



**ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER:** If you have anything that you would like to have placed in the newsletter please email [southangadmin@bigpond.com](mailto:southangadmin@bigpond.com) by 5.00 pm on Tuesday. We would love to hear from you.

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**

Acts 8.26-40 1 John 4.7-21  
 PSALM 22.26-32 JOHN 15: 1-8

**SERVING THE COMMUNITY**

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**SERVICE TIMES :**

Sunday: 8 am Eucharist South Grafton

Wednesday 10 am Eucharist South Grafton.

**Wooli :** 2nd Sunday of the month at 10.30 am



INSPIRED BY GOD'S GRACE -WE SEEK TO SHARE HIS UNCONDITIONAL LOVE

SUNDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> APRIL 2024 FOURTH SUNDAY IN EASTER



**READINGS:**  
**ACTS 4.5-12**  
**PSALM 23**

**1 JOHN 3.16-24**  
**JOHN 10.11-18**

**SENTENCE**

'I am the good shepherd,' says the Lord. 'I know my own and my own know me.'  
*John 10.14*

**PRAYER OF THE DAY:**

Jesus, good shepherd of the sheep,  
 by whom the lost are sought  
 and guided into the fold:  
 feed us and we shall be satisfied,  
 heal us and we shall be whole,  
 and lead us that we may be with you,  
 where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### CATHEDRAL BOOKSHOP:

Opening hours are Tuesday—Friday 9.30 am—3.30 pm. Wednesday 2.30pm.

### ST. MATTHEW'S OP SHOP:

Opening hours Monday—Friday 9 am—3 pm Sat 9-12 Noon

Donation to the community for February is going to Anglicare emergency fund.



### KIDS' MUSICAL PLAYTIME



**KMP : Friday weekly 9.30am.**

**Currently In recess**

**All Children, Mums, Dads, Carers and Grandparents welcome.**

### PARISH PRAYER POINTS:

- ◆ The people of Ukraine & Russia, Syria, Israel & The Palestinian People, Afghanistan, Myanmar, Tibet & Taiwan, Indonesian New Guinea.
- ◆ The peoples of Morocco and Libya
- ◆ Give thanks for the faithfulness of God, and the work of His spirit in our lives.
- ◆ Pray for the victims, their families and The First Responders of the Massacre at Bondi Junction.
- ◆ Please pray for St Matthews Parish as we endeavour to expand and grow our parish family.

### THOSE WITH ONGOING NEEDS:

- ◆ Peter & Marie Thomson, and Kelvin Wilcox
- ◆ Ken, Carm and Faron from Woolli, Di Grinter and David Palmer.

### PRAYER OF THE WEEK:

God of peace,  
who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus,  
the great shepherd of the sheep,  
through the blood of the everlasting covenant:  
make us perfect in every good work to do your will,  
and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### SAFE CHURCH AWARENESS WORKSHOPS: (Cost is \$40 per person)

To be held at Christ Church Cathedral on

Saturday, 24th August 9.00am to 4pm

Please register by contacting

Maree Collett pa@graftondiocese.org.au

### KMP :

KMP is now in recess and will resume on the 3<sup>rd</sup> May for Term Two.

### BCA Boxes:

Please hand your boxes to Narelle by the 30<sup>th</sup> April for counting.

### THANK YOU:

Thank you to all that have kept me in their prayers, I could feel the presence of God and am most appreciative. On the 18th of January I had a full hysterectomy, suffering no pain only a little soreness. Because the cancer had eaten in too close to the external wall of the uterus I underwent Brachy Therapy at the Royal Brisbane Women's Hospital. I have a follow up appointment with Dr Chan in Brisbane on the 10th May, so am pretty sure all will be well. I have been very fortunate in that the cancer was not in any lymph nodes or any other organ, so have been very blessed. Carmel

