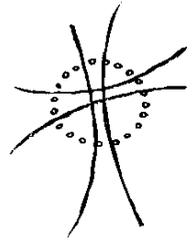




St John's
Anglican Church
Coffs Harbour

www.coffsharbouranglicanchurch.org



**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST**
14th October 2018

**‘sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have
treasure in heaven’...Mark 10:21**

Troubling words for relatively
wealthy western Christians.

But they were said by Jesus to a
specific person for whom
wealth was number 1 priority.

The general teaching in the
New Testament about wealth

is to not depend on it but on God and to be generous...

read 1 Timothy 6:17-19. Back to the ‘rich young ruler’ of today’s
Gospel...is there anything in our lives blocking whole-hearted
devotion to Jesus?

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thing

Sentence: There is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or
mother or father or children or fields, for Jesus’ sake, who will not receive
a hundredfold now in this age, with persecutions, and in the age to come
eternal life. Mark 10.29–30

Prayer of the Day: Merciful God, in your Son you call not the
righteous but sinners to repentance:
draw us away from the easy road that leads to destruction, and guide us
into paths that lead to life abundant, that in seeking your truth, and
obeying your will, we may know the joy of being a disciple of Jesus our
Saviour; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now
and for ever. **Amen.**

Dates for your Diary

14 Oct	Bring and Share Lunch and Recipe Auction
20 Oct	Equip: Children's Ministry Training Day
20 Oct	A Violin for Rose Concert
10 Nov	Op Shop Garage Sale

St John's Anglican Church Coffs Harbour

Children's Church Co-Ordinator

5 hours per week

A job description can be obtained from
www.coffsharbouranglicanchurch.org or by emailing
stjohnscoffs@bigpond.com.

Applications should be emailed to the parish.

Our Church is in need of a Children's and Youth Co-Ordinator Do you know someone who might be suitable to fill this position? Please pray for ministry to our young people and their families.

MISSION OF THE MONTH – OCTOBER:

Typhoon Mangkhut Emergency Appeal

ABM has launched an emergency appeal in response to an urgent request from the Episcopal Church in the Philippines (ECP) . It is aiming to raise \$100,000 to assist the ECP.

More information is available on the ABM website at www.abmission.org/typhoon-mangkhut-emergency

Donations can be made through the website.

Please fill in the form on the Mission table and put it in the offertory plate if you are donating through the website.

Please Pray:

- ◆ We remember all those who are sick and need prayers:
Doreen Brewin, Pat Grimshaw, Dan Octigan, Lesley Lee, Ron and Clarice Randle, Brian Armstrong, Rose Marie Beston, Sue Brewin.
- ◆ We continue to pray for Margaret Fisher, Enid Waites, John and Nancy Tigwell, Hattersley & Laurel Smith-Cameron, Tony Fookes, Robyn Michell, Sylvia Broadhurst, Rosemary Majoor, Barbara Williams, Ken & Val Grant, Annette Lane, Elsie Tillott, Marion Murray, Cody Cook, Rae Rediger, Val Furniss, Lillian Robertson, and Theresa.
- ◆ We pray for those who are mourning the loss of loved ones.
Especially the family of Yvonne Solomon.
- ◆ We give thanks for and pray for Bishop Murray Harvey and his family as he settles into his new role amongst us.
- ◆ We pray for all who serve in our parish, especially our OP Shop volunteers and LLMs.
- ◆ We pray for God to be gracious to our country and send rain where it is needed to refresh the land and all its creatures. May we be better stewards of the blessings that God provides.

READINGS FOR 21st October 2018

Job 38.1-7
Psalm 104.1-10, 26
Hebrews 5.1-10
Mark 10.35-45

Preaching & Presiding:

6pm *Rev'd Ron Bundy*
7am, 9am *Rev'd Anne Goode*
LLM: *Rob Sunderland*



Services in the Orara Valley

Glenreagh and Nana Glen: Rev'd Ron Bundy
Coramba: LLM

Job 23.1-9, 16-17

¹ Then Job answered:

² 'Today also my complaint is bitter;
his hand is heavy despite my groaning.

³ O that I knew where I might find him,
that I might come even to his dwelling!

⁴ I would lay my case before him,
and fill my mouth with arguments.

⁵ I would learn what he would answer me,
and understand what he would say to me.

⁶ Would he contend with me in the greatness of his power?
No; but he would give heed to me.

⁷ There an upright person could reason with him,
and I should be acquitted for ever by my judge.

⁸ 'If I go forward, he is not there;
or backward, I cannot perceive him;

⁹ on the left he hides, and I cannot behold him;
I turn to the right, but I cannot see him.

¹⁶ God has made my heart faint;
the Almighty has terrified me;

¹⁷ If only I could vanish in darkness,
and thick darkness would cover my face!

" Psalm 22.1-15
" APBA Page 241
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Hebrews 4.12-16

¹² Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

¹³ And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

¹⁴ Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession.

¹⁵ For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Mark, Chapter 10, beginning at verse 17

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

¹⁷ As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, ‘Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?’ ¹⁸ Jesus said to him, ‘Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. ¹⁹ You know the commandments: “You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honour your father and mother.” ’

²⁰ He said to him, ‘Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.’

²¹ Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, ‘You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.’ ²² When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

²³ Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, ‘How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!’ ²⁴ And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, ‘Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵ It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.’ ²⁶ They were greatly astounded and said to one another, ‘Then who can be saved?’ ²⁷ Jesus looked at them and said, ‘For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.’ ²⁸ Peter began to say to him, ‘Look, we have left everything and followed you.’ ²⁹ Jesus said, ‘Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, ³⁰ who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. ³¹ But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

The New Revised Standard Version of the Bible with Apocrypha

There are people who have money and
then there are people who are rich

Coming Events & Notices

(see also back page)

Safe Church training : There are two opportunities available:
South Grafton, St Matthew's, Friday 9 November, 9:30am - 4:00pm
OR
South West Rocks, Holy Trinity Hall, Saturday 10 November, 9:30am - 4:00pm
Spaces are limited so please secure your spot ASAP.

Rosters: Sign up sheets are on the notice board for the period 4th November 2018 to 27th January 2019. Please TICK your ministry area and list the dates you are not available. If you are not already on a roster but would like to be, please add your name.

Anglican Mothers Union Australia: Annual Celebration Day: Christ Church Cathedral Grafton, Thursday 25th October commencing at 1.00pm. Guest speaker Sandy Kelly. See notice board for further details.
Christmas Cards: \$6 Pkt of 10; **Diaries:** \$7.50 each.
Contact Jean Knight 6652 6049 or Gae Shorten 0408 141 146.

Bring & Share Luncheon today, starting at 12 noon, including a recipe auction to raise funds for drought relief. There is a sheet on the notice board. Please bring some of your favourite recipes to auction! Come and enjoy the fellowship and fun.

A Violin for Rose: On Saturday 20th October at 2pm here at St John's there will be a 1 hour concert featuring violinist Rose Light with pianist Mei Wei Lim. Please support Rose, a very talented young lady who is working hard to achieve a new violin. Tickets \$15 available at the door.

Equip: On the 20th October there will be a Training Day for all people who want to learn more about Children's Ministry. This will be run in conjunction with Bush Church Aid. See the notice board for more information.

CMS Summer School: 4– 9 January 2019 is now open for bookings. For more information see www.nswsummerschool.org.au

Aged Care Team Meeting: 2pm on Tuesday 30th of October.

Clergy Leave: Rev'd Anne will be on annual leave from the 12th October till the 19th Oct. For all ministry matters please contact Rev'd Ron Bundy or Rev'd Carol Ford.

Trivia Night: Marion Grove, Sawtell with quiz master Trevor Watson. November 2nd at 7pm. Teams of 6 people, or part thereof, welcome to join in the fun. Great prizes, tickets \$10 each. Bring your own drinks, nibbles and a sense of fun. An Ecumenical outreach of the Coffs Harbour Council of Churches in aid of the Al Ahli Arab hospital in Ghaza. The Al Ahli Hospital, the first built in Gaza city, has as its policy to give help to whoever is in need, regardless of race or creed. Bookings appreciated. Ph. Rev Jan McLeod on 6653 2058, or Cass Crocker 6652 9185 or 0421 621 524.

Reaching out to those suffering in the drought can be easier than you think through the **Bush Church Aid Drought Appeal**. **You can donate via the BCA website**

<http://www.bushchurcaid.com.au/content/our-drought-response/>

You have the option of donating through the Kirkby Trust (tax-deductible) or through the General Ministry Fund if you don't need a receipt for tax purposes.

The Parish Council has decided to match total donations from parishioners dollar for dollar to a maximum of \$5,000; in order for this to happen, please let Terry Shorten know of your donation. Alternatively. You can simply place a donation in an envelope marked 'Drought Relief'.

Please pray for this important work.

Prayer for a new Rector:

*Bountiful God, give to the people of St John's
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.*

*Give to those who will choose Wisdom and Discernment
May they be guided by your Holy Spirit.*

*And to us all, give warm and generous hearts.
For the sake of Jesus Christ and Your Glory. **Amen.***

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Rev'd Jan McLeod

Rev'd David Morgan

Rev'd Dan Octigan

Rev'd Naomi Cooke

Next Week

Monday 15th October

8.30am Morning Prayer

4.00pm Band Practice

7.00pm Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday 16th October

Rev'd Anne Goode – Day Off

1.15pm Masonic Village

3.00pm St Joseph's Aged Care

6.00pm EfM

Wednesday 17th October

10.00am Eucharist

10.00am Ingenia Gardens

11.00am Freedom

2.00pm Ladies' Study Group

5.45pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 18th October

8.30am Morning Prayer

Friday 19th October

Saturday 20th October

2.00pm Violin for Rose Concert

6.00pm Eucharist

Sunday 21st October

7.00am Eucharist

9.00am Eucharist

5.30pm Family Service

Parish Bank Details for Direct Deposits

**BSB: 705 077 A/c No:
00030032 Name:** Coffs Harbour
Anglican Parish *Please include a
description e.g. 'offertory.'*