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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

10th May 2026

All are welcome



Sermon Central

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

From Grahame

This Sunday in our focus passage from John 14, Jesus continues to explain to his disciples the unity he shares with God and God's people. During this coming week, Ascension Day will be celebrated. In our tradition, Ascension Day is a time of reflection on the reality that Jesus was born, died, was raised from the dead, and ascended, entering what we call heaven and completing the reconciliation of God's people with God. Well worth contemplating. In the following week we are then called to pray for Christian Unity as we approach the great festival of Pentecost on May 24th, a day we particularly celebrate the Holy Spirit at work in and through each of us. We will then enter a week of prayer for reconciliation. There is much to pray about.

As we seek reconciliation, our hope is that we may find unity in community. Christian unity is about working toward the goal of doing together those things which we do not need to do apart. Unity is different to sameness. Our different denominations have developed different emphases. These are part of our identity and part of the way we know God. Unity does not necessarily mean doing everything the same. Unity does include being mutually respectful, supportive and positive about the ministry each of us are called to. Unity is not sameness, and our diversity is part of God's great gift to the world.

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-4pm 10am RSL Life Holy Communion
WEDNESDAY	Byron Bay Office 9am-3pm
THURSDAY	Parish Office Mullumbimby 9am-4pm More than a cuppa 10am-12noon St Pauls Byron Bay Spirituality Space 4-6pm St Martins Mullumbimby
FRIDAY	Parish Office Mullumbimby 9am-4pm Byron Bay Office 9am-12noon
SUNDAY	9.00am Parish Council All Souls' Bangalow 11am All Souls' Bangalow 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 Anglican Aid Abroad
Chair: Brother Donald Campbell

Diocese of Grafton

Senior Leadership Team

Bishop The Right Rev'd Dr Murray Harvey

Assistant Bishop Tiffany Sparks

THE DIOCESE OF BRISBANE (Southern Queensland)

Archbishop Jeremy Greaves & Josie,
Bishop John Roundhill & Frances Thompson,
Bishop Sarah Plowman, Bishop Cameron Venables & Kate,
Clergy & Laity

The Parish of Dorrigo

The Rev'd Philip van't Spkyer & Jessica, The Rev'd Viv Hoskins & Margo.

Local Prayer Focus

Mark, Lyn, 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.

Dear Lord please help us to live as you intended
creating, loving, learning and blessing,
walking with us as we go.

Amen

Bulletin News Items For inclusion in the weekly bulletin please forward items to Sue Williams by Wednesday morning. Sue Williams Phone 66843552



Sunday Services

10th May Sixth Sunday after Easter

7.30am St Thomas Brunswick Heads
9am All Souls Bangalow
9am St Martins Mullumbimby
9am St Pauls Byron Bay
11am St Columba Ewingsdale
5pm Sunday Hive Family Worship
All Souls Hall

17th May Seventh Sunday after Easter

9.00am Parish Council All Souls Bangalow
11am All Souls' Bangalow followed by a bring and share lunch.

Readings

10th May Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 17:22-31, Psalm 66:7-19, 1 Peter 3:8-22,
John 14:15-21

17th May Seventh Sunday after Easter

Acts 1:6-14, Psalm 68:1-10,32-35, 1 Peter 5, John 17:1-11

Parish News

Beanies & Gloves for the Disadvantaged



Once again we are offering home made beanies and gloves for those in need. Every one made has our love and respect made into it to help them stay warm. If you would like to help we would love it. I have easy beanie and fingerless mittens patterns and plenty of wool. These will be given out to Fletcher Street Cottage, Liberation Larder, Neighbourhood Centre Mullumbimby, Bangalow Op Shop, Buttery plus I keep a basket on the back table for anyone who needs them. With our available stock we were able to make our first delivery this week Please see Sue.

Fletcher Street Cottage

With the weather cooling down Fletcher Street Cottage has had a big call for Blankets. If you have blankets, rugs or sleeping bags that you are no longer using, please consider donating them to the Fletcher Street Cottage.

Faithfulness in Service Training

Faithfulness in Service is necessary for all licensed clergy and laity, together with all church workers or volunteers associated with any Anglican Church organisation (paid or unpaid). Certification is valid for three years.

There will be a Faithfulness in Service course in Bangalow church on Saturday 16th May 1-4pm. Please contact the Parish office on: 66843552 or email of-fice@byronanglicans.org.au to register.

Mission of the Month for May:

Westpac Rescue Helicopter The service is ready to respond 24/7 365 days a year. With 5 AWi39's Helicopters across three bases. Servicing 1.5million people in Northern NSW. Saving lives since 1975.

Sentence of the Day

'Those who love me will keep my word,' Jesus promises, 'and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them.' John 14.23

Prayer of the Day

O God,
you have prepared for those who love you
joys beyond our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love for you,
that, loving you above all else,
we may obtain your promises
that exceed all we can desire;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**



**Biggest Morning
Tea**

**Thursday 28th May
10am**

**St Paul's Anglican Church
14 Kingsley St
Byron Bay**

**This year's theme is
'Teddy Bear's Picnic'.
Bring your favourite
bear and enjoy a
delicious morning tea.
Entry is \$10**

**All proceeds to
The Cancer Council**