

Welcome to the Townsville (CBD) Ministry Unit



**February
Parish News
2025**

Our Ministry Unit

Dean:

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and Venerable
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Thanksgiving

DIRECT DEBIT

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

ANONYMOUS DONATION (ANFIN)

A full brochure & information can be found at

ANFIN — Anglican Church Southern Queensland
(anglicanchurchsq.org.au)



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

Services

Sundays:

**7.15 am St Marks, Belgian Gardens
9 am St James' Cathedral**

Monday- Friday:

8.30 am Morning Prayer

Wednesday:

Eucharists 12 noon & 5.30pm

Saturday:

5 pm St Margarets, Magnetic Island

St James' Cathedral is open

**Most weekdays 8am-noon
(except in Jan)**



what's happening

in

February

February, 2025

The Townsville Ministry Unit

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 DAVID 8.30 Morning Prayer 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl
2 PRESENTATION OF CHRIST 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James 4.00 MUC Meeting 6.00 Evensong	3 1ST ANG SERVICE IN AUST 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke	4 ANSKAR 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	5 MARTYRS OF JAPAN 7.00 Bible Study 8.00 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 MUC Charters Towers 7.00 Franciscans Eucharist	7 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 2.00 Anglicare Meeting	8 8.30 Morning Prayer 9.00 Friends AGM 10.00 Baptism at St James 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl
9 5TH SUN AFT EPIPHANY 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James (Fr Kenneth in Charters Towers)	10 8.30 Morning Prayer 1.00 Anglicare - Cairns 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke	11 8.30 Morning Prayer 9.30 Post Ordination Training Cairns	12 7.00 Bible Study 8.00 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James 5.30 Eucharist at St James	13 8.30 Morning Prayer 9.00 Eucharist at Ayr 10.30 MUC Meeting Ayr 2.00 Senior Leadership Team Meeting	14 CYRIL AND METHODIUS 8.30 Morning Prayer/ 9.00 Diocesan Council Mtg	15 8.30 Morning Prayer 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl
16 6TH SUN AFT EPIPHANY 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James (Fr Kenneth in Mount Isa)	17 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke	18 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	19 7.00 Bible Study 8.00 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James 5.30 Eucharist at St James	20 WILLIAM BROUGHTON 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	21 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	22 8.30 Morning Prayer 5.00 Service at Magnetic Isl
23 7TH SUN AFT EPIPHANY 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James (Fr Kenneth in Ingham)	24 MATTHIAS 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.00 Anglicare Board - Cairns 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke	25 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	26 7.00 Bible Study 8.00 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James	27 GEORGE HERBERT 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 9.00 MUC Meeting, Ingham 12.00 Eucharist, Ingham	28 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	

6pm February 2nd

EVENSONG



February 2nd Presentation of our Lord at the Temple

Our window was dedicated to Canon Milton McGregor, a member of the Brotherhood of St Barnabas.

He was the founding warden of St Mark's Residential College at JCU.

Blessed and Dedicated

November 1994

February 3rd

First Anglican Service at Sydney Cove 1788

- The First Fleet reached the country of the Gadigal people of the Eora Nation, on Saturday 26 January 1788. It was not possible to hold a service the following day, which was a Sunday.
- On the following Sunday, the Governor Arthur Phillip, with about 1500 people, including civil servants, soldiers, marines and convicts, assembled on a ridge above what is now known as Sydney Cove for Divine Service. The service was conducted by the Chaplain, The Rev'd Richard Johnson, with the scripture text for the sermon- Psalm 116: 11-12: "How shall I repay the Lord for all his benefits to me? I will take up the cup of salvation and call upon the name of the Lord." We do not know what Johnson said, but following the conventions of the late eighteenth century, he probably spoke for about forty-five minutes



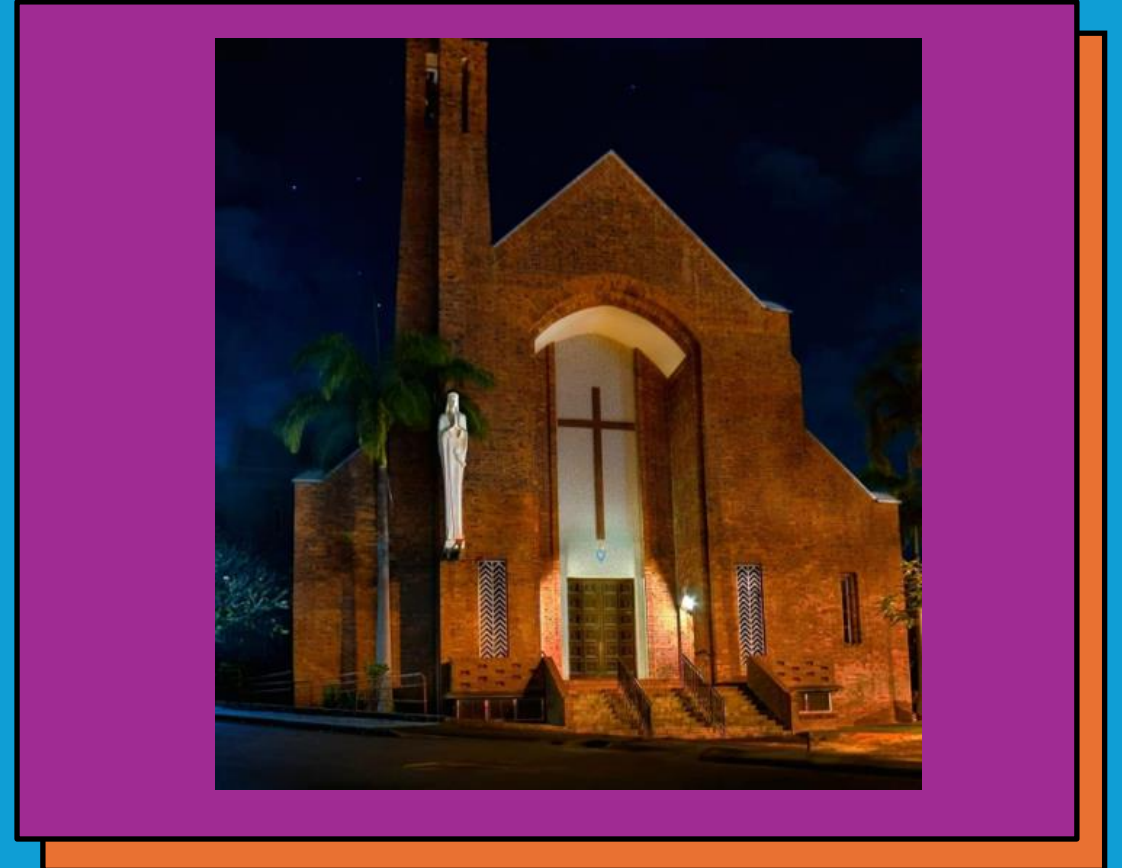
BIBLE STUDY

7am & 11am Wednesdays



9am February 8th

Friends of St James Cathedral



<https://www.stjamescathedral.com.au/friends-of-the-cathedral/>



March 30th after
9am Service



March
2

2024 Electoral Roll displayed. Alterations/Addition/Deletions to be notified. Nomination forms available: Wardens (1 or 2), Ministry Unit Councillors (2, 4 or 6)

March
9

2025 Electoral Roll displayed

March
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Last date for Nominations and Notice of Motions
(THURSDAY)

March
16

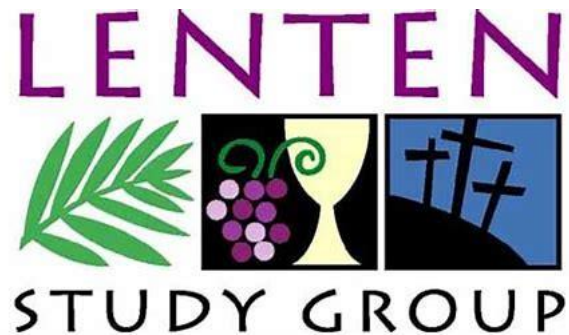
Agenda and list of nominations available
Last date for Reports (THURSDAY 20th)

March
23

Copies of Financial Statements Available
Notice of AGM to be “read” at both services.

March 5th

HOPE25



HOPE25

The Study takes the form of a daily reading passage and reflection as well as a weekly study.

The Lenten study can be done alone, though it would be better to come to one of the Wednesday Study groups (7am and 11am) to share your insights and questions. A number of study books have already arrived. Please add your name to the booklist at the back of the churches asap so extras can be ordered if we need more

You are invited to join the
Friends of St James Cathedral

Visit to the Mission to Seafarers

March 8th at 9am



COMING UP

[Further information for artists](#)

Friends of St James Cathedral Art & Craft Exhibition

Opening 6th Aug
10am - 2pm until 17th



BAPTISM

We welcome

Aron Kyle Ratnayake



Renewal of Baptism Vows

(Search the Cathedral for the mark on the floor where the original font was located)





The Cathedral School Chamber Ensembles

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

Saturday 4th May • 4:00pm
ST. JAMES' CATHEDRAL
 Denham St. The City

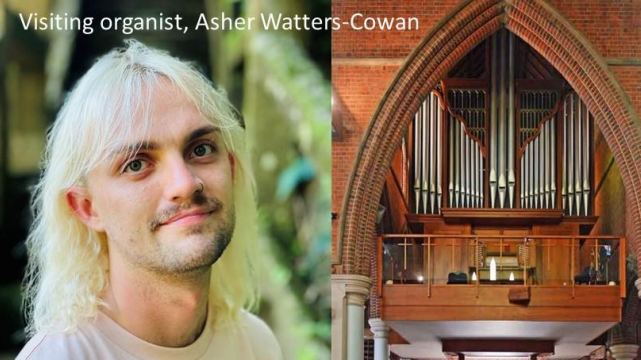


TGS

GRAMMAR SINGS CONCERT
 ST JAMES CATHEDRAL
 SATURDAY, 24 AUGUST 2024 AT 3:00PM

MAKE IT *your own*

Visiting organist, Asher Watters-Cowan



St James Cathedral Organ Concert
 4pm June 29th

Concert works by Buxtehude, Bach and Durufle

All donations will go to

NORTH QUEENSLAND RECORDER SOCIETY
 NQRS.ORG.AU

THE RECORDER

A musical adventure in time

Saturday 12 October 2024
 4:00PM

St. James' Cathedral
 Denham Street, The City

A Concert in the Cathedral
 "Bringing music to the community"

Some of the 2024 St James Cathedral concerts. Concerts begin in March



TOWNSVILLE CONCERT BAND
 CONDUCTED BY MIKE NOYCE

MARCH 02, 2024 | 4:00PM
 ST. JAMES' CATHEDRAL
 DENHAM ST., THE CITY

CONCERT BAND COLOURS



St James' Cathedral

Concert Series

Lettuce Dance Band
 4 pm May 25th



THURINGOWA BRASS BAND

MUSIC FROM STAGE and SCREEN

An afternoon of magical Music and Movie moments

September 28, 2024
 4:00 pm

ST. JAMES' CATHEDRAL
 Denham Street, The City

4pm Saturday August 17th
 St James' Cathedral

Concert Series

Delta Court Ensemble present Classic & Contemporary
 conducted by Caroline Lloyd-Doolan



The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba
 Morning and the Hall of the Mountain King
 Salute to Kreutzer
 Brandenburg Concerto No. 4
 The William Tell Overture
 Palladio
 Secret Agent Man
 Game of Thrones
 Sound of Silence
 Pirates of the Caribbean

TOWNSVILLE GUITAR ORCHESTRA
 PRESENTS

I HEARD IT AT THE MOVIES

4:00PM • SATURDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2024

ST JAMES' CATHEDRAL
 Denham Street, The City

JOIN US FOR AN UNFORGETTABLE AFTERNOON OF ICONIC WORKS FROM THE SILVER SCREEN STUNNING CLASSICAL GUITAR HARMONIES UNDER THE DIRECTION OF CHLOE RIORDAN

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA TOUR 2024

MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL




7.30pm
Tuesday 10 December
 St James Cathedral, Townsville

Includes orchestral favourites by Berlioz, Bizet and Mozart.
 Tickets are available at the door, or via music.education.vic.gov.au
 All proceeds from the performance will be donated to charity.

DELTA COURT ENSEMBLE
 presents

Melodic Mosaic
 A rich tapestry of works from around the world



PROGRAM
 Themes from the Moldeu
 Tarantella
 A Time for Us
 Danse Macabre
 My Funny Valentine
 O Mio Babbino Caro
 (Soloist Caroline Lloyd-Doolan)
 The Lovers' Waltz
 Sparks!
 Haydn Symphony No 104

Sit back and enjoy a whirlwind tour of different cultures without the hefty price tag!


Join us on our virtual journey through the medium of music under the baton of our conductor, Caroline Lloyd-Doolan.

Saturday 20th April at 4pm in St James Cathedral

Free concert. Donations go to the cathedral. Everybody welcome - be there or be square!

Townsville Concert Band presents

People & Places



Where: Saint James' Cathedral
When: Friday 14 June
Time: 7:30pm - 9pm

SUPPORTED BY

Townsville

North Queensland Ensembles Inc.
 Presents

An Evening of Chamber Music
 With

Theodore Kuchar
 International Conductor and Violist

With internationally distinguished violinists
 Ladislau Horvath and Oksana Hretchyn

St James Cathedral
Tuesday July 23rd 6pm

MOZART String Quartet No. 7 in E flat major, K. 160
GRIEG Violin Sonata No. 3 in C minor, Op. 45
DVORAK Terzetto for Two Violins and Viola, Op. 74
BEETHOVEN String Quartet in F major No. 1, Op. 18

Entry Free

Donation to the Barrier Reef Orchestra welcomed.

Saibai's Holy Trinity Church unites community and culture against rising tide



[Recent ABC Video](#)



Bishop Keith's visit for Epiphany

February Mission

Chappies

Central SS, West SS, South SS

School Chaplaincy is a program that provides **pastoral and practical support** to students. More than 3000 schools across Australia choose to engage a school chaplain as a part of their student wellbeing team.

School chaplains are qualified youth workers who support young people in the schoolyard. They are positive role models who deliver compassionate pastoral and practical support to school communities. They promote social, emotional and spiritual wellbeing through role modelling, mentoring, pastoral care, structured activities and programs leading to social, emotional and spiritual support, wellbeing outcomes, and educational outcomes.

Chaplains are trained to a nationally recognised standard in how to recognise mental health issues, and how to ensure students with such issues connect with other care professionals, including psychologists. They have completed training to manage cyber-bullying, provided by the e-Safety Commission.

Chaplains are qualified to support students' religious and spiritual needs in a culturally sensitive and appropriate way.

For more information on School chaplaincy – SU Australia in QLD (suqld.org.au)



MISSION
OF THE MONTH

therefore **GO** and make disciples of **ALL** nations

Donations can be made through the envelopes or direct debit, marked with the name of Mission

BSB 034 222 Account Number 250713 250713

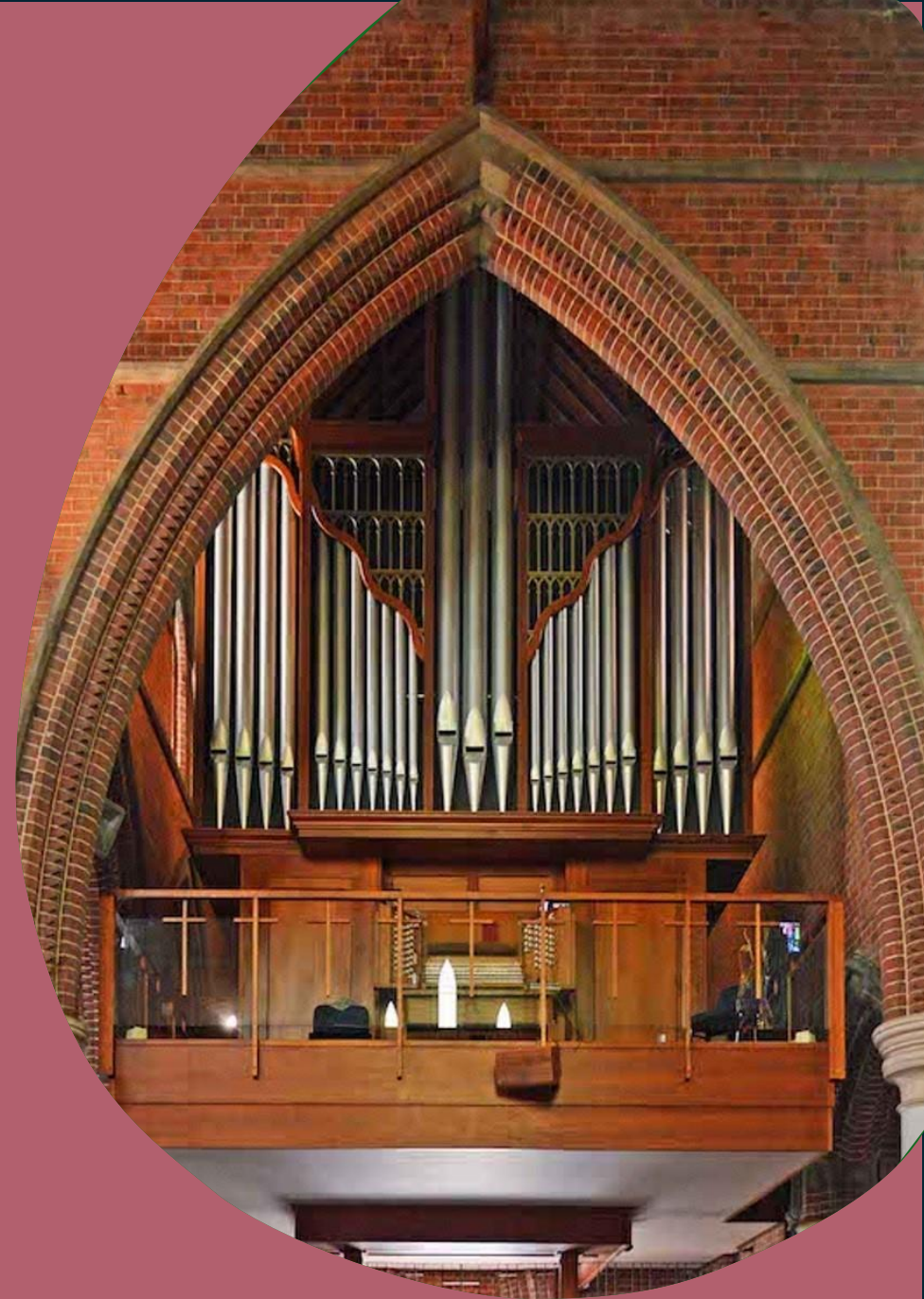
St James' Organ Refurbishment Project

Thanks to the generous support of our congregation, \$27,715 has been raised for the refurbishment of the organ.

With the support of the *Friends of St James Cathedral*, we have been able to go ahead with the refurbishment project and order the parts.

If you would still like to donate to this worth-while cause and on-going maintenance, donations can be made by direct debit/bank transfer to: -

Westpac Bank St James Cathedral Discretionary Account
BSB 034 222
Account Number 264322



2025 Roster...
Holes still to fill

Sunday Roster - St James Cathedral, Townsville					
	1st Sunday	2nd Sunday	3rd Sunday	4th Sunday	5th Sunday
Welcomers					
1st Reading & Psalm	Phil	Trish & Lee			
2nd Reading	Jenny Stirling	Nancy			
Gospel	Marion	Peter Biral	David Porter	Ken Bailey	
Intercessions	Phil			Phil	
Server					
Chalice Assistant	Reagan	Reagan			
Standby	Leigh	Owen	Frances Matthey	Alan Chelton	
Morning Tea		Phil	Bernice		Frances Matthey
Cleaning				Abraham	
Counting		Marie Wendy	Liz Robinson Liz Gifford		
			Wendy + Lawrence		

Thanks for the stamps for ABM



Here's to another
year of change.

Let's take a look
at your impact for

2024



Scheme ID

C10657575

Get your laminated
QR Code

You've been hard at
work this year! Stopping

3,804

containers from ending
up in landfill. Good on you!

That puts you in
the top 17.1% of
returners in the
Townsville region!



CFC Wrapped 2024

This year I recycled

3,804

containers!

I was a



GLASS GUARDIAN!

Glass was my top material.

I helped Townsville recycle
114,079,642 containers, which is enough
to fill 34 Olympic swimming pools!

Check out your 2024 wrapped in the
Containers for Change app

