa - The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean; The Diocese of Rockhampton; Kilcoy Country Companions; St John's College UQ; The Parish of Sandgate Northpoint - *Mike Donaldson, Malcolm Bell, Alan Gate, George Henry, Jonathan Osborne, Tom Hall*

Thursday 23rd September

Pss 54, 55:1-12; 1 Kings 14:19-15:8; Matthew 7:24-8:4

The Diocese of Florida - The Episcopal Church; The Diocese of Sydney; St Mark's Anglican Social Services, Logan; St Francis Theological College, Milton; The Parish of Sherwood - *Morris Rangiwai - Locum, Robert McKennay, Jackie Hurren*

Friday 24th September

Pss 56, 57; 1 Kings 15:9-24; Matthew 8:5-22

The Diocese of Central Florida - The Episcopal Church; The Diocese of Tasmania; Logan Multicultural Ministry: Anglican Schools Australia Management Committee and Member Schools; The Parish of South Brisbane - *Hugh Begbie - Locum, Rod Irvine, Lex MacQueen, Richard Gibson, Ian McGrath, John Arnold, Michael Quested*

Saturday 25th September

Pss 62, 63; 1 Kings 15:25-16:7; Matthew 8:23-34

The Diocese of Southeast Florida - The Episcopal Church The Diocese of The Murray; All Diocesan Committees; All Anglican Schools Business Managers/ Bursars and Senior Leaders; The Parish of Southport - *Don Parker, John Pinson, Jim Edson*

PARISH LEADERS & COMMUNITY MINISTRY

Parish Priest :	Rev'd. Claye Middleton
Priest's Warden:	Bob Forrester 0409 317 279
People's Wardens:	Carolyn Buck 0410 621 650 Eli Best
Treasurer:	Roland Seeger
Councilors:	Paula Rogers, Christine Davies, Fran Spring, Diana Ferrari, Anne Teale, Melissa Maddox
Synod Reps:	Eli Best
Nominators:	Bob Forrester, Trevor Andrew, Jeff Ritchie
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Website:	www.freshwateranglican.com
Administration:	Tuesday - Friday 9am - 1pm Appointments only. No walk ins.

Claye is contactable by phone outside of those hours, but he is unavailable on Mondays so please contact one of the wardens (numbers as listed above) if urgent assistance is required on that day.



Emergency Relief Pantry
Contact Carolyn Buck in person
or on Mb 0410 621 650



Prayer Chain . Please contact Barbara Johnstone on 3888 4547 or Kris Frith 3092 2185 for your immediate and emergency prayer needs to be directed along the chain. For all other prayer needs please contact the church office.



MU meets on fourth Thursday (9:30am) of each month (except December) at Deception Bay. Please contact Kris Frith on 3092 2185 for further information



Music Group Contact Roland Seeger on 0409 480 411 if you would like to get involved in the music for any of our services

For those who are able to access the internet, stay informed about news, information and events of the Anglican Church Southern Queensland

Wednesday Weekly is a fortnightly publication of information and events for the Anglican Church Southern Queensland community. Visit anglicanchurchsq.org.au/news-publications/wednesday-weekly to subscribe.

Anglican Focus contains magazine-style articles across a wide range of topics and happenings as well as reflections and information about vacancies, etc. Visit anglicanfocus.org.au to subscribe to receive *anglican focus* in your inbox.

If you were on trial for being a Christian, would there be enough evidence to convict you?



SHORT COURSE IN CHRISTIAN LIVING

Men's 80 28th October to 31st October
Women's 80 4th November to 7th November
For more information on attending one of these short courses, please speak to Trevor Andrew, Fran Spring, Gail Carroll, Doug or Kris Frith

THANK YOU

To all who gave of their time and effort in cleaning the church chairs: it has been much appreciated. A big, big thank you.

PARISH MEETING

next Sunday
26th September
after the 8:30am service

All parishioners are recommended to attend this important meeting to discuss the financial position of the parish

CHRISTMAS MARKETS

Anyone who is unable to assist with crafts, plants, baking or volunteering on the day of the Christmas Markets may consider donating to a fund for advertising and marketing.

PARISH DIRECT DEPOSIT

BSB: 704 901
A/c No: 00001080

Please pray for:



Joseph, Omar, Jacinta, Wilma, Lionel, Grace, Simon & Cloe, Jim, Jennifer Shirley Youitt

These names will only remain for the calendar month unless a request to continue is received.

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Reflection

"But surely, God is my helper; the Lord is the upholder of my life ([Psalm 54.4](#))."

"God is our helper."

My father is the wisest and most resourceful person I have ever known. When he was a prisoner of war in World War II, he was forced to work in the coal mines in Japan. He needed to be wise and trust in God to survive the daily threat of gunshot and starvation. My father believed in God, praying every day for the strength to avoid collapsing in front of a railway trolley or a guard, as being seen to be weak could lead to a prisoner being shot.

My Dutch father's wisdom to trust that God would listen to his prayers and uphold his life kept him alive. The strength God gave him also helped him to save the lives of other Allied prisoners, including Australians. He always ensured that food was shared and he supplemented the daily one bowl of rice ration by relying upon nature and eating leaves and roots to survive. As a compassionate high-ranking officer, he also did what he could to keep morale as high as possible so fellow prisoners maintained the will to live.

Being prayerful and trusting in God helped my father to make sensible decisions and judgements, keeping him and other prisoners alive.

Believe in the Holy Spirit, who is our guiding light, and in the power of prayer.

Len - a Cathedral parishioner

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
19 Sept	20 Sept	21 Sept	22 Sept	23 Sept	24 Sept	25 Sept
8:30am Contemporary Eucharist 2:00pm Cursillo Grouping 5:00pm Traditional Eucharist	Claye RDO	10:30am Narangba Community Aged Care	9:00am Men's Coffee 9am-2pm Op Shop The Well	9:30am M.U..		9a-12n Op Shop
26 Sept	27 Sept	28 Sept	29 Sept	30 Sept	01 Oct	02 Oct
8:30am Contemporary Eucharist Parish Meeting follows 5:00pm Traditional Eucharist	Claye RDO		9:00am Men's Coffee 9am-2pm Op Shop The Well			9:30am Ladies Morning Tea
03 Oct	04 Oct	05 Oct	06 Oct	07 Oct	08 Oct	09 Oct
8:30am Contemporary Eucharist 5:00pm Traditional Eucharist	Claye RDO	9:00am Music Practice	9:00am Men's Coffee 9am-2pm Op Shop The Well 10:30am Seabrook N.H.	10:30am Sir James Terrace N.H.		1:00pm Peninsula Ultreya at The Church of the Risen Christ



PARISH FOOD PANTRY

**The following items
are urgently needed**

Small boxes of Cereal
Rice
Tinned Baked Beans
Tinned Spaghetti
Biscuits
Spreads
Spaghetti
2 Litre Long Life Milk

Cash donations also welcome:
place in an envelope
marked "Parish Pantry"

PARISH OP SHOP

**Operates on
the last Saturday
of each month
from
9:00am - 12:00pm
and every Wednesday
from
9:00am - 2:00pm**

COMING EVENTS

Ladies Morning Tea

9:30am
Saturday
2nd October

Deception Bay church
Attendance List in the church foyer
For further information
Contact Carolyn Buck
Mb 0410 621 650

Peninsula Ultreya

(Redcliffe & Freshwater Parishes)

Saturday
9 October

Church of the Risen Christ

12noon BYO Lunch
1:00pm Ultreya

In person or on Zoom
All are welcome

Parish Christmas Market

Saturday
27 November
late afternoon
to
early evening
concluding with Carols



BCA BOX COLLECTION

It's now time for the September collection
of the BCA (Bush Church Aid) boxes.
If you have been so kind as to take a box,
could you please return it on any Sunday
during September.

Please make sure your name is on the box so it can be returned to you
for the next collection in March 2022.

Doug and Kris Frith