

# Welcome

DAY OF PENTECOST  
19 May 2024

*Incorporating the Parishes  
of St Paul's Ipswich &  
St Thomas' Ipswich North*

## Today's Services—St Paul's

### 7:00am Holy Communion

Rev'd Canon Dr Greg Jenks

### 8:30am Holy Communion

Rev'd Canon Dr Greg Jenks

### 12:30pm Traditional Sudanese Service

Rev'd Simon Arok, Rev'd Elizabeth Chol  
Rev'd Rachael Adut

### 5:30pm Contemporary Service

Keith Gibson

## —St Thomas'

### 8:30am Holy Communion

Rev'd Lorraine Lynch

## Readings for This Sunday

Ezk 37:1-14; Ps. 104:26-36; Acts 2:1-21; Jn. 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

## Services for this week

### 10:30am Tuesday Holy Communion—St Paul's Ipswich

Rev'd Lorraine Lynch

### 9:30am Wednesday Holy Communion St Thomas' Ips North

Rev'd Lorraine Lynch

### 7:00am Friday Holy Communion—St Paul's Ipswich

Rev'd Canon Dr Greg Jenks

## Clergy contact information

Rev'd Canon Dr Greg Jenks 0426 067 344  
Rev'd Lorraine Lynch: 0449 564 930  
(Part Time—St Paul's Mon & Tues / St Thomas' Sun & Wed)  
Rev'd Michele Knight: 0419 656 037  
Emergency Pastoral Support: 0430 024 283

**Anglican**  
Church  
Ipswich Anglican Community

## Contact information

### St Paul's Ipswich Parish

#### Office Hours:

Monday—Friday, 9:00am—2:00pm

#### St Paul's Op Shop:

Monday—Friday, 9:00am—2:00pm

Saturday, 9:00am—12:00pm

#### Address:

124 Brisbane Street, Ipswich Qld 4305

#### Postal address:

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**Website:** [www.stpaulsips.org.au](http://www.stpaulsips.org.au)

**Parish phone:** (07) 3812 0377

Priest Warden: Mal Ferguson

### St Thomas' Ipswich North Parish

#### Address:

15 Lawrence Street, North Ipswich Qld 4305

#### Postal address:

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**Parish phone:** 0405 649 470

Priest Warden: Chris Raymont

## Acknowledgment of Country

*The Ipswich Anglican Parish Community respectfully acknowledges the Traditional Owners as custodians of the land and waters we share. We pay our respects to their elders past, present and emerging, as the keepers of the traditions, customs, cultures and stories of proud peoples.*

## Next Sunday Services Trinity Sunday

### —St Paul's

#### 7:00am Holy Communion

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#### 8:30am Holy Communion

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#### 12:30pm Trad. Sudanese Service

Rev'd Simon Arok,  
Rev'd Elizabeth Chol  
Rev'd Rachael Adut

#### 6:00pm Choral Evensong

Peter Taylor

### —St Thomas'

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Rev'd Lorraine Lynch

#### Next Sunday Readings:

Isa. 6:1-8; Ps. 29;  
Rom. 8:12-17; Jn. 3:1-17

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## Thy Kingdom come

'But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, faithfulness and self-control' (*Galatians 5:22-23*)

Relationships change us. When Jesus becomes our Lord, we are transformed. He gifts us with his Spirit and the Spirit works within us to make us more like Jesus, day by day. The wonderful fruit of the Spirit, beginning with love and ending with self-control, could be a description of Jesus himself. As we know, we must struggle with sin and seek to live like Jesus. But we also realise that we cannot do this on our own, but by the power of the Spirit of God. Thank God for his wonderful mercies!

**Question for thought:** Am I thanking God for the wonders of his grace?

Our Father in heaven, we give thanks for the members in Bunbury, Western Australia and Rockhampton in Central Queensland and for their commitment to serving you. May they continue to do the good works you have prepared for them to walk in as they support families and those facing challenges and share with them about your love and mercy. Amen.

## Pray Daily

<https://anglicanfocus.org.au/2024/04/24/pray-daily-may-2024/>

## The Anglican Communion

- The Anglican Church of Canada
- The Diocese of North West Australia: †Darrell Parker; Clergy and People
- The Parish of Toowong: Tom Sullivan, Alan Dale, Elsie Clack, Michael Faragher
- Anglicare SQ Abri Residential Aged Care – Gold Coast (Southport)
- Toowoomba Anglican School, Toowoomba: Principal – Simon Lees; Chaplaincy team; Chair of School Council – Mac Drysdale; members of School Council; staff & students

*If you or anyone you know would like to  
receive Pastoral Care please contact:  
St Paul's Parish Office (3812 0377)*



## Reflections

Ezekiel's well-known prophecy shows us that without breath, there is no life. We need that breath literally as well as metaphorically: we need the Spirit to vivify us, we need inspiration to really exist, endure and flourish. Otherwise, we are merely skeletons with no life in us. Pray that the Holy Spirit may enliven and inspire us so that we may truly live.

- Holy Ghost, dispel our sadness, Pierce the gloom of sinful night; Come, thou Source of sweetest gladness, Breathe thy life and spread thy light!
- Give thanks for the two dioceses of the Church of Ceylon, which covers most of Sri Lanka, remembering their ministry in a multi-religious context.

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## Message from Canon Greg Jenks

### PENTECOST SUNDAY

This Sunday we bring the Great Fifty Days of Easter to their climax, as we celebrate the continuing presence of Jesus—the Risen Lord—in our midst as the divine Spirit. This is much more than the so-called “birthday of the church,” as it is often described. This is about celebrating the deep meaning of Easter: Jesus is alive, Jesus is with God as we also shall be after our death, and Jesus is always with us as Spirit.

In 1 Corinthians 15, Paul wrote about this profound mystery that is at the very heart of our faith:

“The first man, Adam, became a living being”; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit. But it is not the spiritual that is first, but the physical, and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, a man of dust; the second man is from heaven. As was the man of dust, so are those who are of the dust; and as is the man of heaven, so are those who are of heaven. Just as we have borne the image of the man of dust, we will also bear the image of the man of heaven.” (Vss 45–49)

Our worship at the 8.30am service this Sunday will be a mix old and new, as the Choir joins us to offer the gift of their music ministry and the children stay with us throughout the liturgy as we celebrate one of the principal feasts of the Church Year. May you know the joy of our Lord’s presence and the spiritual power of the Spirit of Jesus within us. Alleluia.

**UNDER THE ARCHES**  
*a musical tapestry*

**Saturday  
8 June, 6pm**

Featuring choral and instrumental ensembles from The Springfield Anglican College, with the choir and organists of St Paul's Ipswich.

**St Paul's Anglican Church  
124 Brisbane St, Ipswich**  
Entry by donation

The Springfield Anglican College

### INCUMBENCY PRAYER

Bountiful God, give 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 fulfil 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.



# IPSWICH ANGLICAN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Date	Day	Time	Activity/Location	Contact
29 May	Wed	7:15pm	<b>St Thomas' Theatre Night (Stepping Out)</b> Ipswich Little Theatre, 15 Burley Griffin Dr, Ipswich	<b>St Thomas' Ipswich North</b> t. 0405 649 470
8 June	Sat	6:00pm	<b>Under the Arches—A Musical Tapestry</b> St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	<b>St Paul's Parish Office</b> t. 3812 0377
13 July	Sat	7:00pm	<b>Big Band Spectacular (Part of Spark Festival 4-13 July)</b> St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	<b>St Paul's Parish Office</b> t. 3812 0377
29-31 August		9:00am-3:00pm	<b>St Paul's Quilt Show</b> St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	<b>St Paul's Parish Office</b> t. 3812 0377
Weekly	Sun	4:00pm-5:00pm	Food Ministry St Paul's Hall Laneway, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Weekly	Tues	11:30am	Bible Study "Fruit Full Ness" (7wks) St Paul's Conference Room, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	Rev'd Lorraine Lynch m. 0449 564 930
Weekly	Wed	6:00pm	Beginner's New Testament Greek class (every 2nd week) St Paul's Conference Room, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	Chris Montgomery m. 0421 974 188
Weekly	Thurs	7:00pm	Bible Study—Via Zoom (hosted by Rev'd Shelley Knight) (Contact Rev'd Shelley Knight or Parish Office for Zoom Link)	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Weekly	Sat	3:00pm	Church Gardening Group St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Fortnightly	Mon	6:30pm	New Testament Bible Study (every 2nd Monday) St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	Chris Montgomery m. 0421 974 188
Fortnightly	Wed	9:30am	Holy Communion followed by Mature Group (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Wed) St Thomas' Church, 15 Lawrence Street, North Ipswich	St Thomas' Ipswich North t. 0405 649 470
Fortnightly	Sun	5:30pm	Contemporary Service (1st & 3rd Sun) St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Monthly	1st Wed/ mth	10:00am	Coffee on Wednesdays' (CoWs) (1st Wed/mth) St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Monthly	1st Sat/ mth	8am-Midday	Community Market (1st Sat/mth) St Thomas' Garden, 15 Lawrence Street, North Ipswich	Lesley Briggs m. 0404 005 088
Monthly	3rd Fri/ mth	9:30am	AMUA Meeting St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Monthly	3rd Sat/ mth	1:30pm	Little Church Garden (3rd Sat/mth) Old St John's Church, 82 Blackall St, Basin Pocket	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Monthly	1st Sun/ mth	8:30am	Anointing of the Sick (straight after Communion) St Paul's Church & St Thomas' Church	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377
Monthly	4th Sun/ mth	6:00pm	Choral Evensong St Paul's Church, 124 Brisbane Street Ipswich	St Paul's Parish Office t. 3812 0377

## Prayers for Healing

Harry Wedd      Kade Johnson  
Jan Mundt      Barbara Hayward  
Clive Robinson      Roslyn Lumsden  
Ollie King      Gerard Flannery  
Heather James

## Prayers for Long-Term Care

Jackie Cornish      Kathy Chevalier  
Cheryl Marsh

## Anniversaries

### **Baptism:**

20 May      Myah Jade O'Grady (2023)

### **Death:**

19 May      Mavis Ellen Dutton (2009)

25 May      Mary Strange (2006)

25 May      Joyce Eden-Langer (2019)



# St Thomas'

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*To Proclaim the Good News of God's Reign.*

## Important Diary Notes & Notices

### **Today**

**10:00am Parish Council Meeting**

### **Tuesday 21 May**

**RI at Brassall & Tivoli State Primary Schools**

### **Wednesday 22 May**

**9:30am Holy Communion** celebrated at St Thomas' Church  
Mature Persons Fellowship following service (Lunch @ Brothers)

### **Sunday 26 May**

**8:30am Holy Communion** celebrated at St Thomas' Church  
*Includes Children's Ministry*  
**Sing along with Joseph** following church.

## Ministry Team

### **Priest:**

Rev'd Lorraine Lynch

### **Priest's Warden:**

Chris Raymont 0402 411 368

### **People's Warden:**

Dorothy Prasser 3389 9397

Lesley Briggs 0404 005 088

(Also Children's Ministry)

### **Pastoral Care Assistant:**

Nancy Norwood 3281 3889

### **Health & Safety Officer:**

Shaun Madson

## Missionary Giving

**May Missionary Giving:** Our giving to missionary work outside the Parish via the Planned Giving envelopes will go to help support the work of **Aboriginal & Islander Ministry**.

## Rosters

### **SUNDAY 19 May**

LA—Chris      Reader 1—Colin      Reader 2—Charman      Sides Per. 1—Peter  
Sides Per. 2—Barbara

### **SUNDAY 26 May**

LA—Cindy      Reader 1—Peter      Reader 2—Lesley      Sides Per. 1—Anne  
Sides Per. 2—Chris R

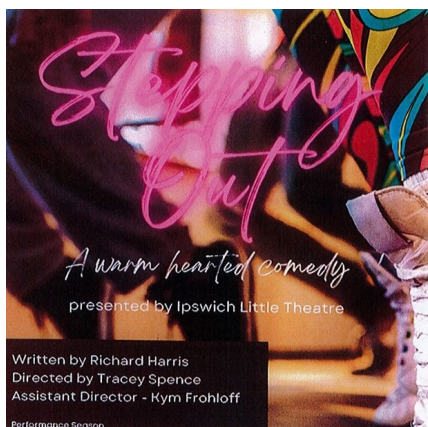
May Morning Tea:      4th

## Treasurer's Report

- ◆ St Thomas' EFT banking details for Tithes and Offerings:  
**BSB: 704-901 ACCOUNT NUMBER: 00000710**  
**ACCOUNT NAME: Ipswich North Anglican Parish**  
(PLEASE NOTE CHEQUES MUST BE PAYABLE TO ACCOUNT NAME AS SHOWN ABOVE)
- ◆ **SQUARE DEVICE** is available at Church to receive Donations or Offerings **by Debit or Credit Card.**  
(See Peter after Service).
- ◆ Another form of giving is provided by ANFIN called **PARISH DIRECT.**  
This entails filing out a form and forwarding to ANFIN who will arrange to Debit your bank account for a nominated amount which can be deducted weekly, fortnightly, monthly and ANFIN will credit the church ANFIN account. You can elect to disclose or non-disclose your name. Forms are available at back of Church. Parish ID "Ipswich North".
- ◆ **GIVING ENVELOPES for 2024** are available now on table at back of Church.

**An update on recent fundraising** saw the Market Day held on 4 May 2024 make a profit of \$453.10 and the Mother's Day Raffle make a profit of \$348.35. Thank you to all who contributed to our successful fundraising efforts, your assistance is greatly appreciated!

## Important Diary Notes & Notices Cont.



### St Thomas' Theatre Night Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024

**Time: 7:15pm for 8:00pm Start**

**Tickets: \$28.00 each (Supper included)**

Ipswich Incinerator Theatre, 15 Burley Griffin Drive, Ipswich  
Raffle Tickets available for purchase on the night.

## PENTECOST THANK OFFERING



### HAKUNA MATATA CHILDREN'S CHOIR MAY RETIREMENT FUND

15 young Kenyan Children are travelling Australia showcasing their singing and dancing skills as they proclaim the love of Jesus. They are hoping to raise sufficient funds to build an Orphanage in their country and we invite you to donate to this worthy project.

To Donate online: <https://connectwithachild.org/>

Let's demonstrate the generosity of God's heart to a people in need!