



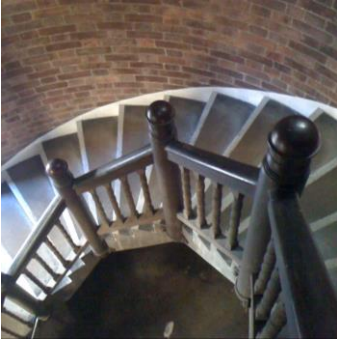
# Saint Andrew's Uniting Church



## NEWS AND NOTES

**Sunday 13 November 2022**

# 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: 1<sup>st</sup> 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](mailto: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:  
13 November- Twenty Third Sunday after Pentecost**

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1 <sup>st</sup> Reading:	Isaiah 65:17-25
Alternate 1 <sup>st</sup> Reading & Psalm	Malachi 4:1-2a Psalm 98
2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading:	2 Thessalonians 3: 6 - 13
Gospel:	Luke 21:5 - 19

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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](mailto: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
- Flower arrangers
- AV Operator
- Greeters and Ushers
- Door Duty
- Elders for Sunday Services
- Andy's Place Community Meal Servers
- Open Church
- Morning Tea

Check the roster on the following page and see where you can help.... If unsure who to contact speak to Susan.

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

## + Wi-Fi Access

ID: StAndrewsGuest

P/W: BeOurGuest

## + 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

# + Calendar of Events



November 2022



What's happening	Event	When	Time
Church Services	Sunday Service	Every Sunday	9:30am
Church Services Holy Communion	Sunday Service	Every 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month	9:30am
Midweek	LGBTQIA+ Service	Cancelled until further notice	6:00pm
Andy's Place Community Meals	Weekly meal	Every Saturday	11:30am
Open Church	For visitors	Every Friday (excluding public holidays)	11am – 2pm
Social Justice Table	Raising funds for special causes	Sunday December 4th	After service in Hall
AA & GA Meetings	AA Meeting	Every Monday, Wednesday & Friday	11:30am

## 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](mailto:admin@saintandrews.org.au)

NEWS & NOTES are now online!

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

+ Concerts at Saint Andrew's

+ Con Spirito Lunchtime Concerts



**There will be no further Con Spirito Concerts in 2022.**

**Please join us next year when we resume our wonderful free lunchtime concerts.**



**ANDY'S**  
PLACE

*You're invited to our*

# LAUNCH EVENT

Learn more about Saint Andrew's Uniting Church's new initiative to create a community space for the vulnerable and share in a light supper.

**NOVEMBER 30 AT 5:00PM**  
**SAINT ANDREW'S UNITING CHURCH**  
**CNR ANN ST & CREEK ST**

RSVP: [coordinator@andysplace.org.au](mailto:coordinator@andysplace.org.au)



## **MEDITATION AND STILLNESS FOR ADVENT**

**Each Wednesday in Advent**

**November 30, December 7, 14 & 21**

**12.30 – 1pm**

**St Andrew's Mission Chapel**

**Coffee and catch up after.**



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## **CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**November 27th**

**479 Payne Road, The Gap**

**5pm**

**\$15.00 per person**

**All welcome**

**RSVP: [admin@saintandrews.org.au](mailto:admin@saintandrews.org.au) by 24/11/22**



**Church Office Open Days:**

**Wednesday, Thursday and Friday**

**9am to 2pm.**

**Telephone Number: (07) 3108 4644**

**7 Administration Officer: Rosie Catt**



## Bits and Pieces continued

### Children's Worship Bulletins

Activity sheets based on the lectionary are now available each week so please ask the door duty officer if you need one.

The Bulletins are available in two age groups 3+ years and 7+ years.

Some online activities are also available at – [games.childrensbulletins.com](http://games.childrensbulletins.com) - if you want to share them at home.

Secret codes

3+: NNXE47    7+: JRT933



### Prayers for the People

- The Ukrainian people and all those affected by war
- Families who are struggling
- All victims of natural disasters
- The Homeless
- COP27 delegates

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 Miriam at [news4notes@gmail.com](mailto:news4notes@gmail.com) or Susan at [minister@saintandrews.org.au](mailto:minister@saintandrews.org.au) to have them included here.

### Community Outreach

#### Andy's Place Community Meal.

We need your help. The Saint Andrew's (Andy's Place) Community Meal serves over 70 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 new Co-Ordinator, Jennet Niven, at:

[communitymeal@saintandrews.org.au](mailto:communitymeal@saintandrews.org.au)

#### Help the Environment and Recycle your containers. No C10161825

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 if you need more information.



# Andy's Place

It's about to happen – **Andy's Place official launch.**

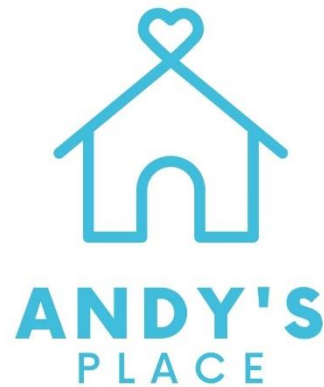
**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November at 5pm.**

**In the church followed by light refreshments**

The launch will be attended by numerous invited guests including our local member Viki Howard, other support organisations, volunteers and our Saturday meal guests. Please put this in your calendars as it would be great to have your support at the function for this exciting change

Rex Niven

(Treasurer Andy's Place)





## Christmas Gift Bags

We have now completed most of the advance purchases for the Christmas Gift bags. We have been able to obtain a good selection of goods for the bags and we are now seeking Tax deductible donations to support this activity. Donations can be made to: - Andy's Place bank account **BSB 114 879 A/C 497 923 539 reference Christmas Bags**. For a tax receipt please e-mail [treasurer@andysplace.org.au](mailto:treasurer@andysplace.org.au) with details.

Thank you for your support of this activity and if you have any questions, please see Rex Niven who is co-ordinating this year's activity.



# Bits and Pieces continued

## Social Justice Table :

The next Social Justice Table will be a Christmas Table on Sunday 4th December in aid of Andy's Place Community Meal Christmas Gifts.

Please come and support us by purchasing some Christmas goodies.

Any contributions for sale would be greatly Appreciated.



Here's how to contribute to the Social Justice Table, Community Meal, Offering or Parking using direct debit:

Saint Andrew's Church Account:

- UCA St Andrew's Uniting Church
- BSB 334040
- Account number 553877638

**IMPORTANT:** When making a direct debit donation ensure you use a REFERENCE as below eg :

- Social Justice Table
- 'Park-Name' (Parking+your name)
- OFF-Name (Offering-your name)
- Outreach Table

# Bits and Pieces continued

+ Andy's  
Place Shop...

Please continue, as you are able, to add one toiletry item to your shopping basket.

We need Men's Summer clothing:

- shirts
- T - shirts
- shorts
- trousers

. We continue to use the available funds to purchase socks, undies and toiletries as needed. Most Saturdays sees the 'shop' depleted of the amount of limited supplies that are put out.



Like all of us, our guests have felt the bite of rising prices as well as limited supplies.

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.

Jann & Rex Niven

# Art in the Christian Tradition

Sunday – 13 November 2022 – Lectionary Link



## “Armenian Quarter”

<https://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=57227>

Ceramics

Jerusalem

# Prayers of the People

O God,  
in Christ you give us hope  
for a new heaven  
and a new earth.

Grant us wisdom to interpret the  
signs of our times,  
courage to stand in the time of  
trial,  
and faith to witness  
to your truth and love.

Amen



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