



GUNNEDAH ANGLICAN CHURCH

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GETTING IT STRAIGHT

Bible Readings

1 Corinthians 15:1 – 11 Page 1139

Romans 1:13 – 17 Page 1112

Pre-reading for next week's Sermon

Acts 1:1 – 8

Mission Statement

Love God, Follow His Word, Seek the Lost,
Equip them for His Kingdom.

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WELCOME

Welcome to all who are visiting with us today!

MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again.

2 Corinthians 5:14 – 15

OFFERING AND BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

Our church is financed by its members. To express your membership financially, you can give by the popular direct debit method from your bank into the church account or alternatively use the plate. For more information see *Good Giving Guide* on the back table. Bank Details are: Gunnedah Anglican Church – BSB 082842, Account Number 676329471.

EVERYDAY EVANGELISM

75 people attended the sessions run on a Tuesday night or Friday morning. If you missed a session and would like to catch up, a DVD is available to borrow – see David or the office.

ABORTION BILL - YOUR SAY IS NEEDED!

The Archbishop of Sydney is calling on Anglicans to pray and contact their Upper House MP to voice 'No' regarding the Late Abortion bill which effectively opens the way for Abortion to happen right up until birth, therefore, if you can ring them. Please find their contact details on the back table in the letter from Barnaby Joyce.

CHRISTIAN BOOK SALE

A Christian book sale will be held at Calrossy Anglican School (Brisbane Street Campus) on Saturday September 28, 8am to 4pm. This will coincide with Synod, but all are welcome to come along and check out the selection. The funds raised from the purchase of these pre-loved books will help with the development of the Canon Ndimbirwe Bible College library in Uganda. There are flyers on the back table.

FUTURE DATES

11 September	Men's Toolbox Dinner with David Mansfield
21 September	Mini Fete
22 September	Term 3 Prayer Meeting
27 – 29 September	Synod
26 October	Men's Shed Breakfast

PRAYER MEETING ON SOON

On Sunday 22 September, 6pm in the hall, we are holding a Soup and buns Term 3 prayer meeting. Prayer is one of the core values we seek to have a s church, therefore please make it a priority.

UGANDA PARTNERING WITH THE NEWMANS

To be in partnership with Andy and Margie in prayer or giving, please go online and fill in the form. Or, you can support them financially through the offertory envelopes if you would prefer.

CHURCH MINI FETE

Our Annual Church Mini Fete is on Saturday 21 September. Can you help out in some with plants, cakes, produce and craft for our stalls? Please put you name on the sheet on the back table and mark the date in your calendar – we look forward to seeing you there!

MEN'S TOOLBOX DINNER THIS WEEK

This Wednesday 11 September, 6pm in the hall, with speaker David Mansfield (Anglican Aid) on "Hope in Hard Times". Anglican Aid has helped out in our district with the drought. Come along and invite a mate! RSVP on the sheet on the back table by **TODAY**.

TOUCH FOOTBALL REGO

Playing in a church Touch Football team is a good way to be mixing with the community and also an opportunity to invite someone to play who's not part of the church. For further information on rego, see Greg Stones.

SEEING JESUS CLEARLY PRAYER POINTS

If you missed out on the weekly prayer points last week, please collect a copy of the back table and use in your regular prayers. Please note: these prayer points have also been loaded onto our church's Prayermate App prayerpoints.

BOOKSTALL – RECOMMENDED BOOKS TO BORROW

In this year of Evangelism Training and Prayer, we have purchased 3 books that we would like as many people as possible to borrow and read. There are 2 on Prayer and 1 on gospel centred life. Please borrow, mark on the sheet, read (quickly and bring back so others can read), and mark off on the sheet. Happy Reading, may God bless you to grow in your heart for the lost as you do so!

UGANDA 2020 PRAYER POINTS

If you'd like to pray for the Diocesan Uganda 2020 team in the preparation for the conference in January, there are prayer points on the back table.

NEW NEWSPAPERS

New editions of the Southern Cross and Link are in the foyer. Please take a copy.

Parish Vision Prayer No 3

Heavenly Father,

Please be at work in our community opening many hearts to the gospel and using us to shine as a light for you, that many would be drawn to Jesus in repentance and faith, and become established among His people. Please compel us with Christ's love, strengthen us in our prayer and witness, give us courage to speak and faithfulness to persevere.

In Jesus' Name, Amen

Sickness – pray for Joan Eyeington, Roslyn Gruber, Keith & Nancy Sharman, Judy White, Brian & Lorna Thompson, Ken Schofield, Betty Brady, Bob Groth, Julie Gosper, Marj Holton, Rev Greg Peisley and Reena McIntosh (Phil & Tina's granddaughter)

Prayer Support available – please see Wayne Langdon, Robyn Sommerlad, Helen Anderson or Sandra Price.

Pray that we would be prepared to give the reason for the hope we have.

Diocese: Pray for the Parish of Glen Innes

Vicar David and Jenna Robinson

High School Chaplains Louise Espinoza, Ron Weeble

Prison Chaplain Mark Dawson

Pray for the Parish of Gunnedah

Vicar Scott and Jo Dunlop

Associate David and Joanne Piper

MTS Apprentice Lisa Newnham

SERMON NOTES

GETTING IT STRAIGHT

1 Corinthians 15:1 – 11 | Romans 1:13 – 17

The importance of getting it straight.

What the Gospel is NOT:

- Not us
- Not our events
- Not the whole Bible

What the Gospel is – short answer

1 Corinthians 15 and 2 Timothy 2:8

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Be prepared!

What the gospel is – long answer

The Gospels are the gospel!

Using the Gospels