

Welcome to the Townsville (CBD) Ministry Unit







March Parish News 2025

Our Ministry Unit

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DIRECT DEBIT

Church Wardens of St James Cathedral General Account

- BSB 034 222
- Acc 250713

Thanksgiving

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)





March

March, 2025 The Townsville Ministry Unit

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30 4TH SUNDAY IN LENT 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James 10.30 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING	32 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke					1 DAVID 7.30 Men's Breakfast
						5.00 Service on Magnetic Island
2 LAST SUN AFT EPIPHANY 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James	3 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	4 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	5 ASH WEDNESDAY 8.00 Eucharist with Ashes 12.00 Eucharist with Ashes	6 8.30 Morning Prayer 12.00 Eucharist at Charters T	7 PERPETUA AND COMPANIONS 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	8 JOHN OF GOD 8.30 Morning Prayer 9.00 Friends Meeting at MTS 10.00 Baptism at St James
4.00 MUC Meeting 6.00 Evensong	1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke		5.00 Service on Magnetic Island 5.30 Eucharist with Ashes	3.00 MUC Charters Towers 7.00 Franciscans Eucharist	6.30 Wedding Rehearsal	3.30 Wedding at St James 5.00 Service on Magnetic Island
9 1sts SUNDAY IN LENT 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James	10 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	11 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	7.00 Bible Study 8.00 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James	8.30 Morning Prayer 9.00 Eucharist at Ayr 10.30 MUC Meeting Ayr	14 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	15 8.30 Morning Prayer 9.00 Baptism at St James
			4.00 Phil's Talk 5.30 Eucharist at St James	4.00 MUC Bowen		5.00 Service on Magnetic Island
16 2ND SUNDAY IN LENT 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James 11.00 Baptism at St James 11.30 Baptism at St James	17 PATRICK 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke	18 CYRIL OF JERUSALEM 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	19 St Joseph 7.00 Bible Study 8.00 Morning Prayer 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James	20 CUTHBERT OF LINDISFARNE 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist 9.00 MUC Meeting Ingham 11.00 Eucharist at Ingham	21 THOMAS CRANMER 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	22 THOMAS KEN 8.30 Morning Prayer
			4.00 Phil's Talk 5.30 Eucharist at St James			4.00 Concert St James 5.00 Service on Magnetic Island
23 3RD SUNDAY IN LENT 7.15 Eucharist at St Mark's 9.00 Eucharist at St James	24 OSCAR ROMERO 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist all day Clergy Conference Cairns 1.30 Eucharist at Bolton Clarke	25 ANNUNCIATION 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist all day Clergy Conference Cairns	26 7.00 Bible Study 8.00 Morning Prayer all day Clergy Conference Cairns 11.00 Bible Study 12.00 Eucharist at St James	27 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist all day Clergy Conference Cairns	28 8.30 Morning Prayer/Eucharist	29 JOHN KEBLE 8.30 Morning Prayer
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7am March 1st Cathedral Garden



Return your containers and use QR Code for your St James donation





Clean up Australia Day 2nd March 2025

4 pm March 2nd





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 30th after 9am Service

March 9

2025 Electoral Roll displayed

March 13

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 - April 19th





World Day of Prayer Committee 2025 invites you to pray for the people of the Cook Islands

World Day of Prayer 7 March 2025

"I made you wonderful." Psalm 139:14



When: Friday, 7 March 2025

Where: St. James' Retirement Village Address: 260 Fuliam Road, Heatley, Townsville

Time: 9:30am

Morning Service

When: Friday, 7 March 2025

Where: St. Matthew's Anglican Church Address: 6 Carmody Street, Hermit Park

Time: 10:00am Evening Service

When: Friday, 7 March 2025 Where: Sacred Heart Cathedral Address: 270 Stanley Street, Townsville

Time: 7:00pm

RSVP Morning Service by 28 February

2025:

Jean on 0408731535 or jean.d.paterson@gmail.com

RSVP Evening Service by 28 February 2025:

Jackie on 0406601441 or jcrocker@tsv.catholic.org.au

Find us on Facebook: World Day of Prayer Townsville Branch







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Nicholas Brito & Kate Morrison



at St James' Cathedral on March 8th

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE FRIENDS OF ST JAMES CATHEDRAL

VISIT TO THE MISSION TO SEAFARERS MARCH 8TH AT 9AM



Excerpts from

Mission to Seafarers Townsville
SUMMER EDITION
NEWSLETTER: FEB 2025



Special thanks to HEATLEY ANGLICAN CHURCH, MT ISA MINES, GLENCORE PORT OPERATIONS, ST PAULS CHÁRTERS TOWERS, ST JAMES CATHEDRAL and TOWNSVILLE SHIPPING AGENCIES for their wonderful support.

These gifts have been a part of providing God's hospitality to seafarers for over 20 years. It is always a great pleasure to receive some feedback from the crews that receive their gifts in preparation for Christmas, so it was a delight to receive this photo of a very happy group, after volunteer Chris took the bags of gifts to the vessel Eidsvaag Omega, a regular visitor to our Port.

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March 12th







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.



- 1. Phoebe, a messenger of God (from Paul's letter to the Romans) (March 12th)
- 2. Ethics I: Secular approaches and their problems (March 19th)
- 3. Ethics II: The Christian solution (March 26th)
- 4. The Holy Spirit in action: Alexis Soyer, celebrity chef of the Victorian age (April 2^{nd})

March 17th

Jennie Roberts





March 23rd Lady Day

The Annunciation when the Angel Gabriel speaks to Mary

Lady Day is a special Day for Anglican Mothers' Union Australia.





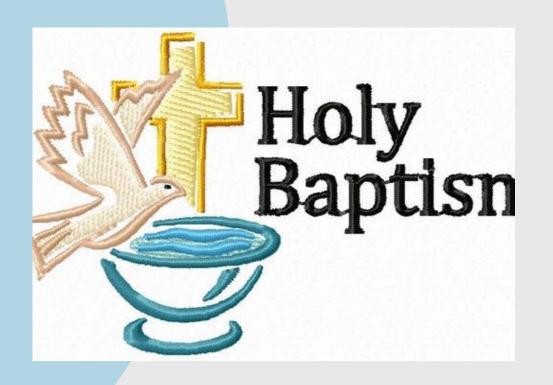
March 29th

Ray Bailey



MARCH 30TH AFTER 9AM SERVICE





We welcome

Denyce Renee Fisher

into God's Family



Charles Edward Finch "Chas"

CHARLES EDWARD FINCH

Late of Arcadia, Magnetic Island. Called home by God on Sunday 2nd February, 2025. Loving Husband of Rev'd Beryl Finch (deceased). Loved Father, Father-in-Law and Puppa of Jeanette and Ralph and their respective Families.

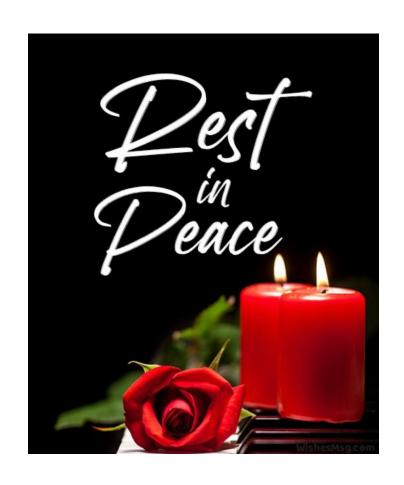
~ REST IN PEACE ~

As per Chas's wishes a Private Family Service will be held.



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SINCE 1961 - GENERATIONS OF CARE



Jean Scott



Report from December





What a Splash!

Stable might have been a little soggier than usual, but that didn't stop the incredible people of Townsville from coming out to celebrate! Our mission has always been to share the Christmas story as a united front, strengthen families, and bring the gift of joy to our community. While we may have gone home a little wet, nothing could dampen the Christmas spirit!

A heartfelt **thank you** to everyone who supported Stable throughout the year—whether through fundraisers, donations, or sponsorships. Your generosity is a testament to how much this city values and believes in the significance of this event.

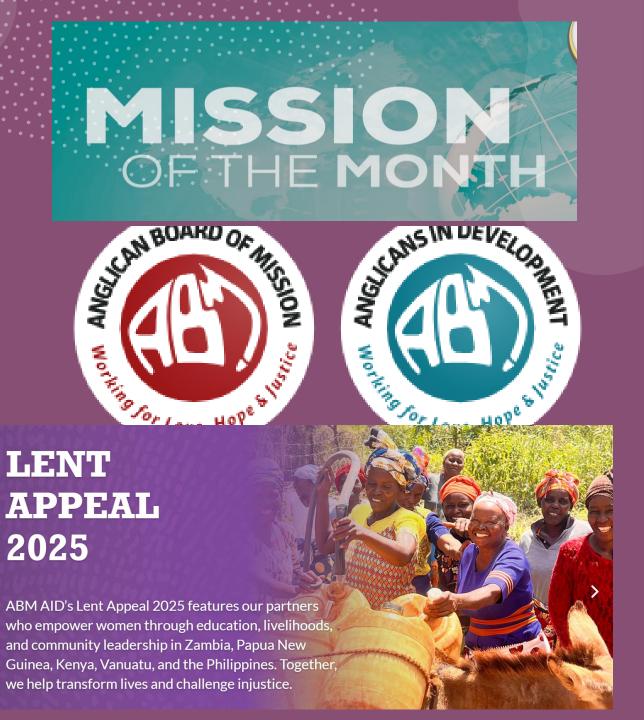
And to our amazing **volunteers**—we simply couldn't do it without you! Your time, energy, and dedication bring Stable to life, spreading joy while experiencing the magic yourself. We are so grateful for each and every one of you!

Here's to another incredible year of Stable-rain and all!

More information about the work of ABM can be found at <u>Project Book</u>

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

BSB 034 222 Account Number 250713





Sunday July 27th

https://www.afcm.com.au/afcm-festival/2025-program/afcm-2025-program-





.....to all those who pumped, gardened, mopped, swept, dusted, wiped, vacuumed, and mowed after the flood.



Sunday Roster - St James Cathedral, Townsville

	1st Sunday	2nd Sunday	3rd Sunday	4th Sunday	5th Sunday
Welcomers	Dee Anaka	Trish and Lee Whitrow	. 7	Wendy and Eddie Bates	
1st Reading & Psalm	Jenny Stirling	Wendy Bates	David Porter	Ray Bailey	
2nd Reading	Marion Reid	Peter Bird	Robyn Gould	Phil Cole	Sara Keone
Gospel	Phil Cole	Griffin O'Keefe	Raiden O'Keefe	Jenisha Abraham	Renisha Abraham
Intercessions	Lyn Pemberton		Kloudya Pollard	Helen Macintosh	
Server	Robyn Gould	Robyn Gould	Frances Maltby	Glen Chilton	Frances Maltby
Chalice Assistant	Leigh Kennedy	Owen Stanley	Bernice Goon-Chew	Abraham Sargunasingh	
Morning Tea	Helen Macintosh		Liz Robinson Liz Gallard	Wendy Bates Lorraine Kennedy	
Cleaning					



Link to the tweet

Should RELIGION enter POLITICS? Should POLITICS enter RELIGION?