



## Batemans Bay Anglican Church of the Ascension



24 May 2026  
**DAY OF PENTECOST**

**Wear Red today if possible**



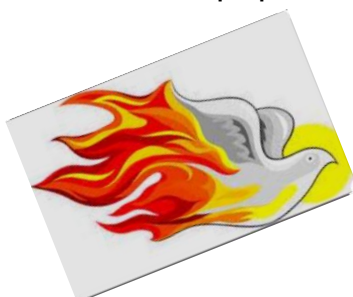
### **Prayer of the week:**

O God, the King of glory you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven; we pray you, leave us not comfortless but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to the same place where our Saviour Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, on God, for ever and ever.

**Amen**

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**The Song: Shine Jesus Shine**, (we are singing this Sunday) was composed in 1987 by Graham Kendrick, a Charles Wesley of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. He ‘road-tested’ it in his church, but the congregation was not enthusiastic about it. He felt that it lacked the message he was seeking; the desire for revival of the love of Jesus and the excitement for disciples to embrace the Holy Spirit. “...flow spirit flow, set our hearts on fire’. So he took it home and put it in his bottom drawer. Sometime later he revisited his script and within 30 minutes he was inspired to compose the chorus, words and music, just as it is sung today. By 2005 the song ‘Shine Jesus Shine’ was voted most popular contemporary worship song in the UK.





## Enjoy these weekly readings:

**Monday:** Ps 62, 1 Ch 10:1-11:9, 1 Cor 14:26-40

**Tuesday:** Ps 65, 1 Ch 13:1-14:2, 1 Cor 15:1-11

**Wednesday:** : Ps 68:1-20, 1 Ch 14:8-15:3 & 15:25-29

**Thursday:** Ps 71, 1 Ch 16:7-36, 1 Cor 15:35-50

**Friday:** Ps 69:1-16, 1 Ch 17, 1 Cor 15:51-58

**Saturday:** : Ps 72, 1 Ch 19.1-20:3, Acts 3:17-4:4

## PASTORAL CARE & PRAYER:

For support ring Elizabeth Dean 44724330.

**Please take time to read our prayer list and ask God for one or two people on it to pray for, not necessarily people you know:**

Phillipa S; Veronica N; Dora C; Harry L; Wendy and Chris B; Jay S;Helen P; Marina V-B; Iain R; Robin H and Rodney H; Susan D;Rebecca C; Judy S; Tommy K; Lisa B; Ruby B; Jane W; Susan B;John W; Katrina N; Amanda L; Matais H; Natasha; Harold; Keith S;Bec, Michael, and Adam; Erica; Bob D; Richard D; Vicki H; James Y; Tyrone; Brian F; Frankie; Sue; and Wayne C; Jess O. Trish, Lesley A.



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## What's happening each WEEK in the church hall:

**ART FELLOWSHIP GROUP:** Thursdays 12.30 to 2.30 Call Chris 0438 424886

**KYB for ladies:** Mondays 10am in the hall, call Lesley 44727058

**KYB for Men:** Mondays 7pm call Dennis 0410 915409

**HOPE FELLOWSHIP:** Wednesdays 6.30pm, call Dennis 0410 0915409

## MONTHLY:

**1<sup>ST</sup> Monday,** social m/tea at Catalina Country Club 10am

**2<sup>nd</sup> Friday, PRIME TIME** 10am in the hall, all welcome

## UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS:

**Combined Church Service:** 31 May, 6pm at Anglican Church followed by supper.

**Save the Date:** Saturday June 20<sup>st</sup>, Car boot and kerbside sale & fundraiser.

## FUN CORNER:

What is east to lift but never to throw?.....a feather

What has four wheels and flies?.....a garbage truck

What has many holes but holds water? .....a sponge

What has keys but no locks?..... a keyboard



### **SOME PARISH NEWS ITEMS:**

1. One of our parishioners' granddaughters who is training to be a veterinarian was recently sent to a regional Zoo to do a vasectomy on a monkey.
2. The Hughes celebrated their daughter's birthday in Canberra by viewing the new ANZAC exhibition at the War Memorial and having dinner with the family.
3. The Burt's Daughter-in-law and Granddaughter are being baptised this week. Dennis will be attending.

**Please let us know if you have some item you'd like to share at**  
[officeanglicanbbay@gmail.com](mailto:officeanglicanbbay@gmail.com)

### **Readings this week:**

Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35  
1 Peter 5  
John 17:1-11

### **Prayer during communion on Sunday mornings:**

While communion is taking place on Sundays two of the prayer team will wait in the side chapel to pray with you if you'd like prayer



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## **Regular Services :**

### **BATEMANS BAY**

**Weekly** 10.00am Sunday Service Holy Communion  
6.30pm Sunday Worship and prayer  
10.00am Thursday Service Holy Communion

### **NELLIGEN**

**Monthly** 8am: 2nd Sunday

**The Church Office is open Monday to Friday 10-12**

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