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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.



13th July 2025

All are welcome



The Good Samaritan in Tibet
Frank Wesley

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

At the recent Synod of our Diocese, two of the matters debated concerned wellbeing and what we should do. One, the wellbeing of clergy, the other the wellbeing of peoples on the other side of the world. On the surface, the two agenda items could not appear more different yet they both included making decisions about the wellbeing of people other than ourselves and how these decisions may impact our own wellbeing. What should we do?

In the deliberations of the Synod and the characters in this week's parable, there is an aspect of fear, fear of the consequences of action and inaction, which often leads to compromise. Compromise is about deciding on a position we are comfortable with. Yet isn't Jesus calling us through Luke to be willing to be uncomfortable in our willingness to show mercy to others? What would you do?

ON THE WAY HE WAS ROBBED & BEATEN

A STRANGER SAW HIM, AND STOPPED TO HELP

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Prayer Focus This Week:

MISSION

The Anglican Board of Mission

Executive Director: The Rev'd John Deane

Diocese of Grafton Senior Leadership Team

Bishop The Right Rev'd Dr Murray Harvey

Archdeacon Tiffany Sparks

The Diocese of Gippsland

Bishop Richard Treloar & Dr Leanne Habeeb, Clergy & Laity

The Parish of Kyogle

In Transition

LLM

Noel, John, Maurice

Local Prayer Focus

Tina, Mitch, Harriet & extended Family, June, John, Sophie, Anna, Jean, Charmaine, Lee, Carol, Neil, Brett, Janie, Marjory, Lin, Hilary and Paul, Rachael

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

Mission of the Month for July:

Angel Flight. At Angel Flight Australia, we work with our team of generous volunteers to coordinate free, non-emergency flights and transfers so people living remotely across Australia can access specialist medical treatments.

Bulletin News Items

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



Services

13th July Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

9am All Souls Bangalow

9am St Martins Mullumbimby

9am St Pauls Byron Bay

5pm Sunday Sanctuary Meditation All Souls Bangalow

20th July Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

9.30am Parish Council St Martins Mullumbimby

11am St Martins Mullumbimby followed by a bring and share lunch

5pm Sunday Sanctuary Meditation All Souls Bangalow

27th July Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

7.30am St Thomas' Brunswick Heads

9am All Souls Bangalow

9am St Martins Mullumbimby

9am St Pauls Byron Bay

5pm Sunday Sanctuary Meditation All Souls Bangalow

Readings

13th July Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Amos 7:7-17, Psalm 82, Colossians 1:1-14, Luke 10:25-37

20th July Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Amos 8:1-12, Psalm 52, Colossians 1:15-29, Luke 10:38-42

27th July Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Hosea 1:2-10, Psalm 85, Colossians 2:6-15, Luke 11:1-13

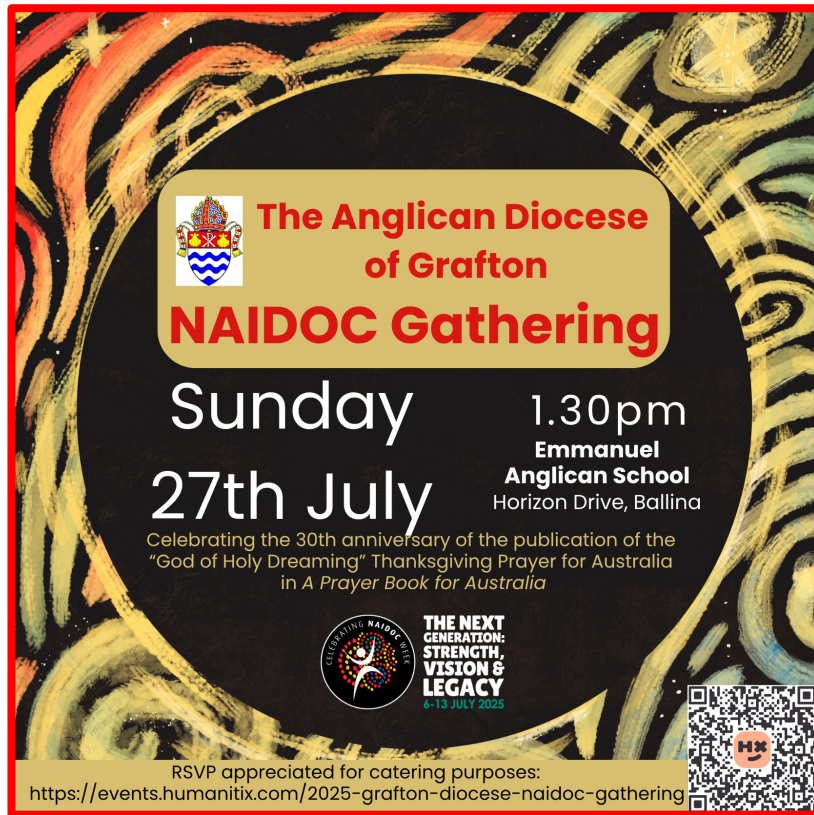
Parish News

Cursillo REGENER8 weekend

This is being held at the Grafton Cathedral on weekend 19 & 20 July. The theme is **KEEP IT SIMPLE, SERVANT** - To allow more room for God. Registration forms with more information are available from the Parish centres or the office. Applications close 12 July. This is open to everyone in your Parish. What a great way to introduce others to Cursillo.

NAIDOC 2025

NAIDOC Week 6th –13th July 2025 marks a powerful milestone: 50 years of honouring and elevating Indigenous voices, culture, and resilience. The 2025 theme, "The Next Generation: Strength, Vision & Legacy," celebrates not only the achievements of the past but the bright future ahead, empowered by the strength of our young leaders, the vision of our communities, and the legacy of our ancestors.



NAIDOC Gathering for the Anglican Diocese of Grafton, taking place at Emmanuel Anglican School on Sunday 27th July, from 1.30pm. We will be celebrating the 30th anniversary of publication the God of Holy Dreaming Thanksgiving Prayer for Australia in *A Prayer Book for Australia*. RSVPs are appreciated:

<https://events.humanitix.com/2025-grafton-diocese-naidoc-gathering>

AOK St Paul's Byron Bay

AOK meets every Thursday during School time for Arts and Crafts from 10am-12noon. All are welcome to join us for coffee and chat, and craft if you like. Will be in recess until 24th July. Second week we will be making more blankets for the homeless. If interested please come along for every 2 people we can make one blanket.

Beanies and gloves for those in need

Beanie and gloves are being made and distributed to those in need. If you would like more information and be involved please talk to Sue

Backpacks for Kids



The Neighbourhood Centre Mullumbimby urgently need help in filling backpacks for children escaping domestic violence. We have a list of items that can be included in the backpacks. Please ask us if you are unsure. Donations of money would also be welcome. Rev'd Brenda will be taking them over on the fourth Wednesday of each month.

Blankets for RSL Life



We have had some crocheted squares come into the Bangalow and Byron Op Shops which Ann Kerrigan then finished and they have been donated to RSL Life for the clients there.

Coffee with Murray



A coffee gathering will be held each Thursday, 10.00am at Paseyo coffee shop which can be found on the corner of Stuart and Tincogan streets Mullumbimby. This will be an ongoing weekly event that you can also invite your friends and neighbours too.