



**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**

**RUTH 3.1-5; 4.3-17**

**PSALM 127**

**HEBREWS 9.19-28**

**MARK 12.38-44**

**SERVING THE COMMUNITY**

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**Hon. Deacon:** Revd. Jenny Parker Ph: 02 66425102

**Wardens:** Peter Barton, Francis Kean and Ena Parmenter

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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

**Rev'd Aaron's Days off are Friday & Saturday each week  
Thursday he is at Coffs Harbour Hospital.**



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

03<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER, 2024 - ALL SAINTS DAY



**READINGS:**

**ISAIAH 25.6-9**

**PSALM 24**

**REVELATION 21.1-6A**

**JOHN 11.32-44**

**SENTENCE**

**And a great multitude, from every nation and tribe and people and language, cried with a loud voice, saying, 'Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!' Revelation 7.10**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY:**

**Eternal God,  
neither death nor life can separate us from your love:  
grant that we may serve you faithfully here on earth,  
and in heaven rejoice with all your saints  
who ceaselessly proclaim your glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and 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—2 pm



### **KIDS' MUSICAL PLAYTIME**

**Friday 9.30am—11.00am free activity all parents, grandparents and carers most welcome.**

**If you would like to volunteer to help with KMP for a couple hours on a Friday morning please see Narelle Kean.**



### **PARISH PRAYER POINTS:**

- ◆ The people of Ukraine & Russia, Syria, Israel & The Palestinian People, Afghanistan, Myanmar, Tibet & Taiwan, Indonesian New Guinea.
- ◆ We pray for those in need and we pray that generosity of the community will continue. We pray for the charities and individuals who provide comfort.
- ◆ Please pray for Parish of South Grafton as we endeavour to expand and grow our parish family.
- ◆ Please pray for "Hope 25"
- ◆ Please pray for Parish Council and Wardens for 2025 to fill vacant positions.

### **THOSE WITH ONGOING NEEDS:**

- ◆ Peter & Marie Thomson, Kelvin Wilcox  
Tanya and family.

### **PRAYER OF THE WEEK.**

God our Father,  
whose will it is to bring all things  
to order and unity in our Lord Jesus Christ:  
may all the peoples of the world,  
now divided and torn apart by sin,  
be brought together under his sovereign rule of love:  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION:**

This month's St Matthew's Anglican Op Shop community donation is to be rolled over to November and December contributions which will then be used to provide Christmas Hampers for the needy

### **PARISH COUNCIL:**

Parish Council will meet at 9am on the 11th November..

### **RETURNING TO THE COMMON CUP:**

As per Bishop Murray's instruction we will be returning to the Common Cup as of Sunday, 13th October. The wine can be by either sipping from the Chalice or by intinction by Rev'd Aaron or Rev'd Jenny, or you may wish to receive the bread only

### **FAMILY GROUP OUTING:**

Sunday 10th November join us in Woolli at St Margaret's for worship at 10.30am followed by lunch at Container Café. RSVP to Frances or Narelle 0429446096 by 5th November please.

### **WORKING BEE:**

Will be held on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 8am to spring clean downstairs area.



### **ANNUAL LEAVE:**

Reverend Aaron will be on leave from the 18th November to the 2nd December. Services in his absence will be conducted by Reverend Judy.

### **HOPE 25 AND TWENTY FIVE YEARS ST MATTHEW'S AT TYSON STREET.**

During Pentecost March 2025 Hope 25 will be launched it will also be 25 years since St Matthew's relocated from Bent Street to Tyson Street, South Grafton. This will be a time of celebration. A working committee will be formed to organize the launch of Hope 25 and Twenty Five years of St Matthew's at Tyson Street. If you are interested in being part of this working group please see Rev'd Aaron (0488041133) or Di Grinter (0466982795)

# HOPE 25

# HOPE IN AN UNCERTAIN WORLD