



The van't Spykens are coming! Our BCA Link Family from Yeppoon— Philip, Jessica, Jasper, Tabitha, Otto and Corin – will be with us on **Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> September.**

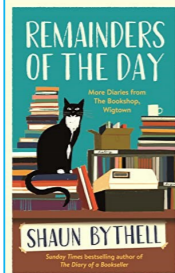
Come and share time with them at a **Bring and Share Lunch** in the Hall at **11.30 am** Please put your name on the list in the foyer if you are coming

**ORDER FORM FOR AUSTRALIAN ANGLICAN CHURCH CALENDAR FOR 2023**  
\$15.40 ea. Please fill in your name on the order sheet in the foyer.

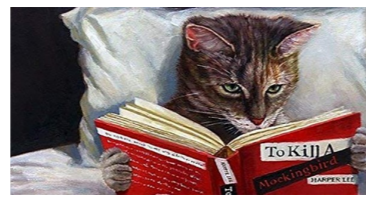
**See the new books for sale at our church book stall on Sunday mornings**



*Happy September Birthdays*  
**13th Greig Nichols (guitar)**  
**Vicky Nicoll**  
**16th Courtney Frape**  
**Jane Parry**



**Second Hand Book Sale**  
**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October in the Hall.**  
**Please donate your used books.**



**NEW ALPHA STARTING WEDNESDAY 21st September at 6.30 pm**  
**Speak to Barry**

**TRIP TO TARA 14-17 October, 2022**  
Names are needed by 14<sup>th</sup> September so that accommodation can be booked.  
Please see Judith Atkins if you have any queries

**JOIN A BIBLE STUDY GROUP**  
Phone a contact person to join a group

<b>TUESDAYS</b>	12.00 pm Lyn Aitken 5538 1731
	3.15 pm Jim Raistrick jim@surfersanglican.org.au
	7.00 pm Sandra Uptin sandrauptin@icloud.com
<b>WEDNESDAYS</b>	11.00 am Judith Atkins 5532 0798
	7.30 pm Robert Kelly 0439 339 395

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Anglican Parish of Surfers Paradise OR ...if you would like to arrange a direct debit contact the office—we will email you the ANFIN Parish Direct Form or for one-off donations use our EFTPOS machine (come in or over the phone).

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# Surf Report

14th Sunday after Pentecost  
**11th September 2022**

Bringing Jesus to our Gold Coast community

Hello Surfers!

I promised I would share a little more of the Clergy Conference with you in this week's report, however it was a virtual smorgasbord so I'm not sure where to begin! We were treated to an extended study of the John's gospel entitled 'The Light of Revelation in the Darkness of Misinformation' by Rev'd. Dr. Margaret Wesley, which was very enlightening. We discussed different approaches to mission, visited St. Mary's Anglican Church in Tewantin to renew our vows, and even had a games night! I felt it was time well spent and look forward to the next one.

Today we continue our September sermon series: "Challenging Issues

From Paul" where we discuss the first chapter of the Apostle's letter to Timothy, his long-time helper and worker in mission. This chapter includes a lot of instruction and encouragement for Christians including standing against false doctrine, ways to contemplate God's grace to us, and maintaining a good conscience.

Our Old Testament reading is from Jeremiah's fourth chapter (Jer. 4:11-12,22-28), where God declares His righteous judgement against a foolish people: the land will be ruined, but will not be completely destroyed. Even in His judgement God still holds an element of graceful mercy for His chosen people.

Today's Psalm is 14, another written by King David, where he declares as foolishness those who maintain that there is no God. Only a total of 7 verses, but it is a poem that illustrates the futility of ignoring God.

Finally, our gospel reading is Luke chapter 15, verses 1 through 10, which contain the parables of the lost sheep and the lost coin. Two illustrations as to the attitude we should take in the securing of souls for our Lord Jesus. Verse 10 is one of my personal favourites: *In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.*

Praise God that He loves us, calls us – even when we are His enemies – and that there is much rejoicing in the heavenly realms at the repentance of each sinner.

I pray you have a blessed week. Jim Raistrick, Priest-in-charge.

**BIBLE READINGS**

Jeremiah 4:11-12,22-28  
Psalm 14  
1 Timothy 1  
Luke 15:1-10

**What's Happening this Week**

**Monday 12th September**  
8.30 am Morning Prayer  
9.30 am Craft

**Tuesday 13th September**  
8.30 am Morning Prayer  
10 am Paintpots Playgroup  
3-5 pm Pure Dance

**Wednesday 14th September**  
8.30 am Morning Prayer  
10 am Holy Communion

**Thursday 15th September**  
8.30 am Morning Prayer  
3-6 pm Pure Dance

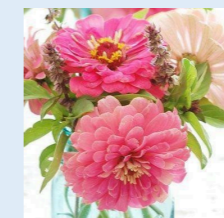
**Friday 16th September**  
(Jim's Day off)  
8.30 am Morning Prayer  
9.30 am Mainly Music  
11-1 pm Pure Dance

**SCHOOL HOLIDAYS BEGIN**  
**Saturday 17th September**  
9.00 am Music practice  
(S Uptin)

**Sunday 18th September**  
7.30 am Holy Communion  
9.30 am Holy Communion

**New Alpha starts**  
**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September**  
**6.30 pm**  
**Speak to Barry Doyle**

**Memorial Flowers**  
**in Loving Memory of**  
**Jack Ida**  
**Jack Lawrence**  
**Malcolm Felt**



**BCA COLLECTION TIME FOR YOUR BOXES**

**Please bring boxes to office for counting.**



**In Remembrance**

†  
Lloyd Smith (11.9.11)  
Agnes 'Nan' Demeral (13.9.21)  
Jenny Wallis (15.9.13)  
Lois Doherty (16.9.20)  
Kathleen Hamilton (17.9.21)