



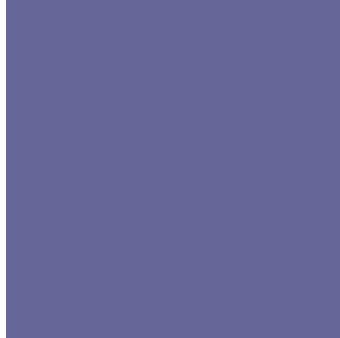
Saint Andrew's Uniting Church



NEWS AND NOTES

11 May 2025

WELCOME TO SAINT ANDREW'S UNITING CHURCH



Weekly Services

We seek to share God's unconditional love and acceptance for all people, regardless of age, gender, marital or family status, sexual orientation, disability, race poverty or wealth.

If you have no regular church association, we invite you to come and share in our services and participate in our church's life.

9:30am Sunday Worship Service.

Holy Communion: 1st Sunday of the month.

A pdf of the order of service can be sent to your smart phone or device for Sunday.
Contact admin@saintandrews.org.au to have it sent to you.
Sermons are also available on YouTube – <https://tinyurl.com/SaintAndrewsYouTube>

**Readings for the coming week:
11 May 2025 – Fourth Sunday of Easter**

1 st Reading:	Acts 9:36-43
Psalm	Psalm 23
2 nd Reading:	Revelation 7: 9 - 17
Gospel:	John 10: 22 - 30

To view the full lectionary readings, please visit: <https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu>

Volunteers Needed!



As with any church, volunteers are at the heart of our service. If you would like to volunteer or require further information please contact the office at: admin@saintandrews.org.au

We'd love to hear from people who are interested in serving at Saint Andrew's in any of the following areas:

- Liturgist / Readers
- AV Operator
- Greeters and Ushers
- Door Duty
- Elders for Sunday Services
- Andy's Place Community Meal Servers and Thursday Breakfast
- Open Church
- Morning Tea

Check the roster on the following page and see where you can help.... If unsure who to contact speak to Rosie or Church Council.

Thank you to all those who have 'filled the spaces' where required.

+ Wi-Fi Access

ID: StAndrewsGuest

P/W: Guestchurch!

+ Lives, Links & Legacy website

Read the stories of the lives of 266 members of Saint Andrew's Congregation whose names are listed on the 1914-1918 Honour Boards in the Merrington Memorial Peace Chapel:

<http://heritage.saintandrews.org.au/>

+ Offering

If you would like to use direct debit for your offering please use the details below:

Account Name:
UCA St Andrew's Uniting Church

BSB: 334040 (St George)

Account # 55 38 776 38



Bits and Pieces

May 2025

What's happening	Event	When	Time
Church Services	Sunday Service	Every Sunday	9:30am
Church Services Holy Communion	Sunday Service	Every 1 st Sunday of the month	9:30am
Open Church	For visitors	Every Friday (excluding public holidays)	11am – 2pm
Andy's Place Community Meals	Weekly meal	Every Saturday	11:30am
Andy's Place Drop-In Centre	Drop- in	Thursday Morning	8 – 11am
Social Justice Table	Raising funds for special causes	To be advised	After service
Social Group	Coffee and social chat	June 5 th at 9.30am	Mary Mae's New Farm Park

Deadline for News & Notes – Tuesday COB

If you would like to have something included in the weekly News & Notes please email it to Rosie by no later than close of business (COB) on Tuesday the week prior.

Email details to: admin@saintandrews.org.au

NEWS & NOTES are now online!

Go to <https://www.saintandrews.org.au/news-notes>

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Children's Worship Bulletins

It has been decided not to renew the subscription for the Children's Bulletins online.

Over the next few weeks, we will look at a possible replacement.

If you have any suggestions for a replacement, please contact Nick or Wilson



Prayers for the People

In the World Council of Churches Prayer Cycle we pray [India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka](#)

Ongoing prayers for the people of **Syria, Ukraine, Gaza, Lebanon, Yemen, Sudan** and other world trouble spots.

Let's give thanks for the beautiful things in our lives.

We pray for all Mother's and Mother- figures.

Please continue to pray for peace in the **Middle East**

The opportunity to pray for one another is a gift. You are invited to offer that gift to others. If you have a situation, a prayer request or someone you know needs/wants prayer please let us know. It can be first name only, no details are necessary and always get permission. Let us each take the opportunity to share the gift of prayer and uphold one another in love. Please contact Rosie at admin@saintandrews.org.au or Susan at minister@saintandrews.org.au to have them included here.



Church Office Open Days:

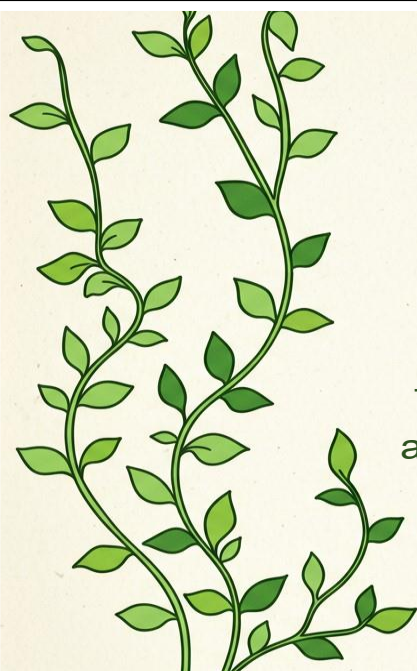
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

7am to 1.30pm. (07) 3108 4644

Administration Officer: Rosie Catt

5 Rev Dr Linda Hamill: 0402325715

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38th Synod in Session



Join us **online or in person** during
SiS
from **12pm May 16 to 12pm May 19**
as we pray for God to lead and guide
us into the future

Use the QR code to
join our mailing list



MINISTER'S PHONE NUMBER

The Parish has purchased a phone for use by the Minister of St Andrew's.

The number is: **0402325715.**

While Rev Linda is the Supply Minister, she may be contacted about Parish business on this number.

Community Outreach

Andy's Place Community Meal.

We need your help. The Saint Andrew's (Andy's Place) Community Meal serves over 90 guests each and every week

with a dine-in meal.

If you are able to help with cooking, serving or greeting or just want to know more about

what we do. Have a chat to Susan or Rex or email the Co-Ordinator, Jennet Niven, at:

communitymeal@saintandrews.org.au

Help the Environment and Recycle your containers. No C10161825. **NOW ACCEPTING**

WINE AND SPIRIT BOTTLES!

Bring approved containers to church and leave them in the red bin in the kitchen area or deposit your containers at a recycle depot and quote the Saint Andrew's scheme No C10161825 the cash refund goes directly to our account for the Community Meal. Please talk to Beth Brand or Rex Niven.

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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

TO ALL Mother's and Mother figures -

May you have a wonderful day.



Voxalis Opera and Southern Cross Soloists invite you to Refracted: Mahler & Pärt.

Voxalis have made an offer for members of St Andrew's congregation and offered reduced price tickets for their next production.

Immerse yourself in the powerful sound worlds of Gustav Mahler and Arvo Pärt, as we lead you through a deeply moving exploration of the human spirit.

Artists: Leanne Kenneally (soprano), Aylish Ryan (mezzo), Margaret Blades (violin), Lisa Smith (violin), Bridget Wegner (viola), Stirling Hall (cello), Sarka Budinska (piano)

 May 10, 2025 - 7:30pm

 Studio 1, Old Museum Building

Tickets: • Under 30: \$39

- Adults & Concessions: can use "voxalisgift" for a 15% discount

- <https://www.oldmuseum.au/event/refracted>



ANDY'S PLACE

Saturday Meal

Andrea

+ Plus One
List ... items
still needed

Caps

Men's belts

Umbrellas

Lip balm



Note- if it is easier for you to donate rather than purchase items, the new BSB details are:

St George Bank

BSB: 114879

A/C: 497923539 noted as Andy's Shop.

Concerts at Saint Andrew's

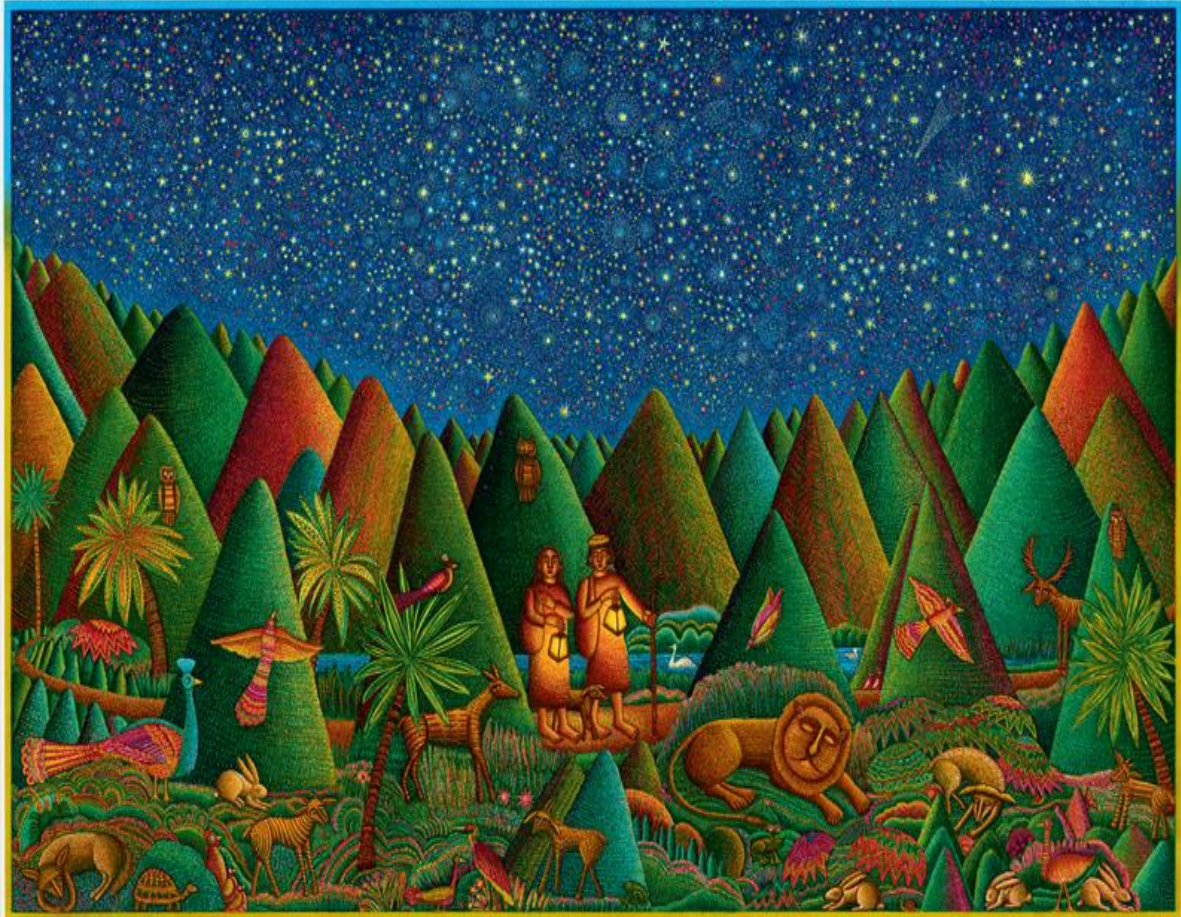


**Con Spirito Concerts will return
Friday **May 23rd** at 12.30pm**

The May Con Spirito Lunchtime Concert will feature wind ensembles from the Queensland Conservatorium of Music performing works by Malcolm Arnold, Astor Piazzolla, Eugene Bozza, Florent Schmitt, Gustave Vogt and Antonin Dvorak.

Art in the Christian Tradition

Sunday 11 May 2025 – Lectionary Link



Psalm 23

John August Swanson

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Prayers of the People

God of comfort and compassion,
through Jesus,
your Son, you lead us
to the water of life and table of your
bounty.
May we who have received
the tender
love of our Good Shepherd
be strengthened by your grace
to care for your flock.
Amen.



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