

Mission for MARCH BUSH CHURCH AID (BCA)

Recently the Collings family moved from the mining town of Moranbah to Yass to start ministry there. The Collings had been in Moranbah for 6 years with BCA.

Reflecting on their time in Moranbah, it was encouraging to hear of their involvement in the community. A combined Good Friday service outside the Community Centre provided an opportunity to preach Jesus clearly and for a united Christian witness.

One aspect of their ministry involved running Messy Church around 10 times per year with up to 3 generations of families coming along.

The Pioneers youth group for 8-14 year olds had a strong year in 2023. Some kids had no church background but they all had questions to ask.

Each Friday night they headed as a family to the Workers Club for dinner and were joined by church and non-church families. It was a great chance to chat to people and deepen relationships.

Moranbah is now without a permanent minister like us.

Pray for Rev'd Mike Uptin working with BCA in Qld and Northern NSW

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All Saints' Booval

SUNDAY, 24th MARCH, 2024.
Service at 9.00am.

Nurturing and Equipping Disciples to know Christ and make Christ known.

Welcome to our Service.

Thank you for joining us for worship today and please stay for a chat over morning tea in the courtyard.

Rev'd Sandra Kjellgren will be leading the Palm Sunday service today and the services on Good Friday and Easter Day.

Please take some postcard flyers to invite family, friends and neighbours our Easter services.

Readings:

For this week: Palm Gospel - Mark 11: 1-11,

Isaiah 50: 4-9a, Psalm 31: 9-18, Philippians 2: 5-1, Mark 15:1-39

For Good Friday: Isaiah 52: 13 to 53: 12, Psalm 22, 1 Corinthians 1: 18-31, John 18: 1 to 19: 42

For Easter Day: Acts 10: 34-43, Hymn to the Risen Christ, 1 Corinthians 15: 1-11, John 20: 1-18

Most Bible Study groups are in recess till week commencing 14th April

NB. Thursday Night ZOOM group will meet as usual to complete Study 7.

Groups meet regularly during school terms as per following:

Tuesday morning (fortnightly) at Carol's. Contact Carol 0456 789 769

Tuesday morning (weekly) at Chapters, Karalee. Contact Jenny/Kevin

Thursday nights (weekly) at 7.30pm on ZOOM. Enquiries 3143 1353

Friday nights at Dinmore. (weekly) Contact Colin. 0418 758 170

For Bible Study queries, contact Kevin 0447 935 143

Weekly Prayer: Most Wednesdays at 1pm. Check with Sue 0407179107

Prayer for God's provision of the minister in this parish.

Bountiful God give to this parish a faithful pastor who will faithfully speak your word and minister your sacraments:

an encourager who will equip your people for ministry

and enable us to fulfill our calling. Give to those who will choose,

wisdom, discernment and patience, and to us give warm

and generous hearts, for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

Bible Verse: Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. I Thessalonians 5: 16-18.

Upcoming Events:

Easter Services: Good Friday at 9am

Easter Day (Sunday) at 9am, followed by hot cross buns for morning tea.

Friday, 5th April. Social Group meeting at Plantations at 10.30am. See Pam to book in. Ph 32822552

Saturday, 6th April. BCA Connect and Annual Supporters meeting St Philips Rochedale from 9 to 12

Wednesday, 17th April Men's Coffee and Women's Fellowship at CSI at 10am. All welcome.

News.

- Sacred Heart has invited us to join in the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday at 10.30am. All welcome.
- If anyone can bring a packet of hot cross buns for Easter Day, please record it on the sheet in the foyer. This will really help those who are catering on the day.
- We usually try to give the church a good clean on Easter Saturday, If anyone can help, please see Sue.
- The parish car is for sale. See Peter for any further details.
- One of our house rental tenants is moving at the end of March. After dealing with any work to be done, it will advertised for rental through Raine and Horne Ipswich.
- We really need **welcomers, counters, church cleaners, morning tea helpers & PowerPoint operators** to go on a monthly roster. Some more help in maintaining the grounds would also be helpful. If anyone can help, please see Peter or Sue.

For our prayers:

- **Please remember** these folk: Margaret Schurmann in Forest Lake Lodge, Els in Riverview Gardens, Shirley in St Mary's, Bev, **Des, Madge**, Talia, Viv in the UK, Pam B, Julie, **Alan**, Kevin, Cheryl, **Delma** in hospital, Dorothy, **Dora, Maddy**, Laura, Christopher, Fran, Rev'd Rick Gummow, 1 year old Freddie in the UK (after eye surgery), Sam, **Faith** (Dora's daughter), **Lin's mother** in Hong Kong, Doris' brother.
- Our **COMPASSION** child, Chouna, & her parents in Haiti. Recently a curfew has been implemented in Haiti. Many violent gang members have been released from jail. The government position is very unstable.
- **Bruce and Libby** in South Asia. Bruce has just completed 2 weeks training in North East India. The Pokhara School is planning its Easter Assembly and Libby reports there is still a need for a teacher. Libby is working on her application for her final working visa; this time for 6 months as they prepare to return home after a long period of service.
- Pray for **Bishop Cam** as he supports the priests and parishes in the western region and is the Bishop with responsibility for the Anglicare Commission.
- Pray for Godly wisdom as we seek information and advice in regard to the development of youth ministry and for the raising up of leaders in this important area.
- Please pray for Rev'd Tom Killingbeck, Defence Chaplain, as he supports staff and families especially during times of change.
- Give thanks for the support we have had from Kevin and Jenny, Colin and Anne, Brian, Sandra and Fang Ling in this time of interregnum.

To donate Tithes & Offerings for ministry of All Saints' Booval. BSB: 704 901 Number 0000 5630

To donate towards our Mission Partners: BSB: 704 901 Account Number 0001 5507

Offering envelopes are located on the welcome table, if you would like to pick up some.

Diocesan information links: Anglican Focus <https://anglicanfocus.org.au/>

Wednesday Weekly <https://www.anglicanchurchsq.org.au/wednesday-weekly/>