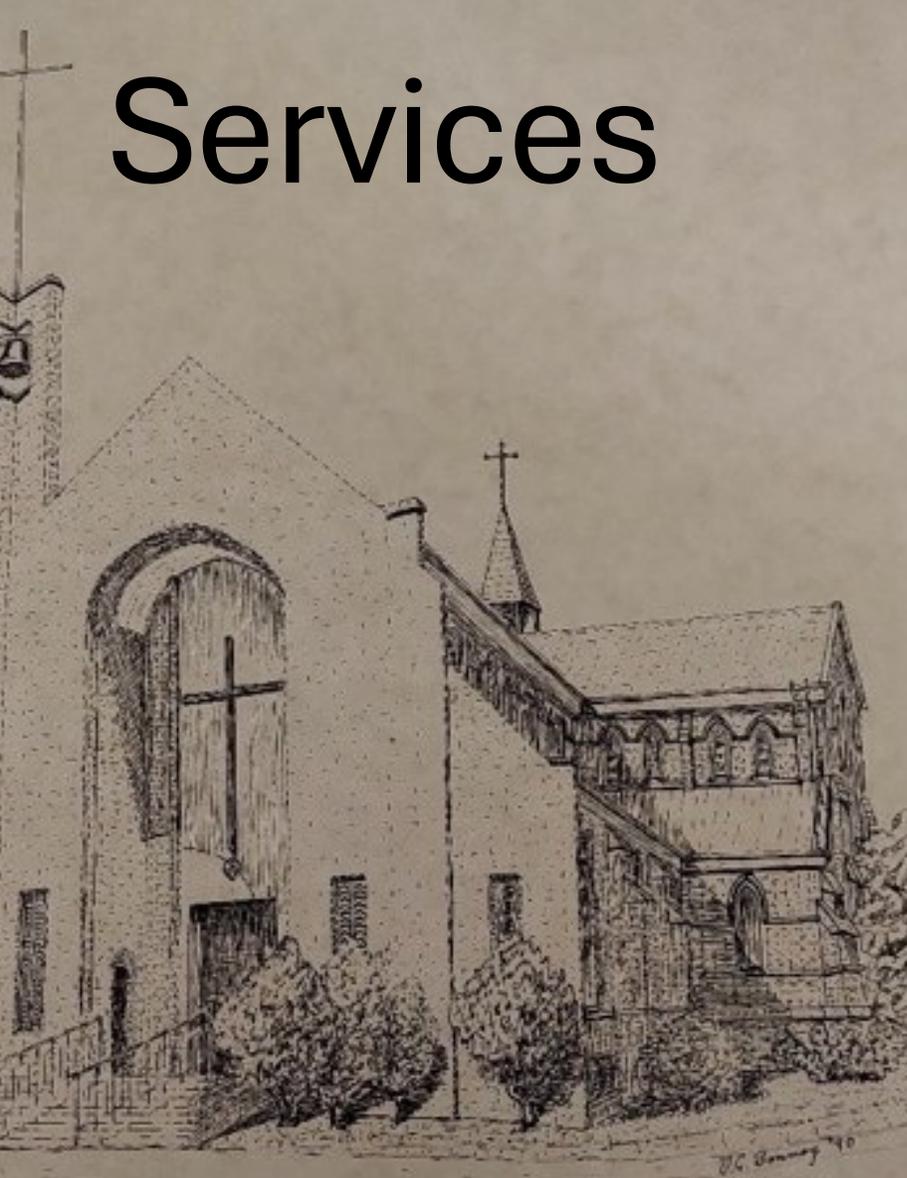


Welcome to the Townsville (CBD) Ministry Unit



**June
Parish News
2024**

Services



Sundays:

7.15 am St Marks Belgian Gardens

9 am St James' Cathedral

Monday- Friday:

8.30 am Morning Prayer

Wednesday:

12 noon & 5.30pm Eucharist

Saturday:

5 pm St Margarets Magnetic Island

St James' Cathedral is open

Most weekdays 8am-noon (except in Jan)

Our Ministry Unit

Dean:

**The Very Rev'd
and Venerable
Dr Kenneth Lay
0422 148 952**

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Rev Shirley Thomson
Rev Christine
Readman
Fr Mitchell Porter
Fr Kevin Bourke**

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Thanksgiving

Direct Debit

- Church Wardens of St James Cathedral General Account
- BSB 034 222
- Acc 250713

Anonymous Donation

ANFIN
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information can be found at

[ANFIN — Anglican Church Southern Queensland
\(anglicanchurchsq.org.au\)](http://anglicanchurchsq.org.au)



If you use either of these methods, please pick up a laminated card from the table on entry, to deposit in the offering plate



What's Happening

in June

June, 2024 The Townsville Ministry Unit

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|---|---|---|---|--|--|
| 30 6TH SUN AFT PENTECOST 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist and Baptisms at St James 11.00 Baptism at St James | | | | | | 1 8.30 Morning Prayer 10.00 Wedding Rehearsal 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl |
| 2 2ND SUN AFT PENTECOST 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James 3.00 Wedding at St James 6.00 Evensong | 3 JOHN XXIII 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke | 4 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist | 5 BONIFACE OF MAINZ 7.00 Bible Study 8.30 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James 5.30 Eucharist at St James | 6 8.30 Morning Prayer 12.00 Eucharist at Charters T 3.00 Charters T MUC Mtg 7.00 Franciscans at St Mark's | 7 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist | 8 8.30 Morning Prayer 11.00 Baptism at St James 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl |
| 9 3RD SUN AFT PENTECOST 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James | 10 8.30 Morning Prayer 10.00 POT session at Yarrabah 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke | 11 BARNABAS 8.30 Morning Prayer 10.30 Anglicare Governance 1.00 Anglicare Committee | 12 7.00 Bible Study 8.30 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James 5.30 Eucharist at St James | 13 ANTONY OF PADUA 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 9.00 Eucharist at Ayr followed By MUC Meeting 4.00 MUC Meeting Bowen | 14 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 5.00 Eucharist at Georgetown 7.30 Townsville Concert Band Concert at St James | 15 EVELYN UNDERHILL 7.30 Men's Breakfast 10.00 Eucharist at Croydon 1.00 Escape Academy "Stable" fundraiser 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl |
| 16 4TH SUN AFT PENTECOST 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James 8.00 Eucharist at Normanton 5.00 Eucharist at Mt Isa | 17 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke | 18 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 11.00 Blessing of new Meals On Wheels Ctr Ingham | 19 7.00 Bible Study 8.30 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James 5.30 Eucharist at St James | 20 8.30 Morning Prayer 2.00 Senior Leadership Mtg | 21 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 6.30 Synod Eucharist 7.30 Synod Session | 22 all day Synod Session 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl |
| 23 5TH SUN AFT PENTECOST 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James Ven Order of St John | 24 BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke | 25 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 6.30 Friends Social Event | 26 7.00 Bible Study 8.30 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James 5.30 Eucharist at St James | 27 CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 9.00 MUC Meeting Ingham 12.00 Eucharist at Ingham | 28 IRENAEUS OF LYONS 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist | 29 S PETER AND S PAUL 8.30 Morning Prayer 4.00 Cathedral Organ Recital 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl |



June 2nd 6pm

EVENSONG

June 3rd

Janani Luwum

..there seems to be distinct periods that God uses to profoundly impact a wide range of people. One of these is the East African Revival that permeated East Africa between the late 1920s and 1930s. A few years ago I was privileged to attend a celebration of revival movement at its birthplace in Gahini, Rwanda. Throughout the celebration, speakers mentioned famous and influential African leaders who had been impacted by the revival and one of those was the Ugandan Anglican martyr Archbishop Janani Luwum (1922-1977).

[Ugandan Anglican Martyr, Archbishop Janani Luwum](http://anglicanfocus.org.au)
(anglicanfocus.org.au)

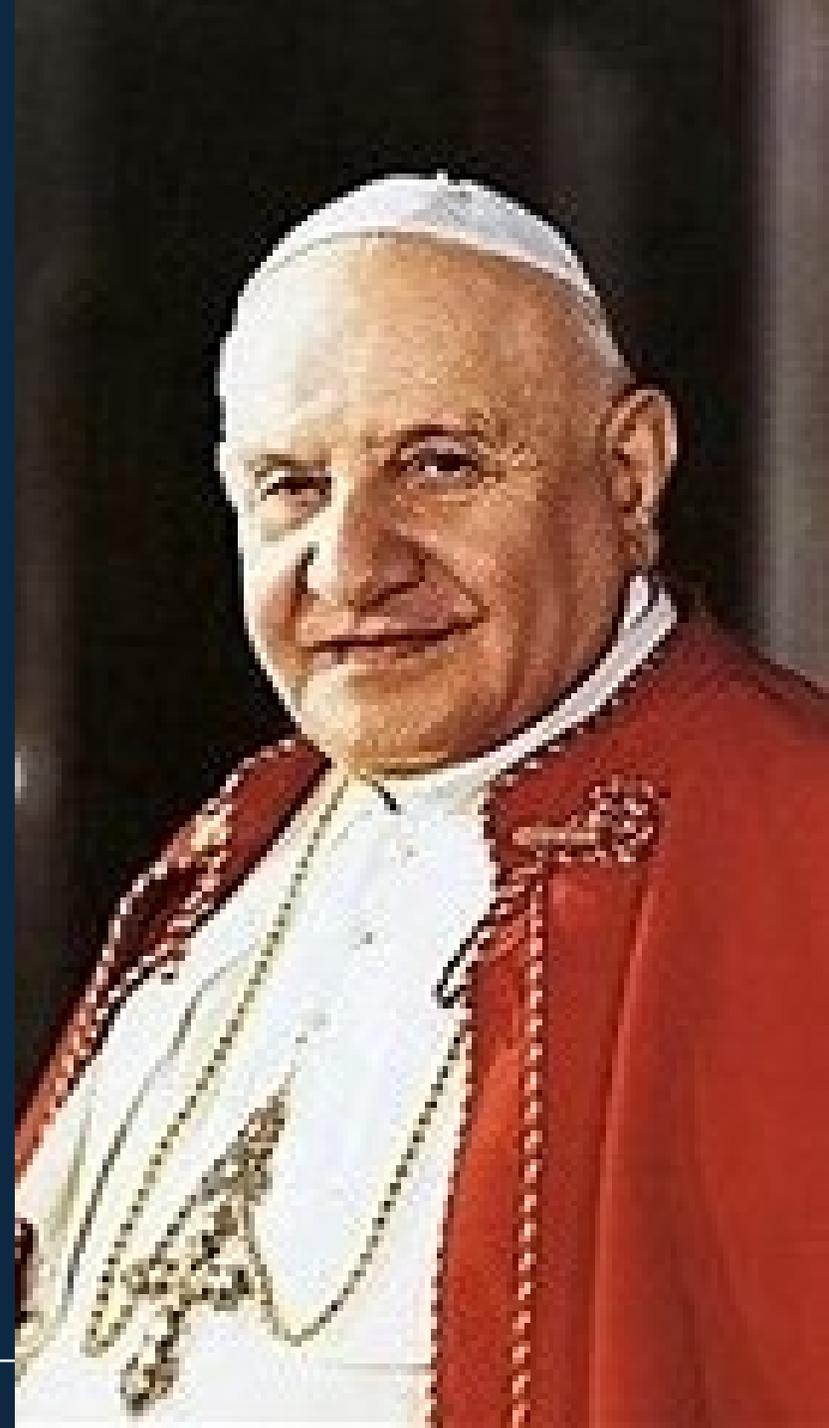


June 3rd

Pope John XXIII

John XXIII (1881-1963) was pope from 1958 to 1963. He convoked the Second Vatican Council, thus launching a renewal in the Roman Catholic Church and inaugurating a new era in its history.

Much of this significance stemmed, naturally, from the train of events which he set in motion during the 5 years of his reign, but much of it also lay in his unique personality. Previous popes had usually been remote and austere figures; from the very outset John endeared himself to the whole world by his warmth, humor, and easy approachability. He had an impatience with empty traditionalism and often astonished his aides by the forthright way in which he cut through meaningless formalities.



Friends of St James' Cathedral

Meeting

9am June 8th

All Welcome



Friends of St James Cathedral - St.
James' Anglican Cathedral Townsville

Pentecost

June 9th

Banners made by
Graham Miller



4 pm June 9th



June 11th

St Barnabas

The Brotherhood of St Barnabas was founded in 1902. In 1919 Sr Alice of St Anne's Girls School inspired Bishop Feetham to establish a boy's school in the North and once the finance was gathered the All Souls School in Charters Towers was founded by the Brotherhood with Reginald Halse the first Headmaster in 1920.

Window dedicated to the Brotherhood of St Barnabas 1984.



Townsville Concert Band presents

People & Places



Where: Saint James' Cathedral

When: Friday 14 June

Time: 7:30pm - 9pm

SUPPORTED BY



What to expect

🎵 Immerse Yourself in an Extraordinary Musical Exploration 🌍

Join the Townsville Concert Band for a spectacular Friday evening at the stunning St. James' Cathedral. Our special concert, "People and Places," promises an exploration of amazing people and unforgettable places, supported by Townsville City Council.

- 🍀 Experience the lush greenery of Ireland
- 🏜️ Venture through the mystic deserts of Arabia
- 🌐 Feel the Pulse and vibrant rhythms of Asia
- 🦖 ... and keep a look out for Big Bird and the Tyrannosaurus Rex!

Whether you're a dedicated concert band aficionado or a family looking for a captivating outing. Don't miss this blend of cultural depth and cinematic excitement.



7.30am June 15th

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Cathedral Gardens

TOWNSVILLE

15

JUNE
2024

9AM-
NOON



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CONNECT

Going the distance



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God's Word



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GUEST SPEAKERS

Daniel Avenell Field Staff Emerald/Blackwater

Mike Uptin Regional Officer QLD/NNSW

Four exhortations for Christian life and ministry:
a video Bible talk from Bishop Rod Chiswell
(Anglican Diocese of Armidale)

ROSS RIVER ANGLICAN CHURCH

THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL
154 ROSS RIVER ROAD, MUNDINGBURRA

* Bookings essential. Cost \$10 pp.

All event info and bookings at
bushchurchaid.com.au/events
or scan the QR code



Reaching Australia for Christ since 1919

Fund Raiser for the Stable

How it works:

- 1: Gather your team
- 2: Select a room and session time on the **15th June!**
- 3: Decipher clues
- 4: Escape in 60 min, or less!!

<https://stabilenq.com.au/escape-academy>



June 15th

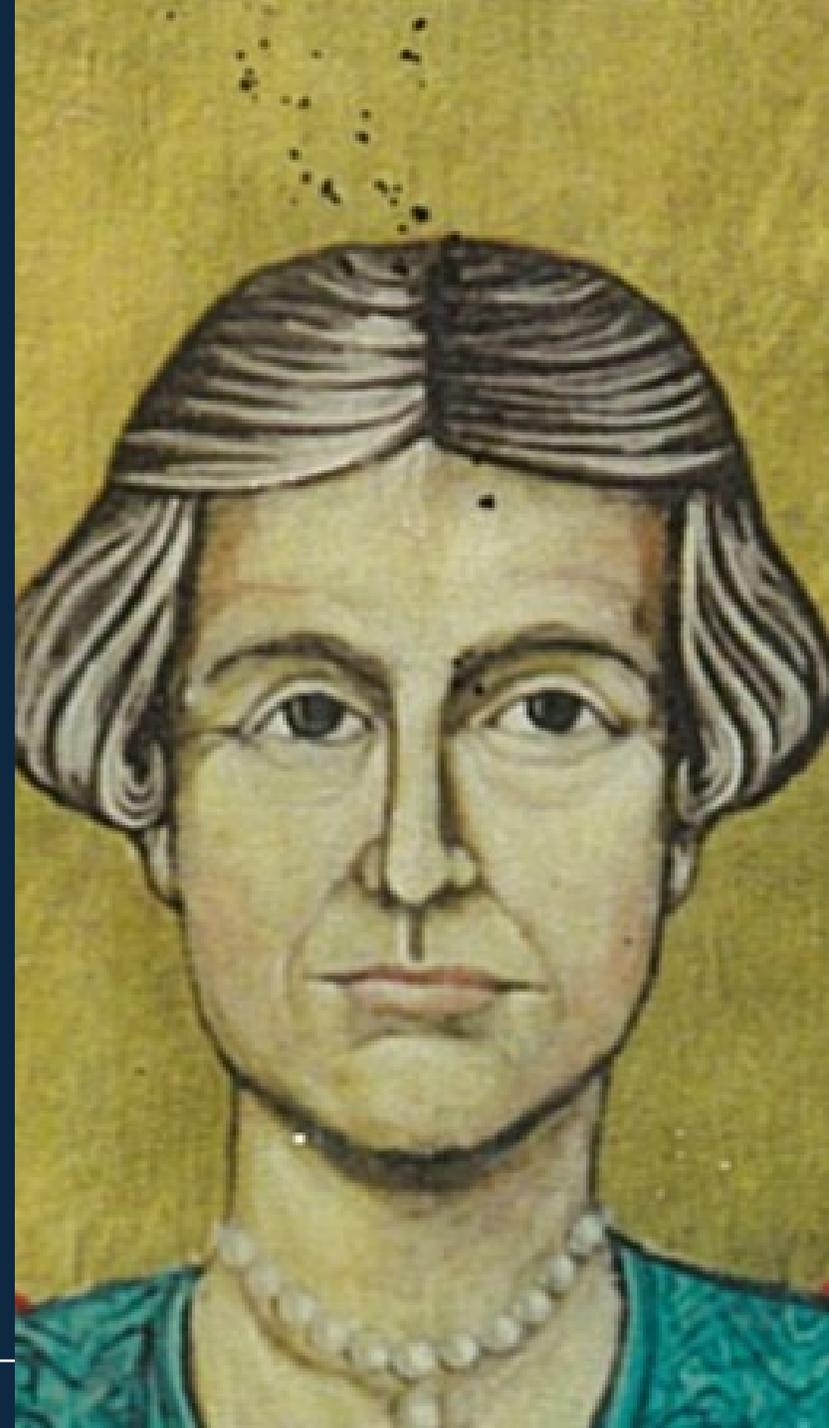
Evelyn Underhill (1875-1941)

She is commemorated in our liturgical calendar on the day she died, 15 June. Thirty-five years after her death, Michael Ramsay, the then Archbishop of Canterbury, reminded members of the Church of England that this amazing woman was still relevant, and profoundly worthy of her reputation in her own time as a scholar, a teacher, a writer, and a mystic:

“She did much to extend the tradition of ‘spiritual direction’ which elicits people’s own spiritual capacities and helps them find themselves in paths of freedom...She was able to use the insights...from her own studies for the expression of theology and spirituality of a distinctively Anglican kind. Few in modern times have done more to show the theological foundations of the life of prayer and to witness to the inter-penetration of prayer and theology. She has a place of her own, and it is an important one.” (Allchin & Ramsay, 1977, p.22).

[Meet a saint for our times – Evelyn Underhill](#)

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Synod

June 21st – 23rd

2024

The Synod Eucharist will be held on Friday 21st at 6.30pm



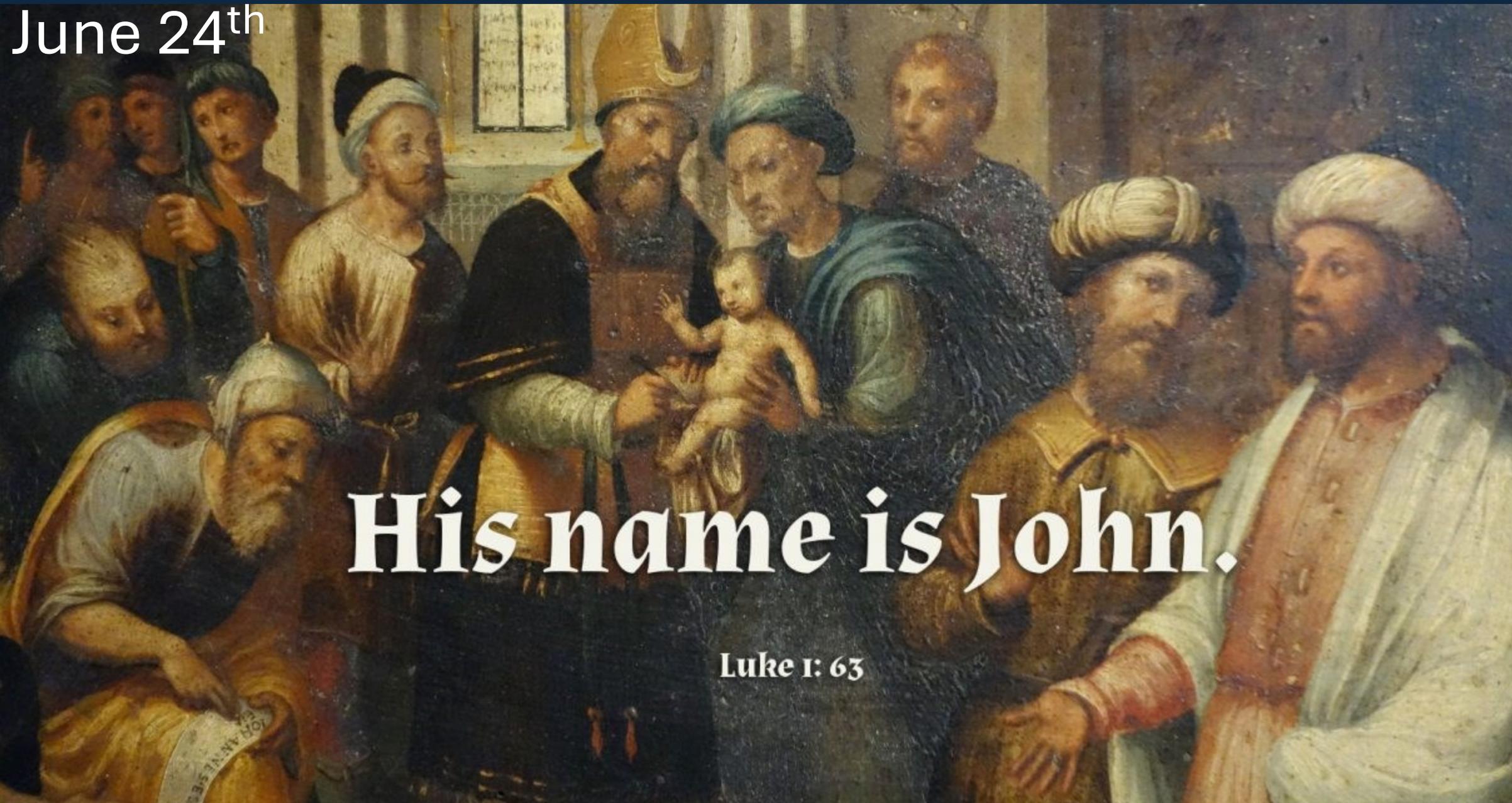
**The Priory in Australia
of
the Most Venerable Order of
the Hospital of St John of Jerusalem
St John Ambulance: Townsville**

**9am
June 23rd**

**CHURCH SERVICE
AND PRESENTATION CEREMONY**

**ST JAMES' ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL
TOWNSVILLE**

June 24th



His name is John.

Luke 1: 63

Birth of John Baptist

6pm June 24th

*Friends of St James' Cathedral
Social Outing*

Curry Dinner

**Masala Indian Restaurant
Cannon Park (\$35)**

RSVP to Rev Shirley

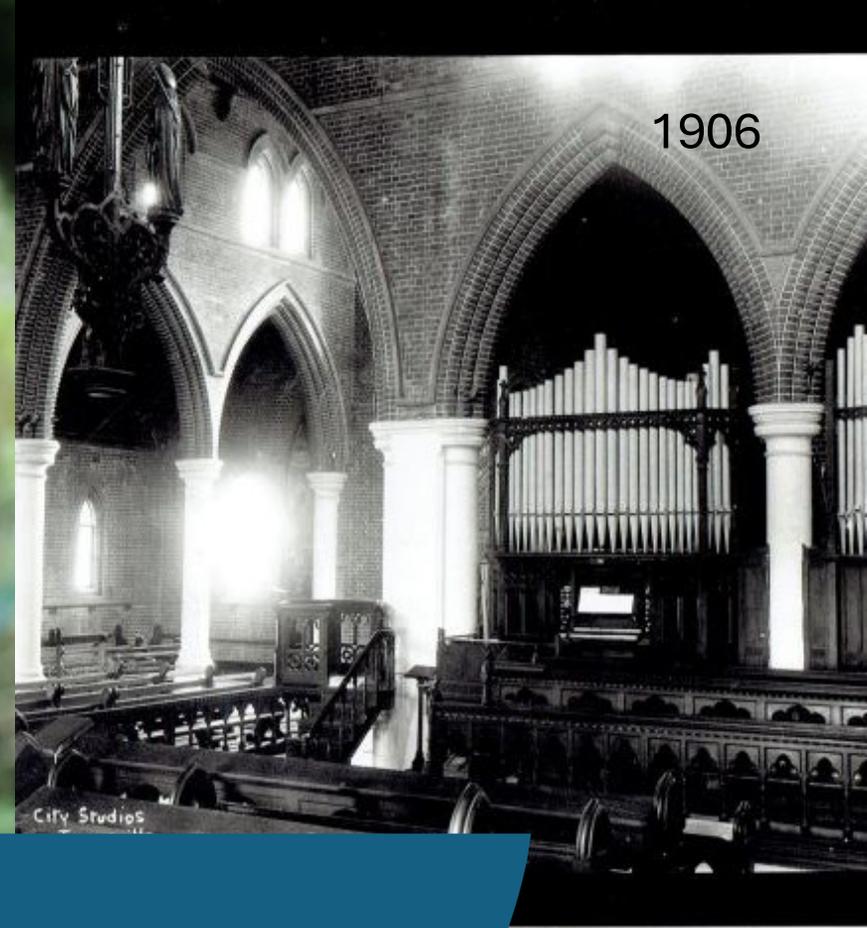
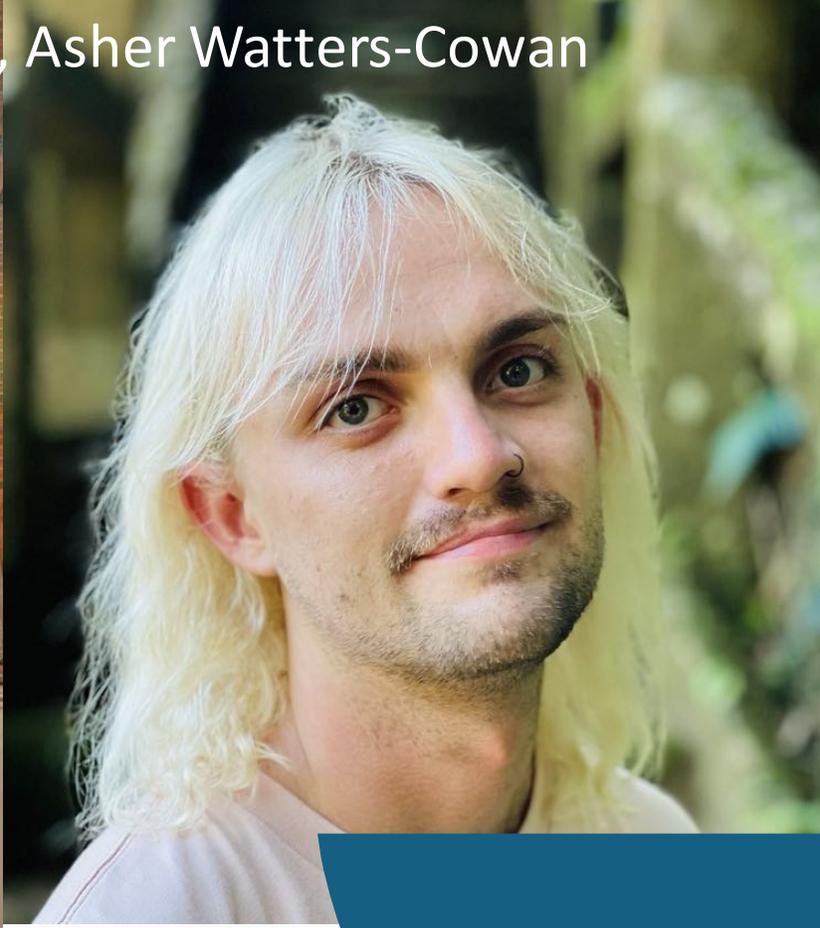
shirleythomson77@gmail.com

You may like to wear Indian attire

The best entrance is off High Range Drive... lots of night time parking outside the Roads Dept there.



Visiting organist, Asher Watters-Cowan



St James Cathedral Organ Concert

4pm June 29th

Concert works by Buxtehude, Bach and Durufle

All donations will go towards maintaining the organ

Asher has a Bachelor of Music with Honours (first class) from the Melbourne Conservatorium, specialising in organ performance. He has given numerous concerts in Melbourne spanning a wide repertoire.

1884

Brindley and Foster (Sheffield) organ installed in St James' Church

1892

Moved to one bay of the North Transept of the present Cathedral

1906

Mechanical organ coupled to pneumatic organ and enlarged to an extra 13 stops by the original builder. Occupied 2 bays of the North Transept.

1956
-57

Mr. Noel Ferguson, an optometrist from Cairns, rebuilt it with twenty-two speaking stops and the action was changed from mechanical to electro-pneumatic to stop the delay that occurred between the two.

1958

Moved to organ gallery

1992

Reconstructed by Brown and Arkley

2002

Further adjustment of voicing and wind pressures

OUR ORGAN'S HISTORY



Wednesdays

Bible Studies

7am & 11am

Coming up at St James

Sunday July 28 2024

Australian Festival
of Chamber Music

11:00 AM ST JAMES' CATHEDRAL

Sunday Morning Church Concert with Stephen Johnson - Discovering Music

THIS CONCERT IS SOLD OUT - PLEASE FOLLOW THE BOOK NOW LINKS TO BE PLACED ON A WAITLIST

<https://www.afcm.com.au/afcm-2024/festival-program/>

Start Time: 11:00 am | **Finish Time:** 12:30 pm | **Doors Open:** 10:45am

Here we will discover the inner beauty contained within two masterworks of the chamber music repertoire, Brahms' *Horn Trio* and Ravel's *Piano Trio*, expertly brought to life by our resident performers and eruditely explained by Stephen Johnson.

Coming up at St James

Artist Entries are open until July 18th

The Friends of St James' Cathedral

Art and Craft Exhibition 2024

Opening Night August 7th
Exhibition 8th - 18th

Entry Forms

<https://forms.gle/pD4midHqFp3NCehE8>



MONTH IN REVIEW

May



We welcome

Noah Reid Evans

into God's Family

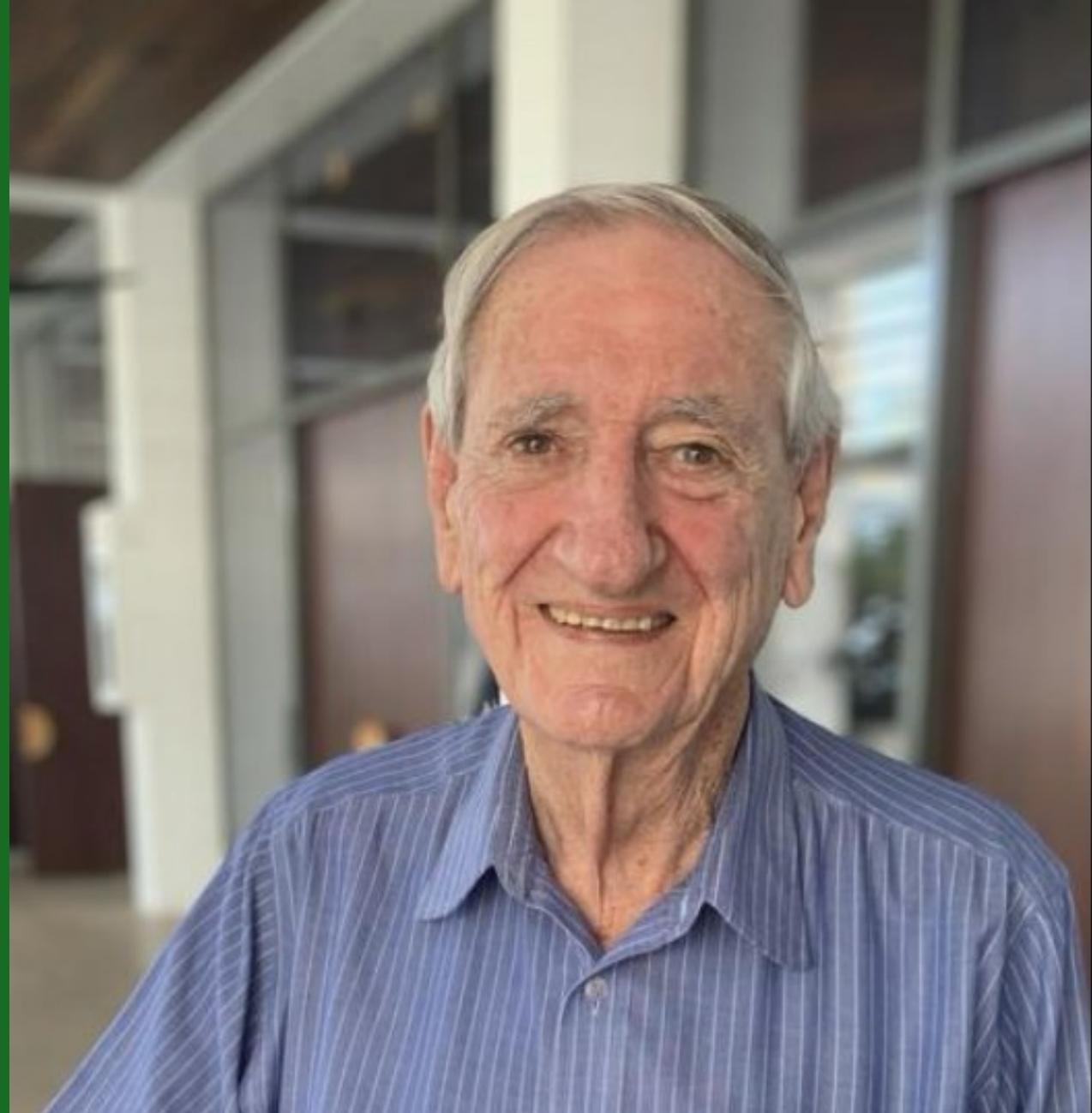


Graham Jackson OAM

Rest In Peace



May 23rd
2024



Andre Bryde & Anna Rodriguez

CONGRATULATIONS

ON YOUR

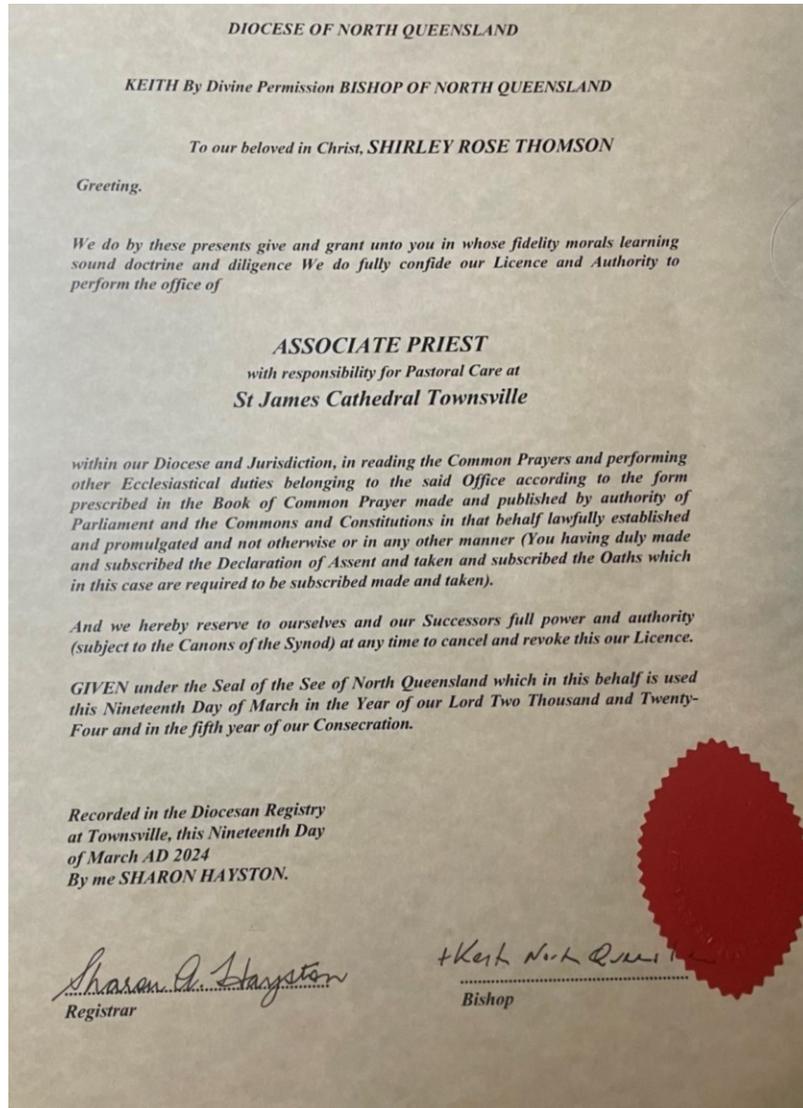
Wedding Day

at St James' Cathedral on May 5th



The Cathedral School Chamber Ensembles

An afternoon matinée by talented youth musicians
in small ensembles performing a variety of works.



Rev Shirley's Prayer Space is available to anyone who would like a private prayer after the Eucharist



Anne's daughter, Linda

Family, friends, clergy and office staff from the Registry meet together on Tuesday morning to dedicate the Diocesan Archives in memory of Angelanne Watkins.

Anne was the Diocesan Archivist for fifteen years and oversaw the relocation of the Archives from their place on the third floor, to the rear section of Registry Office on the first floor.

In his opening remarks, Bishop Keith spoke of Anne's love and the love for Anne of the people who had come together to be part of the ceremony, recalling St Paul's, final words from the 13th chapter of the first letter to the Corinthians: "And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

We give thanks for Anne's love and her commitment to this Diocese over many years.



Bishop Keith unveils the plaque





Cathedral Maintenance

Roof damage from Cyclone Kirrily has been fixed

“Slim Jim” got a hair cut too

Foundation Stone

HRH Princess Alexandra of Kent visited the Cathedral during construction of the extension and presented a Cross of Nails to be set into the stone.

August 29th 1959

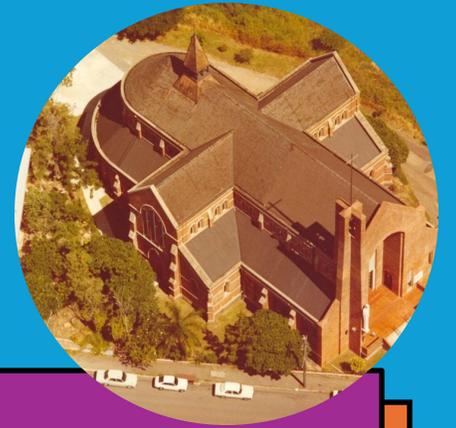
The Cross is made of medieval nails collected from the bombed ruins of St Michael's Cathedral in Coventry. Similar crosses have been sent to a number of churches throughout the world, especially when rebuilding after the war.



The Kennedys have recently visited Coventry Cathedral and met with the Chair of the Friends of the Coventry Cathedral. He was very interested in hearing our story. No one knows the whereabouts of the original Foundation Stone. There does not even seem to be a photo.

Thank you to Lee Whitrow for recently helping to preserve the Cross of Nails by preventing further rusting

Friends of St James' Cathedral News



Planning is underway for the annual Art and Craft Exhibition with lots of new and exciting things to be held throughout the ten days.

History Talks are to be planned for later in year

Social Activities coming up

**Curry dinner at Masala Cannon Park \$35,
Tuesday 25th June**

**Morning Tea at Hervey Range Tea House
Monday 26th August**

A promotional poster for the Art and Craft Exhibition 2024. The poster features a black and white line drawing of the cathedral's dome and spire. To the right of the drawing is a stylized profile of a person's head filled with snowflakes. A red 'SAVE THE DATE' sticker is placed in the upper right corner. The text on the poster reads: 'The Friends of St James' Cathedral', 'Art and Craft Exhibition 2024', 'Opening Night August 7th', and 'Exhibition 8th - 18th'.

The Friends of St James' Cathedral

Art and Craft Exhibition 2024

Opening Night August 7th
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Friends of St James Cathedral - St. James' Anglican Cathedral Townsville

Next Meeting is 9am June 8th

News from the Mission to Seafarers



The Rotary Club of Port of Townsville recently donated a new trailer to the Mission. This will be used to transport crew luggage to the airport and carry goods to be sold to the cruise ship passengers to the terminal



June



We support the Althea Project as we send people who arrive at the Cathedral to their Homeless Service

MOREHEAD MEALS

This is a multi-levelled social enterprise connecting our community through affordable, ethical, health and delicious pre-made fresh meals.

ANGEL IDENTITY

Angel Identity provides assistance to families, children or young people who have special needs.

EMERGENCY RELIEF

For families with children in their care who may be experiencing a financial hardship.

FIRST STEPS

The first mother and new born baby assessment and support service in North Queensland

HOMELESSNESS SERVICE

Delivering case management to people who are chronically homeless

PLAYGROUP

A meeting place for caregivers & children to meet new friends and have fun

FOSTER & KINSHIP PROGRAM

Supporting children who have experienced neglect, emotional, physical or sexual abuse

ALTHEA'S COMMUNITY HUB

Assisting homeless people with access to meals, showers & laundry facilities

WEE CARE

Providing respite and emergency accommodation for children aged 0-11 years

Mission of the Month

Connect • Volunteer • Give
to educate, prepare, & empower



If you would rather donate goods than money, they are always in need of tea, coffee, sugar and breakfast cereal or use your Supermarket points for household goods to help others set up their home.

Have you ever explored our own website?

Welcome to - St. James' Anglican Cathedral Townsville
(stjamescathedral.com.au)

There is an abundance of information there.

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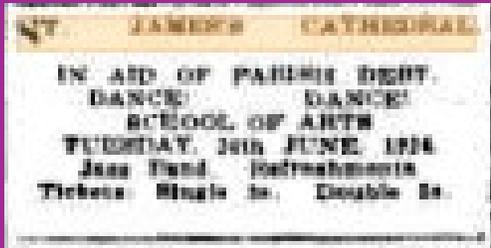
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IN AID OF PARISH DEBT.

DANCE! DANCE!

SCHOOL OF ARTS

TUESDAY, 24th JUNE, 1924

Jazz Band. Refreshments.

Tickets: Single 1 s. Double 2 s.



THE NORTH QUEENSLAND OPENING OF SYNOD.

The twenty-eighth Synod of the Diocese of North Queensland opened in the Synod Hall at Townsville on Thursday afternoon. In the absence of the Bishop of North Queensland, through illness, Ven. Archdeacon Thomas presided and read the inaugural address. There was a large attendance of the clergy from different parts, of the diocese and a fair attendance of lay representatives.”

A letter was read from Bishop Feetham who was recovering from an operation in St Martin’s Hospital in Brisbane

.....Cathedral Rood: The erection of the rood in which the Bishop took a great interest has been accomplished, and doubtless we are agreed that it is the most beautiful piece of work we have in North Queensland. We still need contributions from relatives and friends of deceased soldiers.

- Townsville Daily Bulletin (Qld. : 1907 - 1954)
- Fri 11 Jul 1924
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Some say,
“Once everything falls into
place you will find peace.”

BUT.....

“Once you find peace
everything falls into place”

