

PARISH MINISTRY TEAM

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The Reverend Beverley Thorogood The Reverend Matthew Weatherley
The Reverend Garth Shaw The Reverend Graheme Baldock

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ST ANNE'S DIRECTORY

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Direct Giving To the Parish: Name: Toowoomba St James Parish Operating Account
BSB: 704-901 Account: 0000500 Bank: Indue Reference: Surname

ST ANNE'S REGULAR EVENTS

MONDAYS - 9.15am Playtime! During School Terms ☎ Sandy 0421 121 209
WEDNESDAYS - 9am Morning Prayer / 9.30am Bible Study - 2nd & 4th Wednesdays
2nd WEDNESDAYS - 10.30am Coffee + Chat Highfields Cafes ☎ Lyn 4615 5258
SATURDAYS - 8am Working Bee - 3rd Saturday - ☎ Rod 0421 189 852
CAR-BOOT SALE - 3rd Saturday- 8am - 12noon - Feb, May, Aug, Nov
Bookings: ☎ Ted 4642 5478 or Ashley 0439 547 030
or www.anglicanhighfields.org.au/new-carbootbooking

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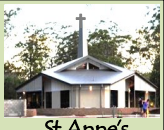


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St James
Cnr Russell
& Mort Sts
Toowoomba

Welcome Home!
A PLACE WHERE YOU BELONG
**ANGLICAN PARISH OF
ST JAMES', TOOWOOMBA**
WITH **ST ANNE'S, HIGHFIELDS**
28th April 2024 - Fifth Sunday of Easter - Yr B



St Anne's
26 Highfields Rd
HIGHFIELDS

ST JAMES': SATURDAY: 6PM: EUCHARIST: VEN MARK CARLYON.
SUNDAY 7.30AM: EUCHARIST: VEN MARK CARLYON.
SUNDAY 10AM: EUCHARIST: VEN MARK CARLYON.
SUNDAY 1PM: SUDANESE COMMUNITY WORSHIP: REV PETER MAYEN

ST ANNE'S: SUNDAY 8.30AM: EUCHARIST: REV ANDREW OSBOURNE.
SUNDAY 11.00AM: BAPTISM SERVICE: REV ANDREW OSBOURNE.

I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.



WORSHIP TIMES

St James: Holy Communion: Wed 10am, Sat 6pm, Sun 7.30am & 10am
St Anne's: Morning Prayer: Wed 9am; Holy Communion: Sun 8.30am
Zoom Church: Holy Communion 8.30am on Sundays: <https://zoom.us> (ID: 688852424)
Baptisms & Weddings by Appointment.



GLUTEN-FREE COMMUNION BREADS ARE AVAILABLE 2

Please advise the Priest at the time of Communion

We acknowledge and pay respect to the Jarawair, Gaibal and western Wakka Wakka peoples, the Traditional Custodians and Ancestors of this land. We acknowledge their continued survival and spiritual connection to country and surrounding land, sky and water. We pay our respects to their Elders, past and present, and to everyone who is here today, and may we learn from and nurture each other in the spirit of reconciliation.

TODAY'S READINGS: 28/04/2024



FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Y_R B

Acts 8.26-40

Psalms 22.26-32

1 John 4.7-21

John 15.1-8

OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

ST JAMES: DES W, DAPHNE H, LORRAINE J, KEVIN S, ANITA D, PAULINE H, HAMISH M, DON G, JACKIE S, JEFFREY H, MARGARET H, LYNNE M, LES W, IAN B, BRENDA G, AMBER B, KYLIE B & BRANDI B, ANDY J.

ST ANNE'S: RACHEL, LIAM & ELIJAH H, LYN H, FIONA S, LYNNE N, CAITLIN T, ED J.

HOLY BAPTISM: ST ANNE'S - BEAR O'BRIEN.

BORN TO ETERNAL LIFE: VAL CUTCLIFFE FUNERAL IS WEDNESDAY 1ST MAY AT 1PM

YEAR'S MIND: BARBARA CARLILE, ELVIE CLAYTON, BRUCE CHARLTON, CLARICE PAILTHORPE, SHIRLEY LETHBRIDGE, PETER DOUGLAS

For news from the Anglican Church of Southern Queensland and beyond, visit or sign up for fortnightly updates from:

Anglican Focus: www.anglicanchurchsq.org.au/anglican-focus

Wednesday Weekly: www.anglicanchurchsq.org.au/wednesday-weekly

You can find the current pew bulletin, readings and slides for each service online at: <https://stjames.org.au/this-sunday> These are updated each week on Friday or Saturday. You can also find a link to the written copy of Fr Mark's & Rev Melissa's sermons at: <https://stjames.org.au/about-us>. There is lots of other information on the St James' and St Anne's webpages so check them regularly.

Social Justice Action Group: A new group is forming in the Parish for regular discussion and to advertise specific events that are relevant to a range of social justice issues. Are you still interested? If so, could you please reply to the office with your interest and whether you think it would be helpful to get together periodically to talk about the things we feel passionate about. Coming up, we would really like some help with the Movies that Matter events, which we co-sponsor with Amnesty International in Toowoomba. These movies are shown every second month in the hall at St James', and feature a range of social justice issues. We watch a film, have a brief discussion and continue talking over supper. Help is needed for setting up chairs and packing up, and serving supper (supplied). Kind regards Melissa

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APRIL

REV MELISSA WILL BE ON LEAVE UNTIL 30 April - returning to work May 1

Mon 29th **PLAY SONGS & STORIES**: St Anne's, 9.15 - 10.45am. Sandy Whybird ☎4698 7624

MAY

Wed 1st **COMMUNITY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am at St Anne's

EUCARIST - 10am - St James' Church

AMS - Dinner & Meeting - 6pm at Parish Centre.

Fri 3rd **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION** - 11am in St James' Church - Joanne Anderson ☎0431 373 978

Sun 5th **CONGREGATION MEETING between Services at St James'**

Mon 6th **PLAY SONGS & STORIES**: St Anne's, 9.15 - 10.45am. Sandy Whybird ☎4698 7624

Tues 7th **TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am on **FACEBOOK** or **YOUTUBE**

Wed 8th **COMMUNITY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am at St Anne's followed by

ST ANNE'S BIBLE STUDY: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month - St Anne's Church

EUCARIST - 10am - St James' Church, **FOLLOWED BY DEVONSHIRE TEA / COFFEE**

ST ANNE'S COFFEE & CHAT - 10.30am .

Fri 10th **BRODRIBB SERVICE** - 10.30am

Sat 11th **BRASS CLEANING** - St James - 8.30am

Mon 13th **PLAY SONGS & STORIES**: St Anne's, 9.15 - 10.45am. Sandy Whybird ☎4698 7624

Tues 14th **TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am on **FACEBOOK** or **YOUTUBE**

Wed 15th **COMMUNITY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am at St Anne's

EUCARIST - 10am - St James' Church

PARISH COUNCIL - 7.00pm at St Zoom's

Fri 17th **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION** - 11am in St James' Church - Joanne Anderson ☎0431 373 978

Sat 18th **CAR BOOT SALE** - St Anne's grounds - 8am - 12noon - come along and bag a bargain!

Mon 20th **PLAY SONGS & STORIES**: St Anne's, 9.15 - 10.45am. Sandy Whybird ☎4698 7624

Tues 21st **TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am on **FACEBOOK** or **YOUTUBE**

Wed 22nd **EUCARIST** - 9am at St Anne's followed by

ST ANNE'S BIBLE STUDY: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month - St Anne's Church

EUCARIST - 10am - St James' Church

Fri 24th **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION** - 11am in St James' Church - Joanne Anderson ☎0431 373 978

Mon 27th **PLAY SONGS & STORIES**: St Anne's, 9.15 - 10.45am. Sandy Whybird ☎4698 7624

Tues 28th **TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am on **FACEBOOK** or **YOUTUBE**

Wed 29th **COMMUNITY MORNING PRAYER** - 9am at St Anne's

EUCARIST - 10am - St James' Church

Fri 31st **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION** - 11am in St James' Church - Joanne Anderson ☎0431 373 978



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: 05/05/2024

PATRONAL FESTIVAL



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Y_R B

Acts 8.26-40




Psalms 22.26-32


1 John 4.7-21

John 15.1-8

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 **COFFEE and CHAT:** 10.30am - 2nd Wed of the month at various cafes in Highfields.


PLAY  **SONGS**  & **STORIES** : At St Anne's on Mondays, 9.15am. **During School Terms.** Gold Coin donation. Sandy ☎4698 7624, 📠0421 121 209.

 **ST ANNE'S WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDIES:** 9.30am after Morning Prayer or Holy Communion 2nd & 4th Wednesdays. Melissa 0411255 072.

 **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP:** Meditation is usually on Fridays in St James' Church at 11am. Join us for quiet time with the Lord. **RESUMES 19th APRIL**

 **ZOOM BIBLE STUDY:** Resumes in May.

PARISH NAME BADGES: If you would like a name badge please contact the Parish Office to place your order.

 **PROPOSED PARISH PROJECT:** Parish Council has a committee currently investigating a way to raise funds for the whole parish by opening the shed at St Anne's as a trash and treasure/ garage sale on a monthly basis, aligned with the current Trash and Treasure stall at the Car Boot Sales. While investigations are underway, we will provide regular updates about progress and answer your questions as they arise.

Appointment of Assistant Bishop

The election of Archbishop Jeremy created a vacancy for a new Bishop for the Northern Region of our Diocese.

Following considerable prayer and with the concurrence of the Diocesan Council Archbishop Jeremy has announced that the Reverend Canon Sarah Plowman has accepted his invitation to be an Assistant Bishop in the Diocese of Brisbane and to serve as Bishop for the Northern Region.

Canon Sarah currently holds the position of Director of Discernment and Formation based at St Francis Theological College. Her current role is to carry oversight of those who are in training for Ordination as well as oversight of Clergy in their first three years of ministry.

Canon Sarah was ordained deacon in 2004 and priest in 2005.

Canon Sarah will be consecrated a Bishop of the Church of God at the Diocesan Synod Eucharist on Friday 21 June 2024, at 7.00pm.

Please pray for Canon Sarah as she prepares to take up this important ministry in our Diocese.



Got Something to sell? Stall sites \$ 15

Bag A Bargain

Devonshire

EVERYTHING MUST GO

HIGHFIELDS

PLANT SALE

Sausage Sizzle

Hand-crafted Jewellery & Fashion Accessories

TRASH & TREASURE

St Anne's Market and Car Boot Sale
St Anne's Grounds
Saturday 18th May '24
From 8am - 12noon

Bric-a-Brac
vintage + handmade

To secure a site call:
Ashley Newton ☎ 0439 547 030
or www.anglicanhighfields.org.au/new-carboobooking

KEEP CALM AND VISIT THE CAKE STALL

Prayer to stop violence

God our Father and Protector, we come to You in need and seek Your divine protection. We ask You to soften the hearts of people who want to inflict harm and violence on others. Hear the cry of the victims of violence. Draw them near to Your heart. May You be their refuge and hope. May love triumph over hate, peace over conflict, and Your light over darkness. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

AMEN

PRACTICAL COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT IN THE DIGITAL AGE
REACH OUT AND TOUCH TO ENHANC

SOCIAL FLOURISHING

VENUE:
ST. PATRICK'S
CATHEDRAL
CENTRE, 123
NEIL ST.
TOOWOOMBA
4350

SATURDAY
18 | 05 | 24

FREE REGISTRATION AT:
[HTTPS://EVENTS.HUMANITIX.COM/SOCIAL-
FLOURISHING-A-TOOWOOMBA-COMMUNITY-
FORUM](https://events.humanitix.com/social-flourishing-a-toowoomba-community-forum)

JOINTLY ORGANISED BY



CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE: Time to cash in your wine & spirit bottles and anyone with drink cans and glass or plastic drink bottles, please bring them into St James & St Anne's in plastic bags for recycling and Jim Smith will cash them in, the money will go into Parish Funds.

For collection ph: 0475 267 677 Jim.

DIRECT DEBIT

For those Parishioners who wish to use direct debit for their giving:

Bank: **Anglican Financial Services.**

Account Name: **Toowoomba St James Parish Operating Account;**

BSB Number: 704901 Account Number: **00000500**

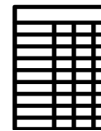
Please include your surname for reference purposes.

Youth Gathering @ St James' is a new group for our young people from high-school to university age, which began meeting in 2023. Are you in secondary school or university or TAFE college or in work? Come and join in. You are welcome! Go to <https://stjames.org.au/youth-stjames> to find out how to join.



USED STAMPS

Could you please bring in and continue to save your used stamps. Lyn will send them on to a friend in Stanthorpe who processes and prepares all stamps collected for ABM. They then go to auction. Numbers of stamps are diminishing and therefore ABM revenue is also reduced. Tear off the stamp and leave a bit of



Parish Roll. Have your contact details changed? We are updating the parish roll and would like to know if any of your details have changed. Please ask a parish or centre warden to show you the printed copy so that you can note any changes. Alternatively, please send an email to office@stjames.org.au with the new details.

Quiet Day

Presenter: Kath Houston

Date: **Saturday, April 27 2024**

Theme: **'Finding Simplicity'**

Venue: St Matthew's Anglican, Drayton

Time: 9.30am - cuppa for 10am start - 2.30pm finish.

BYO - Mug & Lunch

"Silence releases a creative response to life, to our environment, and friends, because it gives our spirit room to breathe, room to simply be."

John Main

During this Quiet Day we will explore the spaces in our life where our spirit can be at peace and rest in God.

Beginners are welcome – and we are all beginners!

Registration by 19/04/24

Joanne: joa4350@gmail.com or 0431373978