



**ST PETER'S**  
ANGLICAN CHURCH  
CREMORNE

# **21st Sunday after Pentecost**

## **22 October 2023**

### **Pet Thanksgiving Service**

**WELCOME to St Peter's Church today.** I am delighted that you can join us in worship.

If you are a newcomer or visiting, I especially look forward to meeting you *and your pets* and hope that you feel welcome. May I invite you to sign the visitors' book on the back table. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask one of the greeters at the door.

I hope you can stay and enjoy morning tea after the service.  
Tim St Quintin, Rector.

#### **TODAY'S SERVICE 9AM**

**SUNG EUCHARIST**  
**PREACHER**  
**SERVICE LEADER**

*DAN GILLIS*  
*REV'D TIM ST QUINTIN*

**ORGANIST**

*GLENN AMER*

A Hearing Loop is available in the pews on the left-hand side of the church. Toilets are available in the Lower Hall and a mobility access toilet in the David Armstrong Room.

## GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

*Please stand*

- 1        *All things bright and beautiful,  
All creatures great and small;  
All things wise and wonderful,  
The Lord God made them all.*
  
- 2        The wildflowers in their beauty,  
          the mountain ranges tall,  
          the billabongs and rivers,  
          and friendly birds that call.  
          *All things bright and beautiful .....*
  
- 3        The cold wind in the winter  
          The right, life giving sun,  
          The ripe fruits in the garden  
          He made them every one.  
          *All things bright and beautiful .....*
  
- 4        The coloured walls of gorges,  
          the gum trees green and tall,  
          the rocks, and pools, and palm trees,  
          the sparkling waterfall.  
          *All things bright and beautiful .....*
  
- 5        The many coloured corals,  
          The creatures of the sea,  
          Of bushland, field or desert,  
          As pets, or roaming free.  
          *All things bright and beautiful .....*
  
- 6        He gave us eyes to see them,  
          And lips that we might tell,  
          How great is God Almighty  
          Who has made all things well.  
          *All things bright and beautiful .....*

*Service Leader welcomes the people with a greeting.*

✠ Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**Blessed be God's Kingdom, now and for ever.**

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you.

**And also with you.**

## **SENTENCE**

In the past God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets at many times and in various ways, <sup>2</sup> but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom also he made the universe. <sup>3</sup> The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word.

Hebrew 1:1-3

Let us pray.

**Gracious God, we humbly thank you for all your gifts so freely given to us, for life and health and safety, for power to work, leisure to rest, and for all that is beautiful in creation and human life. But, above all, we praise you for our Saviour Jesus Christ, for his death and resurrection, for the gift of your Spirit, and for the hope of sharing in your glory. Fill our hearts with all joy and peace in believing; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

# THE CONFESSION

*Senior Server*

God shows great love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us.

*Silence*

Let us then confess our sins in penitence and faith.

**Merciful God,  
our maker and our judge,  
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,  
and in what we have failed to do:  
we have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves;  
we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.  
Father, forgive us. Strengthen us to love and obey you in  
newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**


# THE ABSOLUTION


*Celebrant*


Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith: ✠ pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

# GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

The musical score is written on four staves of music in a 4/4 time signature with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The first staff begins with a dynamic marking of *f* (forte). The lyrics are: "Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth. Lord God,". The second staff continues with: "hea-ven-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we". The third staff starts with a dynamic marking of *mf* (mezzo-forte) and contains the lyrics: "praise You for Your glo-ry. Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther,". The fourth staff concludes with: "Lord God, Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us; You at".

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 seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. For You a - lone are the

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 Ho - ly One, You a - lone are the Lord, You a - lone are the Most High,

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 Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther, A - men.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Heavenly Father,  
 thank you for filling the world with beauty and bounty,  
 in the cities and the country, on the coast and inland.  
 You blessed the first humans and commanded them  
 to fill the earth and subdue it.  
 You supply seed to the sower and bread to the eater.  
 But we and our ancestors have mistreated and damaged  
 the environment.  
 Even our best efforts have been tarnished with ignorance or  
 self-interest.  
 Please continue to bless us with a fruitful world,  
 and sustain us with the resources we need for life.  
 Guide the nations and large corporations  
 to seek co-operative and responsible ways of caring for  
 the environment.  
 Give individuals the willingness to play their part  
 in being wise stewards of what you give us.  
 May we look to you as the creator and sustainer of our world  
 and give you glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

## CATECHISM

### 24. WHAT IS PROMISED IN THE GOSPEL?

**Through the Gospel we receive the good news of God's steadfast love for us and for all, the forgiveness of sins, his promised Holy Spirit, eternal life and the kingdom of God. All these gifts of God are found in Jesus Christ, (2 Corinthians 1:20) who loved us and gave himself for us (Galatians 2:20).**

### THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

*Please be seated*

### FIRST READING

A reading from **Genesis 1:20 – 25**

And God said, "Let the water teem with living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the vault of the sky."<sup>21</sup> So God created the great creatures of the sea and every living thing with which the water teems and that moves about in it, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good.<sup>22</sup> God blessed them and said, "Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the water in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth."<sup>23</sup> And there was evening, and there was morning—the fifth day.

<sup>24</sup> And God said, "Let the land produce living creatures according to their kinds: the livestock, the creatures that move along the ground, and the wild animals, each according to its kind." And it was so.<sup>25</sup> God made the wild animals according to their kinds, the livestock according to their kinds, and all the creatures that move along the ground according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good.

Hear the Word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

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WILLIAM RUSSELL



- 24 When the sun rises | they re|tire:  
and | lay them • selves | down • in their | dens.
- 25 Man goes | out • to his | work:  
and to his | labour • un|til the | evening
- 26 Lord how various | are your | works:  
in wisdom you have made them all and the | earth is | full of • your | creatures.
- 27 There is the wide im|measur•able | sea: there move living things  
without | number, great and | small;
- 28 There go the ships | to and | fro:  
and there is that Leviathan whom you | formed to |sport• in the | deep.
- 29 These all | look to | you:  
to give them their | food in | due | season.
- †30 When you give it to | them they | gather it:  
when you open your hand, they are | satisfied • with | good | things.

## SECOND READING

A reading from the Apostle Paul's letter to the **Romans 8:18-25**

I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. <sup>19</sup> For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed. <sup>20</sup> For the creation was subjected to frustration, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope <sup>21</sup> that<sup>[a]</sup> the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the freedom and glory of the children of God. <sup>22</sup> We know that the whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time. <sup>23</sup> Not only so, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption to sonship, the redemption of our bodies. <sup>24</sup> For in this hope we were saved. But hope that is seen is no hope at all. Who hopes for what they already have? <sup>25</sup> But if we hope for what we do not yet have, we wait for it patiently.

Hear the Word of the Lord, **thanks be to God.**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Please stand*

*Cantor*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

**Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds! Luke 12:24

**Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **Luke 12:22-34**





Then Jesus said to his disciples: “Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat; or about your body, what you will wear. <sup>23</sup> For life is more than food, and the body more than clothes. <sup>24</sup> Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds! <sup>25</sup> Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to your life? <sup>26</sup> Since you cannot do this very little thing, why do you worry about the rest?

<sup>27</sup> “Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labour or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendour was dressed like one of these. <sup>28</sup> If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today, and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, how much more will he clothe you—you of little faith! <sup>29</sup> And do not set your heart on what you will eat or drink; do not worry about it. <sup>30</sup> For the pagan world runs after all such things, and your Father knows that you need them. <sup>31</sup> But seek his kingdom, and these things will be given to you as well.

<sup>32</sup> “Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. <sup>33</sup> Sell your possessions and give to the poor. Provide purses for yourselves that will not wear out, a treasure in heaven that will never fail, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. <sup>34</sup> For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**SERMON** - *Please sit*

## **THE NICENE CREED**

*Senior Server*

Let us together affirm the faith of the Church:

**We believe in one God, the Father,  
the almighty, maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,**

**God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again in accordance  
with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living  
and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the  
Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has  
spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
✠ and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*Senior Server*

Let us pray for the world and for the Church.

*All sit/kneel*

*Periods of silence may be briefly kept for personal prayer. Each petition ends with this response:*

Lord in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Accept our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord who taught us, to pray,

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen**

## **THANKSGIVING FOR THE BLESSING OF PETS**

*All Stand*

### **THE GREETING OF PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

*All are invited to greet those immediately around them with the words,  
“Peace be with you” “And also with you”.*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God, maker of heaven and earth.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of creation, for the earth which you have made, and for all the animals who enjoy what you have made. Father, you have given us, the people of this earth, the responsibility of ruling over all the creatures of the earth, that we may shepherd them, attend to their flourishing, and humbly benefit from their provisions. We ask your forgiveness for our common failings to appreciate and value all that you have made and ask that you would make us mindful of our duties and the need to seek your wisdom in our task. Show us how to care for your world and teach us to treat all your creatures with prudent kindness, as is fitting and honorable in your sight.

**Amen**

We ask you, heavenly Father, to bless these animals, our friends, your creatures. Make them a sign to us of your care for all your creation, as well as your delight in giving good gifts to be enjoyed and received with thanksgiving. All this we ask in the name of God our Creator, our Redeemer, and Sustainer.

**Amen.**

## **PRAYER FOR OFFERTORY**

Gracious God, all things come from you, and you teach us to be generous with what we have. We pray that our gifts may be wisely used for the ministry of the gospel and the relief of those in need, for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

## **NOTICES**

*Please be seated*

## **GOD'S BLESSING**

*Please stand*

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## **DISMISSAL**

*Senior Server*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord:

**In the name of Christ. Amen.**

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

*Tune: Lasst uns Erfreuen*

*Please stand*

- 1 All creatures of our God and King,  
lift up your voice and with us sing  
Alleluia, alleluia;  
O burning sun with golden beam,  
and silver moon with softer gleam,  
*O praise him, O praise him,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*
  
- 2 Swift-rushing winds that are so strong,  
and clouds that sail in heaven along,  
O praise him, alleluia;  
Fresh-rising morn, in praise rejoice,  
and lights of evening, find a voice:  
*O praise him, O praise him,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*
  
- 3 O flowing water, pure and clear,  
make music for your Lord to hear,  
alleluia, alleluia!  
O fire, so masterful and bright,  
providing us with warmth and light,  
*O praise him, O praise him,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*
  
- 4 And everyone of tender heart,  
forgiving others, take your part,  
O praise him, alleluia!  
all who long pain and sorrow bear  
Praise God and on him cast your care;  
*O praise him, O praise him,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*
  
- 5 Let all things their Creator bless,  
and worship him in humbleness;  
O praise him, alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
and praise the Spirit, Three in one:  
*O praise him, O praise him,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

## ORGAN POSTLUDE

*The sanctuary party leaves and the congregation sits. As a courtesy to those who remain in the church to listen to the organ postlude in its entirety, you are encouraged to enjoy conversation and fellowship outside the building.*

*A basket for financial contributions to the ongoing ministry of St Peter's is available at the entrance to the church building.*



# **PARISH BULLETIN**

## **WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS**

### **FOR GOD'S KINGDOM**

Lord our God, giver of all grace, have mercy on your Church throughout the world. Renew its life; restore its unity; sanctify its worship; empower its witness; and make it a fit instrument for the furtherance of Christ's kingdom among all people, to the glory of his great name. Amen.

### **THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION**

We pray for the Anglican Communion, for Justin of Canterbury, Geoffrey, Primate of Australia, Kanishka our Archbishop and Bishop Chris and The Anglican Church of Korea.

### **PRAYERS FOR THE COMMUNITY**

Pray for those in authority:

Almighty God, ruler of the nations of the earth, give wisdom to Charles, King of Australia; to the Prime Minister of Australia, Anthony Albanese; to the Premier of this state, Christopher Minns; to the members of Parliament, especially Kylea Tink, our Federal Member, and Tim James, our State member; to our Mayer Zoe Baker and our local council; and to all who hold office in this land. Grant that their decisions may be based on wise counsel, so that peace and welfare, truth and justice may prevail among us, and make us a blessing to other nations; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We also continue to pray for those Year 12 students sitting HSC and IB exams over the next few weeks. And we pray for them as they also prepare for life beyond secondary school, especially, Kate St Quintin, Hannah Rumble, Luke Miller-Saford and Cassie Dayton.

### **PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD**

A Prayer following the horrific attacks in Israel and their unfolding aftermath:

God of the nations,  
whose kingdom rules over all,  
have mercy on our broken and divided world.  
Bring peace in our time, O Lord.

In the land of our Saviour's birth,  
banish the spirit that makes for war.

Please give wisdom to those you have placed in authority,  
Rescue the captives, shield those in danger, and bind up the broken  
hearted.

For those fighting for justice, may they be strengthened by your grace.  
For those walking in darkness, may the light of your face shine upon them.  
Above all, we pray that the peoples of Israel and the Middle East will find  
everlasting hope in you.

And in the land of your Son's redeeming death and resurrection,  
turn hearts to look to the Saviour and live.

Bring peace, Lord, while we wait for Christ's coming and rule,

When all people will beat their swords into plowshares,

When nation will not take up sword against nation,

And when every tear will be wiped away

by the Prince of Peace and Lord of Lords,

Amen

### **OUR PARISHIONERS**

Peter Smith, Tim and Sarah St Quintin, Lizze and Graham St Quintin, Gill  
Stemp and Kate Taubman.

### **THE SICK**

*Those requiring immediate prayer.*

Tim Dobbyn

*Those requiring on-going prayer.*

Noel and Anne Blake, Cicely Bungey, Bobbie Dee Deal, Robin Dodd,  
Sarah Gordon, Edwina Lambkin, Marty McCallum, Michael Pollak, Gill  
Stemp, Susan Upton, Anne Vernon, Gigi, Helen, Janne, JJ, Pamela,  
Margie & Rein, Jane, Jenny and Sally, Louise, Lyn, Russ McLean, Helen  
Fordham and Anna Fung.

*Those in residential care*

Fr Robert Alexander, Judy Chapman, Kathy Moss, Patricia Reuben, Stan  
Thomas, Helen Ramsay.

### **FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

We praise God for his faithful servants in every age. We pray that we,  
with all who have died in the faith of Christ, may be brought to a joyful  
resurrection and the fulfilment of God's eternal kingdom.



<b>Monday 23</b>	8am – 1:30pm	Redlands HSC exams
	2pm	BUPA Service
	7:30pm	Parish Council
<b>Tuesday 24</b>		Dan's day of rest
	10am	Table Group Café Laon Anna is the contact
	10.00am	Eucharist and morning tea
	7:30pm	Table Group, Rectory, Bronwyn is the contact
<b>Wednesday 25</b>	12:30pm – 5pm	Redlands HSC exams in DA Room
	10am	Table Group Rev'd Tim is the contact
<b>Thursday 26</b>	7pm	Table Group Dan is the contact
<b>Friday 27</b>		Rev'd Tim's day of rest

## **RESULTS OF THE FUNDRAISERS AT THE POLLING BOOTH 14 OCTOBER**

Thank to you everyone who contributed so much to the success of our stalls. The fundraisers motivate us to help others – and the engagement with our community is equally important in our mission to be a friendly welcoming church.

Proceeds now deposited at Westpac

Produce \$917.50

Crafters \$1080.00

BBQ \$1625.55 net profit



There are some small bags of sausages and bacon available for sale today, which have been in the fridge in the DA Room.

Each sandwich bag has either 5 sausages or 5 rashers of bacon.

Each bag is \$5. For sale today.

Proceeds to the BBQ Stall supporting Anglicare.

Edwina Waddy Mission Secretary

## **REFORMATION SUNDAY – SUNDAY 22 OCTOBER**

The Order for the Administration of the Lord's Supper from the Book of Common Prayer (1662)".

All welcome.

## **TASTE & SEE - THURSDAYS IN NOVEMBER**

Explore the timeless message of Jesus over good food, good company and good conversation.

4 unique meals  
over 4 weeks  
exploring 4 big ideas about God around the table

7pm Thursdays 9, 16, 23, 30 November

\$10 optional donation towards dinner each week.

Sign up sheets are at the back of the church today.

For information contact Rev'd Tim St Quintin, 0401289919  
or [rector@stpeterscremorne.org.au](mailto:rector@stpeterscremorne.org.au)



# *The Friends of the Outback*

You are invited to meet and hear:

The Rt Rev'd Keith Joseph, Bishop of North Queensland, on

TUESDAY 21ST NOVEMBER.

Bishop Keith will celebrate Holy Communion at 10:00am, followed by morning tea, then give his presentation about developing ministry in Aboriginal communities on Palm Island, Yarrabah 55km from Cairns, Kowanyama, Prompuraaw and Lockhart River and more.

The aim is to have distinctively Aboriginal churches serving their communities, conducting their ministry in their way for the benefit of the entire Body of Christ.

This will be followed by lunch and an opportunity to talk with +Keith.

A donation basket will be available for FOTO.



## SUNDAY ROSTERS

	<b>This week Pet Thanksgiving service 22 October Pentecost 21</b>	<b>Next week Reformation Sunday 29 October Pentecost 22</b>
First Reading	Genesis 1:20-25	Deuteronomy 34:1-12
Psalm	Psalm 104	Psalm 90: 1-6, 13-17
Second Reading	Romans 8:18-25	1 Thessalonians 2:1-13
Gospel	Luke 6:22 - 34	Matthew 22:34 - 46
Preacher	Dan Gillis	Dan Gillis
Celebrant	Rev'd Tim St Quintin	Rev'd Tim St Quintin
Service Leader	Rev'd Tim St Quintin	Rev'd Tim St Quintin
Senior Server	John Halford	Roy Bartlett
Crucifer	Roy Bartlett	Laura Mock
Thurifer		
Acolyte		
Welcomer	Anna Reed-Stephenson	George Paul
Sideperson		Bronwyn Lihou
Readers	Gill Stemp Phillip Wood	Helen Matheson Bronwyn Lihou
Intercessor	Bronwyn Lihou	Cheryl Dunn
Chalice	Geoffrey Thipthorp	Alison Peterson
Livestream	Taylor Mock	Prabhu Boddu
Morning tea	Barbara Gordon Sharon Boddu	Russ Layton Mary Layton
Sacristy Linen	Anna Reed-Stephenson	Mary Layton



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Welcome. Please join us for our  
Sunday or weekday services of  
*rich liturgical worship* that will  
uplift, encourage and strengthen  
you *in Christ*.

## Our services

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### SUNDAY 9 AM

- ◆ Eucharist (Holy Communion) with children's program

### TUESDAY 10 AM

- ◆ Eucharist (Holy Communion)

Rejoicing Together *In Christ*.

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