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**Acknowledgement of Country**

*We acknowledge the Bundjalung people, traditional custodians of this land.  
We pay tribute and respect to the elders both past and present.*



**Byron Anglicans**  
We are one

**Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost**

**28th August 2022**

**All are welcome**



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*A Christian presence in the community, living by faith,  
known by love, sharing a voice of hope.*

## From Grahame

By the time we gather in worship next Sunday it will be Spring! The signs have been with us for a while with bees buzzing and blooms blooming. During September we will particularly focus on the physical resources we have been gifted and how we may share these resources in a sustainable way. Sustainability requires that we change our understanding of growth as being other than simply having more and bigger things. It requires growth in understanding, generosity of spirit and a desire to see all people share in gifts we have not ourselves created.

As we begin Spring, we will enjoy resources from Common Grace, an online Australian Christian movement, and the focus theme 'Listen to the Voice of Creation'. In our busyness we could all benefit from better listening skills. What does it mean to listen to creation? Over the next month or so we will be reflecting on what this means for each of us.

*"The heavens declare the glory of God;  
the skies proclaim the work of his hands.  
Day after day they pour forth speech;  
night after night they reveal knowledge.  
They have no speech, they use no words;  
no sound is heard from them.  
Yet their voice goes out into all the earth,  
their words to the ends of the world.  
In the heavens God has pitched a tent for the sun."*

Psalm 19:1-4

[https://www.commongrace.org.au/  
listen to the voice of creation](https://www.commongrace.org.au/listen-to-the-voice-of-creation)

Remember the last Sunday of the month is our combined parish worship. This Sunday, 28 August, 11 am we are at St Paul's Byron Bay followed by a BBQ lunch. I look forward to seeing you there.

With every blessing, Grahame

# Weekly Happenings

**Clergy & Staff can be contacted via email or phone**

<b>TUESDAY</b>	Mullumbimby Office 9am - 4pm
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Byron Bay Office 9am - 4pm
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Mullumbimby Office 9am - 4pm
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Byron Bay Office 9am - 12.30pm
	Mullumbimby Office 9am - 4pm

## Sunday 28th August

11am St Paul's Byron Bay  
Followed by BBQ lunch

## Sunday 4th September

7.30am St Thomas' Brunswick Heads  
9am St Martins Mullumbimby  
9am St Paul's Byron Bay  
9am All Soul's Bangalow

## Op Shop Opening Hours

**Bangalow** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
10am-2pm  
Saturday 9.30am-12.30pm

**Byron Bay** Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 9.30am-1.30pm  
Saturday 9.30am-12.30pm

**Mullumbimby** Monday—Friday 9.30am-3.30pm  
Saturday 9.00am—12.00pm

## Parish Direct Debit details for tithes.

Anglican Parish of Byron **BSB:** 705 077 **Account:** 00041263

## Prayer Focus This Week:

### Mission

The Buttery: **Chief Executive Officer:**  
Ms Leone Crayden, **Chair:** Sandy Lockhart

### Diocese of Grafton Senior Leadership Team

**Bishop** The Right Rev'd Dr Murray Harvey  
**Archdeacon** Tiffany Sparks

**The Diocese of The Murry:** Bishop Keith Dalby & Alice,  
Clergy & Laity

**The Parish of Sawtell/Bonville:** In Transition.

**LLM:** Geoff & Trevor  
Wendy, Michelle.

## Local Prayer Focus

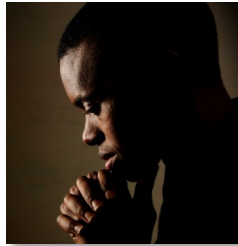
Gladys, Judith, Heather, Hilary and Paul, Lorretta, Chris, John, Sophie, David Williams, Sigrid, Karen, John, David, Frank, Faith, Axel, David & Val, Carol, Karen, Fran, Rebecca, Irene, Harper, Harley, Joe & Jade, Brother Howard.

The Community Centres and their work with the homeless. The Liberation Larder, The Mullumbimby & District Neighbourhood Centre, Ministry of Byron Bay & Mullumbimby Christian Education.

## Our Community impacted by the recent flood event.

### Bulletin News Items

For inclusion in the weekly bulletin please forward to Sue Williams by Wednesday morning. Sue Williams Phone 66843552 Email: admin@byronanglicans.org.au



## Readings

### 28th August

Jeremiah 2:4-13, Psalm 81:1, 10-16, Hebrews 13:1-8,15-16, Luke 14:1, 7-14.

### 4th September

Jeremiah 18:1-11, Psalm 139: 1-5,12-18, Philemon 1-25, Luke 14:25-35

## Services

### Sunday 28th August

11am St Paul's Byron Bay

### Sunday 4th September

7.30am St Thomas Brunswick Heads

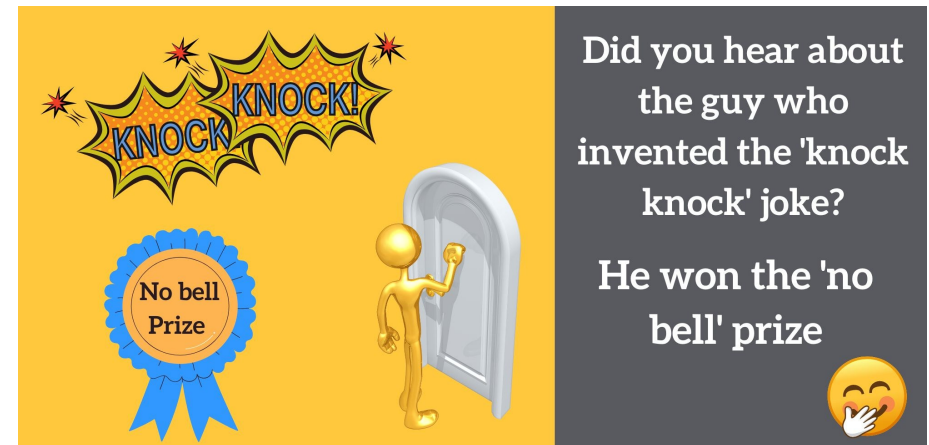
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## Parish News

### To make you smile





## Shoe Boxes



Each year we have been putting together shoe boxes to go to the Samaritan's purse. The Samaritan's Purse offer gift boxes to Underprivileged children. We have been contacted again this year to contribute. What is needed is a toy, some clothes, a book, toiletries, pencils, for boys and girls from the age of 5yrs. If you are interested please see Shan Fleming.

## Plover Family



On Wednesday when I arrived at St Paul's I found that the plover's eggs had hatched. The plover family have 3 new chicks! Did you know that plover chicks stay with their parents for 1 – 2 years? Plovers often return to the same nesting place each year.

## BCA Boxes

September is the month for counting the BCA Boxes. Please bring them into your centre for collection. Thank you.



## Music and Relaxation



Ballina Anglican Parish are hosting 'Music & Relaxation' sessions with Dr Sarah Burns-Sibly, a music therapist. The sessions commence on Tuesday 6th September and run for 5 weeks on Tuesdays 2.15-4.15pm. Places are limited so please call

66862094 or email [office@anglicanballina.com.au](mailto:office@anglicanballina.com.au) if you are interested. These sessions are free.

## Mission of the Month for August

### The Billy Kart Derby Bangalow



Image: Jeff Dawson- Echo

The Derby was first started in 1995 and has been getting stronger every year. This will be the first time since COVID started that they have been able to roll down the main street of Bangalow. As part of our commitment to outreach in our local communities and to support Rev'd Rosie's work in Bangalow it was decided that we support this as our mission for August.

### Your Favourite Hymns



What hymns do you love to sing? You will find hymn suggestion boxes in all our centres. Put your favourites in the box or email to [rector@byronanglicans.org.au](mailto:rector@byronanglicans.org.au). Please include in your email the church you usually attend. Let's sing our favourite hymns together.

Wednesday 31st August

8am-8pm

## Earth Vigil

This Vigil invites the Community to come and sit in silent solidarity for the healing of the earth and her people.

Our focus this year is  
**'WATER'**

The Vigil will include short musical interludes and the ringing of the church bell.

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