

The Clergy, Wardens and Office welcome your enquiries and calls.

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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

15th February 2026

All are welcome



JESUS MAFA. Transfiguration, from *Art in the Christian Tradition*,
a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville

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

From Grahame

This week in our pattern of Bible readings, we jump ahead in the narrative according to Matthew from the calling of the first followers of Jesus and the sermon on the mount, to the Transfiguration of Jesus. We do this now because the season is about to change. On Tuesday many will observe Shrove Tuesday, perhaps over pancakes, before gathering in worship for the beginning of the season of Lent on Ash Wednesday. (see notices in today's Bulletin).

In many cultures important things happen on mountaintops so it is fitting that in our calendar, we celebrate this particular mountaintop revelation of Jesus' continuity with the Old Testament, as a transition into our reflection over the coming weeks on his journey to Jerusalem, and the commemoration and celebration of the Easter mysteries.

My regular suggestion as we move into Lent and perhaps consider giving up chocolate or some other indulgence as a penitential act, is to consider giving up something which could really make a difference in our communities. Perhaps we could give up a grudge we are carrying, or a prejudice against someone who sees the world differently. Three of our church buildings still carry the banners proclaiming *Peace on Earth*. What negative might we be able to give up so that we may have room for this possibility.

With every blessing, Grahame

All through this day dear Lord, let me touch as many lives as possible for you, and every life I touch please bless by your Holy Spirit, whether through the words I speak, the prayer I breathe or the life I live; so shall your kingdom come on earth as in heaven. Amen.

Adapted from the daily prayers of
Mary Sumner founder of Mother's Union and
Brother John Dent Martyn BGS

Weekly Happenings

Clergy & Staff can be contacted via email or phone

TUESDAY	Parish Office Mullumbimby 9am - 5pm
WEDNESDAY	Byron Bay Office 9am-3pm
THURSDAY	Parish Office Mullumbimby 9am - 5pm More than a cuppa 10am—12n00n St Pauls Byron Bay Spirituality Space St Martins Mullumbimby 4-6pm
FRIDAY	Parish Office Mullumbimby 9am - 5pm Byron Bay Office 9am-12pm
SUNDAY	7.30am St Thomas Brunswick Heads 9am All Souls Bangalow 9am St Martins Mullumbimby 9am St Pauls Byron Bay 5pm Sunday Hive Family Worship All Souls Hall

Op Shop Opening Hours

The Mullumbimby Op Shop

Monday—Friday 9.30am- 3.30pm

Bangalow Op Shop

Monday - Friday 10am-2pm

Saturday - 9.30am-12.30pm

Byron Op Shop

Monday—Friday 9am—1pm

Parish Direct Debit details for tithes.

Anglican Parish of Byron

BSB: 705 077 Account: 00041263

Prayer Focus This Week:

Mission St George's College Jerusalem:
Dean: The Very Reverend Richard Sewell

Diocese of Grafton Senior Leadership Team

Bishop The Right Rev'd Dr Murray Harvey

Archdeacon Tiffany Sparks

The Diocese of GRAFTON

Bishop Murray Harvey & Leanne, Bishop-Designate Tiffany Sparks & Grant (commencing March 2026)
Clergy and Laity.

The Parish of Lismore

The Rev'd Roxanne Addley & Leon Pollard, The Rev'd Rhonda Callander, The Rev'd Geoffrey Foley, The Rev'd Alan Shaw & Sue.

LLM Carol, Dawn, Melanie, Stephen, Ray, Ken.

Local Prayer Focus

Damian, Kerrie, Leonine, Murray, June, John, Sophie, Anna, Charmaine, Lee, Carol, Neil, Brett, Janie, Marjory, Lin, Hilary and Paul, Rachael, Margaret.

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

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



Sunday Services

15th February Epiphany 6

9am All Souls Bangalow followed by the AGM in the hall, then a bring a share lunch.

5pm Sunday Hive Family Fellowship All Souls Hall

22nd February First Sunday in Lent

7.30am St Thomas Brunswick Heads

9am All Souls Bangalow

9am St Martins Mullumbimby

9am St Pauls Byron Bay

5pm Sunday Hive Family Worship All Souls Hall

Readings

15th February Transfiguration

Exodus 24:12-18, Psalm 2, 2 Peter 1:16-21, Matthew 17:1-9

22nd February First Sunday in Lent

Genesis 2:15-17,3:1-7, Psalm 32, Romans 5:12-21, Matthew 4:1-11.

Parish News

Annual General Meeting

This morning after the service in All Souls Bangalow we will adjourn to the hall where the AGM will take place. For those who didn't get a copy of the Annual Report it will be available for you today. Please stay for the meeting as it is important for you to have input on the running of the Parish.

Lenten Study

A Lenten Study will commence on Wednesday 25th February @ 1.30pm in St Pauls Byron Bay. If you are interested please let Sue know

Shrove Tuesday 17th February

On Tuesday many will observe Shrove Tuesday, 17 February.

Come and enjoy pancakes on the All Souls Op Shop veranda in Bangalow with Brenda serving from 9.30 am until they are finished. Also Shrove Tuesday we will be celebrated at the Mullumbimby Op Shop from 9.30 until we have given away all our pancakes (pikelets) We will be joined by the Uniting church for part or all of this morning.

If you would like to come or contribute some pikelets please contact Rev'd Murray (0421 234 541).

Ash Wednesday 18th February



There be services with the imposition of Ashes:

10 am St Paul's Byron Bay

10 am All Souls Bangalow

10.00am St Martins

Spirituality Space

Thursdays 4-6pm

*Deepen your spiritual journey,
nurture your soul
or just pause and reflect
in a welcoming community.*

St Martin's Anglican Church 38 Stuart St, Mullumbimby
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Back to school backpacks



The Mullumbimby & District Neighbourhood Centre have asked for our assistance in providing back to school backpacks filled with school supplies for children in need. We are seeking donations of backpacks, lead pencils, pens, rulers, pencil cases, glue sticks, coloured pencils, note books etc. Please give all donations to Reverend Brenda and speak to her if you have any questions. Thank you. Neighbourhood Centre have sent us a big thank you backpacks already received. The children that have already got them were delighted.

More than just a cuppa!

Come for coffee, a chat and craft!
St Paul's Anglican Church
14 Kingsley St Byron Bay
10am-12pm Thursdays during
school terms

for more information contact
Rev'd Brenda or Sue on 66843552



Mission of the Month for February:

Men's Shed Bangalow We believe everyone deserves a place to be heard, supported, and empowered. The Shed is where strength meets vulnerability, and community meets growth. **Our Programs** Practical support, genuine connection, and pathways to living your best life.