

We strive to spread the Gospel through word and action within our local communities and so reflect the love of Christ

19 NOVEMBER 2023
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Readings for 19 November

Zephaniah 1.7, 14—18
Psalm 123
1 Thessalonians 5.1—11
Matthew 25.14—30, 34



God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore encourage one another and build up each other.

1 Thessalonians 5.9, 11

Prayer of the Day:

Everliving God,
before the earth was formed,
and even after it shall cease to be, you are God.
Break into our short span of life
and show us those things that are eternal,
that we may serve your purpose in all we do;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in unity with the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

As we gather in the various churches of our parish, we acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Jagera, Yuggera and Ugarapul peoples, and their elders past and present. We honour the connection the traditional custodians have with this land.



Services for 19 November

Saint Luke's, Rosewood

8:30am (Rev'd John Simons)

5:00pm Prayer & Praise

Saint Anne's Hidden Vale

10:30am (Rev'd John Simons)

Next Sunday

Saint Luke's, Rosewood

Healing Prayer

8:30am (Rev'd John Simons)

5:00pm Eucharist

Saint James, Lowood

10:30am (Rev'd Bill Ross)



Morning Prayer

9:00am Tuesdays in the Outreach Centre, Rosewood. All welcome!

Community Outreach

9:00am—12:00pm Fridays in the Op Shop shed, Rosewood. Join us for a cuppa and a chat, and check out what's new in the shed. Help spread the word to our community.

Men's Group

The Men's Group meets on the last Monday night of the month. Join us for a meal, fellowship and a guest speaker. All welcome, starting 6:00pm at St Luke's, Rosewood.



Donate to Anglican Board of Mission Al Ahli Hospital Appeal

AID has launched an emergency appeal for the Al Ahli Hospital in Gaza.



Notices

Men's Group

Next Monday will be the final Men's Group for the year and all are invited; partners, wives and friends. The guest speaker is from the RAAF, Sam, who flies Air Tankers. Please let Col know if you are attending for catering.

Sunday Service 26 November

Rev'd John will be offering Healing Prayer for anyone who desires it at his services at 8:30am and 5:00pm.



Ukelele and Guitar group

Each Thursday our hall is being hired by a group teaching guitar and ukelele. Arrive at 9:30am for a 10:00am start, break for lunch at 12:00—12:30pm, then practice together as a group until 3:00pm. Tuition is \$5, please bring your own instrument.

Friends on Friday

We have had a few visitors each week, as well as some regular parishioners who enjoy a coffee and a chat. We are in need of some adult coat hangers if anyone has any to spare.

Parish Elections

The Parish Elections will be held on 3 December, after the service at St Luke's. Nomination forms and the Election Guide will be available shortly. Please consider serving the parish as Parish Councillor or Warden.



27 November—Men's Group
2 December—Ordination of deacons & priests
2 December—Parish Christmas party
3 December—Parish elections

Pray Daily—Sunday 19 November

- The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)
- The Diocese of North West Australia: †Darrell Parker; Clergy and People
- The Parish of Manly: Keith Dean-Jones – Locum, Dianne Black, Judith Phillipps
- Ecumenical Tertiary Chaplaincy
- Toowoomba Anglican School, Toowoomba: Head of School— Simon Lees; Chaplaincy team; Chair of School Council— Mac Drysdale; members of School Council; staff & students

Pray for those in need:

We give thanks for prayers answered and ask for continued prayers for: Leone, Clarrie, Barry, Simon, Marj, Adeline, Dorothy, Clayton, parishioners in the congregation of Saint James.

Pray for those whose need is ongoing:

Kim L, Jan Embrey, Yvonne and Ian Hillard, Enid and Susanne Mallon.

Please note: At the beginning of every month the prayer list will be reviewed. Please make contact and update our prayers with progress and of healing as appropriate. Thank you.

Parish Directory

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Romans 8:28

“And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.”

**Giving: Envelopes are available at each centre. To deposit offerings:
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