

# Anglican Parish of Grovely

THE COMMUNITY OF ST MATTHEW'S & ALL SAINTS'



Turrbal and Jagera Country

*Parish Vision: To personally and corporately know God in our lives more deeply and to live truthfully, creatively, honestly and lovingly.*

If you are visiting today, please make yourself known to the Priest and Welcomers; they will be able to help you with information about the parish.

- ♦ **Holy Communion** is available for all those whose practice it is to receive the sacrament, whatever denomination.

*From Fr Stephen*

As the Church we are called to be provocative, to positively provoke people into thinking about their lives and revealing through our lives who Jesus is for us and wants to be for them. As Christians, it is the hope we have in Jesus which keeps us going. Let us pray each day that God will work through each of us so that others will be provoked into asking questions about God for which we will have answers as we speak truthfully of our experiences of the working of Christ and hope he brings into our lives.

*Blessings  
Fr Stephen*





# News & Notices

*Please take your Pew Sheet with you after the service*



## A GENTLE REMINDER WORSHIP AT 9 AM SERVICE

At around 3 minutes before 9 am, a bell will be rung and we ask for silence in the church after the bell, as we intentionally prepare to be present to our Lord.



### JULY

- 7 Cake Stall
- 10 Parish Council Meeting
- 16 Service at Madonna Villa
- 17 MU Meeting
- 20 Working Bee @ All Saints
- 20 Bush Dance at St Matthews
- 23 Service at Regis Nursing Home

*Please use the Bush dance flyer to invite a neighbour, friend or family to the Grovely Bush Dance!*



## BUSH DANCE 20 JULY

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### Smashing Bumpkins

It is time to polish your dancing boots for the St Matthews Bush dance! Doors will open at 6 pm and dancing will start at 6:30 pm. Beer, wine, bubbly and soft drinks will be on sale. \$30 per adult and \$10 for children 12 and younger. Only 80 tickets available. If you want to reserve a ticket (payment at the door on the night) please put your name on the list in the back of the church. If you want to buy your ticket online, please go to <https://GrovelyBushDance.eventbrite.com.au>

**Cake Stall: Today** after the 9 am service.



*Parish Council Meeting  
Wednesday 10 July  
at 7:00 pm All Saints*



The MU Meeting for July is on Wednesday 17th. Commencing with church

at 10.00 am followed by morning tea (9.45 am) and meeting with our guest speaker Stephen Harrison, Director of Mission, Research and Advocacy at Anglicare SQ at approximately 11.15 am.



*New contact details?*

*Would you like to be added to the Parish Roll?*

Please complete one of the yellow **Details Update** cards in the foyer.

# Around the Parish



ALL SAINTS ROSTER	7 July	14 July	21 July
<b>LAs</b>	Gordon D	Norm H	Danny A
<b>Welcomers</b>	Melissa B	Julie B	Ann E
<b>1st Reader</b>	Lynn R	Kathryn L	Pam M
<b>2nd Reader</b>	Peter H	Andrew S	John D
<b>Sidesperson/s</b>	Les M & Helper	Peter M & helper	Peter M & Helper
<b>Intercessions</b>	Deborah H	Julie B	Hugh B
<b>Sacristan</b>	Peter M	Jan D	John D
<b>Counters</b>	Clay B & Danny A	Narelle B & Tara P	Gordon D & Les M
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Narelle B & helper	Ros T & Helper	Wendy M & Helper
<b>Friday Helper</b>	Sue H (12 /7)	Frances F (19/7)	Sue H (26/7)

ST MATTHEWS ROSTER	7 July	14 July	21 July
<b>LA</b>	Arian M	Melanie D	Arian M
<b>Welcomers</b>	Harold G	Sue H	Melanie D
<b>1st Reader</b>	Arian M	Melanie D	Glen G
<b>2nd Reader</b>	Cheryl P	Dawn S	Melanie D
<b>Intercessions</b>	Arian M	Melanie D	Arian M

## Offerings

### Account details for Grovely Parish

#### Electronic transfers:

BSB: 704-901 Account: 00000910

### ST MATTHEW'S MEMORIAL GARDEN

Available for the interment of ashes of loved ones. Inquires to the Priest.

### ST MATTHEW'S GRAVEYARD

Grave plots for burials and interments of ashes are available. Inquires to the Priest.

### PARISH FOOD BANK

If you are aware of someone in need of a meal please contact the Parish Office.

## Parish Projects

### Electronic transfers:

BSB: 704-901 Account: 00015552

### STAMPS FOR ABM

ABM sells used stamps to assist community projects in Australia and overseas. Boxes at All Saints and St Matthews are provided to collect them.

### RECYCLING

Spent batteries, CFL's and ink cartridges, pens, including casings, texters and pencils can be left at both churches for recycling.

### CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

We collect containers with the 10c recycle sign. Remove lids and leave these in bags in the containers at both churches.



*Creator Spirit, God of Holy Dreaming,  
from the dawn of creation you have given your children  
the good things of Mother Earth.  
You spoke and the gum tree grew.  
In the vast desert and dense forest  
and in cities at the water's edge,  
Creation sings your praise.*

*Your presence endures as the rock at the heart of our Land.*

*When Jesus hung on the tree  
you heard the cries of all people  
And became one with the wounded ones:  
The convicts, the hunted, and the dispossessed.  
The sunrise of your Son coloured the earth anew,  
and bathed it in glorious hope.*

*In Jesus we have been reconciled to you  
to each other and to your whole creation*

*Lead us on, Great Spirit,  
as we gather from the four corners of the earth;  
Enable us to walk together in trust  
from the hurt and shame of the past  
Into the full day which has dawned in Jesus Christ.*

***Amen***

Written by Rev Canon Lenore Parker



**NEWS FROM THE PARISH BUSH REGENERATION GROUP**

We are winning the battle of the weeds. It's exciting to see our grounds returning to natural habitat. We have had a couple of butcher bird companions joining us on Mondays while weeding.





# This Week Around the Parish

## SUNDAY 7

**7:00 am** Eucharist - St Matthews

**9:00 am** Sung Eucharist NO Sunday School - All Saints  
*Cake Stall at All Saints*

## MONDAY 8

HOSEA 2.16-22

PSALM 145.1-9

MATTHEW 9.18-26

*Parish Office Open*

## TUESDAY 9

HOSEA 8.4-13

PSALM 115.1-11

MATTHEW 9.32-38

## WEDNESDAY 10

HOSEA 10.1-12

PSALM 105.1-7

MATTHEW 10.1-7

*Parish Office Open*

**10:00 am** Eucharist - St Matthews

**7:00 pm** Parish Council Meeting—All Saints

## THURSDAY 11

HOSEA 11.1-9

PSALM 80.1-2,14-19

MATTHEW 10.7-15

## FRIDAY 12

HOSEA 14.2-10

PSALM 51.6-12

MATTHEW 10.16-23

*Parish Office Open*

## SATURDAY 13

ISAIAH 6.1-8

PSALM 93

MATTHEW 10.24-33

**6:00 pm** Vigil Eucharist - St Matthews

## SUNDAY 14

2 SAMUEL 6.1-5,12B-19

PSALM 24

EPHESIANS 1.1-14

MARK 6.14-29

**7:00 am** Eucharist - St Matthews

**9:00 am** Sung Eucharist and Sunday School - All Saints