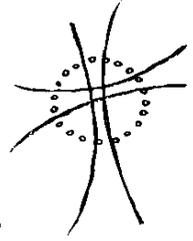




St John's
Anglican Church
Coffs Harbour

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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PRENTCOST
3rd June 2018

**If you wish to know liberty, place your
hand in the hand of Christ Jesus,
and walk out into the world in his peace.**

**Know for sure that nothing is too big for
our Lord to handle, and nothing too
unimportant for his concern.**

**Live by grace – not by self-justification,
by love – not by fear, by faith – not by
anxiety.**

**Live well, for God through Jesus Christ
has chosen this destiny for you.**

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WELCOME

Thank you for joining with us today.

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, or visiting,
please make yourself known to the welcomers or clergy.

If you intend to worship regularly with us, please fill in a card
on the back table, and hand it to the staff or sides person.

Today's Worship

Sentence:

It is the God who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness,' who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. 2 Corinthians 4.6

Prayer of the Day:

Lord God of the nations, you have revealed your will to all people and promised us your saving help:

help us to hear and do what you command,

that the darkness may be overcome by the power of your light;

through Jesus Christ our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

MISSION OF THE MONTH OF JUNE:

Hospital Chaplaincy

The members of St Johns along with other parishes in our diocese are very proud to support that work of a Chaplain to the Coffs Harbour Health Campus. This health facility is always full to capacity and as winter approaches again this year plans are put in place to manage the busyness of the flu season.

The chaplain is there to provide a listening ear, emotional support and spiritual support to patients, relatives and friends, and hospital staff. They can provide support during a crisis as well as during ongoing recovery.

The Chaplaincy in a hospital environment allows for significant opportunities for mission into the wider community and is a marvellous way that we can bring hope and comfort to people in times of need. As a result of the Chaplaincy we meet people from a diversity of places, not just the local community. Pastoral Ministry in the hospital setting brings God in a very meaningful way, to those who may not yet know him as well as peace and comfort to those who do.

Please continue to pray for the chaplaincy work and support it so that we might share God's love with all those with whom we come in contact, and bring hope and comfort in times of need.

Dates for your Diary

3 June	Cursillo "Show Your Colours" Day
6 June	Taize
11 June	Men's Group
13 June	Pizza and Perhaps we could...
16-17 June	Synod
22 June	Parish Luncheon

Please Pray:

- ◆ We remember all those who are sick and need prayers: Brian Armstrong, Rose Marie Beston, Nancy Tigwell, Doreen Brewin, Dan Octigan, Margaret Fisher, Barbara Williams, Norma Campbell.
- ◆ We continue to pray for Tony Fookes, Robyn Michell, Sylvia Broadhurst, Rosemary Majoor, Ken & Val Grant, Annette Lane, Elsie Tillott, Marion Murray, Lesley Lee, Cody Cook, Rae Rediger, Enid Waites, Val Furniss, and Theresa.
- ◆ We pray for those who are mourning the loss of loved ones, especially the family of Margaret Logue.
- ◆ We pray for the Coffs Harbour Health Campus and the staff and patients. Pray for the ministry of the Chaplain and Pastoral Care. May God's Spirit touch many lives with his healing grace.
- ◆ ***We pray for a new Rector, a prayerful pastor, who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments; an encourager who will equip and fill your people with enthusiasm for ministry in this place; one who will enable everyone to fulfil their calling.***

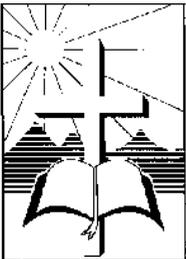
READINGS FOR 10th June 2018

1 Samuel 8.4-11, 16-20

Psalm 138

2 Corinthians 4.13-5.1

Mark 3.20-35



***Presiding & Preaching: Rev Anne Goode
LLM: Allan Reko***

1 Samuel 3.1–10

¹ Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread. ² At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; ³ the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was. ⁴ Then the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' and he said, 'Here I am!' ⁵ and ran to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call; lie down again.' So he went and lay down. ⁶ The Lord called again, 'Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call, my son; lie down again.' ⁷ Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. ⁸ The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. ⁹ Therefore Eli said to Samuel, 'Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, "Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening."' So Samuel went and lay down in his place. ¹⁰ Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' And Samuel said, 'Speak, for your servant is listening.'

Psalm 139.1–7, 15–19
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2 Corinthians 4.5–12

⁵ For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. ⁶ For it is the God who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness', who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. ⁷ But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be made clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us. ⁸ We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; ⁹ persecuted, but not forsaken;

struck down, but not destroyed; ¹⁰ always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be made visible in our bodies. ¹¹ For while we live, we are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus may be made visible in our mortal flesh. ¹² So death is at work in us, but life in you.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Mark, Chapter 2, beginning at verse 23

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

2 ²³ One Sabbath he was going through the cornfields; and as they made their way his disciples began to pluck heads of grain.

²⁴ The Pharisees said to him, 'Look, why are they doing what is not lawful on the Sabbath?' ²⁵ And he said to them, 'Have you never read what David did when he and his companions were hungry and in need of food? ²⁶ He entered the house of God, when Abiathar was high priest, and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and he gave some to his companions.' ²⁷ Then he said to them, 'The Sabbath was made for humankind, and not humankind for the Sabbath; ²⁸ so the Son of Man is lord even of the Sabbath.' **3**

¹ Again he entered the synagogue, and a man was there who had a withered hand. ² They watched him to see whether he would cure him on the Sabbath, so that they might accuse him. ³ And he said to the man who had the withered hand, 'Come forward.'

⁴ Then he said to them, 'Is it lawful to do good or to do harm on the Sabbath, to save life or to kill?' But they were silent. ⁵ He looked around at them with anger; he was grieved at their hardness of heart and said to the man, 'Stretch out your hand.' He stretched it out, and his hand was restored. ⁶ The Pharisees went out and immediately conspired with the Herodians against him, how to destroy him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ
The New Revised Standard Version of the Bible with Apocrypha

Coming Events & Notices

Cursillo “Show Your Colours Day”: Today is *Show Your Colours Day*. This day is designed to promote Cursillo by wearing some bright clothing. Cursillo is a short course in Christian living. The weekends are filled with fellowship, prayer, singing, some time of silence and worship services that aim to bring the participants to a better understanding of what it is to live in a Christian community. There is a series of short talks throughout the weekend and times for discussion. Cursillo weekends are very enjoyable and are for anyone who seeks to draw closer to God and experience His love in a personal way. Please speak to Anne for more information.

Communication Month: The results of the Talking Circle have been discussed at the Parish Council Meeting. As a result of the findings there are several things in the parish that we will work towards improving. Communication is issue that needs to be improved. Parish Council has agreed that this is will be addressed first and a **suggestion box** has been provided.

Suggestion Box: There is a suggestion box near the door of the church. We welcome any comments or suggestions.

Taize: The next Taize service will be on Wednesday 6th June at 6.30pm. After the service, the fellowship continues with a meal at one of the local restaurants. Everyone is welcome.

Men’s Group: Will meet on Monday 11th June at 6.00pm. Please add your name to the list on the notice board if you would like to join the fellowship.

Parish Lunch: On Friday 22nd June at 11.30am, all parishioners are invited to hear Honi Reifler talk about the work of Sherwood Cliffs. Bring & share finger food for lunch. Please add your name to the sign up sheet on the notice board.

Professional Standards Helpline: 1800 070 511 Available 9am to 5pm EST Monday to Friday.

Praying in Anglican Ways on Saturday 23 June, 9.00am – 4.00pm at St Margaret's Hall/Anglican Centre 100 Hyde Street, Bellingen **BYO** Lunch to share; small donation to cover the cost of printing Workbooks. Come, learn and be enriched.

Thank You: The Coffs Harbour Council of Churches would like to thank all those who made the concert on Sunday 27th May such a success. The proceeds amounted to \$1919 and that will provide school fees for children in South Sudan. Thank you to all the performers, those who attended and all the behind the scenes people.

Pizza & Perhaps We Could....Night: Wednesday 13th June 6.30pm to 8pm. Come and offer your ideas about what we might do to for fun activities that will bring the whole parish together. Please come and share your thoughts.

Did you know that you can read the Bulletin on line? If you are away travelling or just cannot make it to Church go to www.coffsharbouranglican church.org

The Sewing Group: Is still looking for a helper for the month of June on Saturday afternoons from 2-5pm. If you can sew and can offer some time please call Jenny Hallett 0477 059 115 or email stjohnscoffs@bigpond.com

Family Service: Our Family Service is on again this week . It is on every Sunday night at 5.30pm during School terms. This service is informal and follows a relaxed format. It is ideal for families with children who wish to have Church time without stress time! The family service offers an opportunity for conversation and creativity as well as an informal Eucharist. The families have decided that we will have a bring and share meal every week for any who want to stay and enjoy fellowship. This will also make it easier for families who can then take their children home, fed, happy and ready for bed! Everyone is welcome. This week we celebrate the Baptism of Sonny Ruxton who is 4 years old. Please pray for him and his family.

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Rev'd David Morgan
Rev'd Dan Octigan

Next Week

Monday 4th June

8.30am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Prepare for Worship

Tuesday 5th June

2.00pm Study Group
1.15pm Masonic Village
3.00pm St Joseph's Aged
Care

Wednesday 6th June

10.00am Eucharist
10.00am Ingenia
11.00am Freedom
2.00pm Study Group
5.45pm Evening Prayer
6.30pm Taize

Thursday 7th June

8.30am Morning Prayer

Friday 8th June

Saturday 9th June

6.00pm Eucharist

Sunday 10th June

7.00am Eucharist
9.00am Eucharist
5.30pm Family Service

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