



Longbeach  
Anglican Church

4 September 2022

Our mission is to:

*Shine with the love of Jesus, grow mature disciples and declare the Good News.*

# PRAYER FOR ALL FATHERS

Dear Lord, bless every father and every grandfather with the best of your spiritual blessings today.

Let him know he is not alone in the tasks you have given him to provide for and support those under his care.

Please show him how much you delight in his work, and confirm his worth so he has no reason to doubt that he is loved in the eyes of his Heavenly Father.

*Amen*

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## **Updated Covid information**

If you have any symptoms of Covid or a cold or the flu or have recently tested positive to Covid, PLEASE do not enter any of our buildings.

**If you are living with someone with Covid (and you don't have any symptoms) you are welcome to attend church or small groups but must wear a mask.**

**The latest recommendation is that masks are worn inside.**

## **Chelsea Concert Band Trivia Afternoon**

### **Longbeach Parish Fundraising Event**

**At St Chad's on Sunday 16 October from 1:30-3:00pm**

Join us for our annual Chelsea Band Concert for a great afternoon of music, followed by a fabulous afternoon tea. The ticket price includes the performance, afternoon tea and door prize entry.

**Early Bird ticket price \$15 (\$20 after September 31)**

**or concession \$12 (\$17 after September 31).**

**SAVE THE DATE—TICKETS ON SALE NEXT WEEK**

## **Two services a month at St Aidan's**

Beginning in September services will be held at St Aidan's at 11am on the second and fourth Sunday of the month.

## **A Message from David and Prue Boyd...**

We've decided it's time for us to say "farewell" to Congo. We will wrap up our work here and leave in early October. It is very hard – the end of many years when we have sought to be God's people here, failing many times, but we have felt God's hand on our lives and established dear and deep relationships with many. The stress of departure is already building with people coming to persuade us to stay or to say goodbye but also to ask for financial help since this is their last opportunity. Please pray we will show grace and kindness when under pressure.

## **Chris and Nigel holidaying in Queensland...**

...please pray for them to have a relaxing and joyous time with family and that they return refreshed.

## **Hearing Australia at Matt's Place**

We had a great day with Jo from Hearing Australia. Many of our guests had their hearing checked and a number were referred to an audiologist.

## Prayer Retreat – **DATE CHANGED**—Saturday 24 September

We invite you to come and spend some time with God. Rev Joy Sanderfur will be leading our time together. The day will run from 10am to 3pm & will include guided devotion, prayer time, singing, opening God's word & communion. Please let Sue know if you are coming or write your name on the list on the notice board. Lunch will be provided & donations towards the cost of lunch will be gratefully received.

## New compliance

**ANYONE** involved in **ANY** ministry/program in the church is required by the government and the diocese to undertake training. This can be done:

- Online at <https://www.openlearning.com/courses/adom-safe-ministry-essentials/homepage/?cl=1>

At the completion of the course on line, they ask if you would like a certificate. You need to download the certificate and **email it to the office**.

## Many many thanks ...

...to all those involved in the Level 1 Compliance Training that took place last Sunday. To Kate, Lissy and Ray for cooking and helping in the kitchen and especially to Zilpha for the enormous amount of behind the scenes work she did to make the day happen. Much credit also to our vicar Sue for stepping in at the last moment and leading the training after the booked trainer could not come. Thank you again.

## Playgroup Schedule

8 September—Yellow week

15 September—Footy Day

Wear your team colours



**Bring your kids. Bring your grandkids. Invite a friend.**

## Next Church Market

**17 September 9am – 12.30 pm**

Don't forget to drop your donations into the shed and please remember that **home baked goodies** are a great seller (they must be labelled with ingredients, the date made and the name of the maker).

Plants will be back so feel free to bring all you have potted up!

**Happy Birthday... Dane!**

## Services in the church

10am at St Chad's every Sunday  
8am at St Chad's 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month  
11am at St Aidan's 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month

## This week in the church

Mon	9:30am	Pastoral Care Meeting
Tues	11:15am	Matt's Place at St Chad's
Tues	11:15am	Lunch Church & Bible Study
Wed	9:30am—1:30pm	Pantry 5000 at St Aidan's
Wed	1:00pm	Church Prayer Meeting
Thurs	10:00am	Playgroup at St Chad's—wear yellow
Fri	10:00am	Patchwork & Craft Group (16 & 30 September)

## Soon in the church

24 Sept 10am Prayer Retreat—**Note change of date**  
27/28/29 September School Holiday Program  
2 Oct Newcomer's lunch  
16 Oct Chelsea Band Trivia Afternoon  
5 Nov Postie Party at St Chad's—Longbeach fundraiser  
6 Nov Confirmation service with Bishop Paul  
27 Nov Annual Parish Meeting

**Pantry 5000 Food of the Week...** 500g Breakfast Cereal or Cans of Fruit

## Prayer Chain requests—Christine Taylor 0407 725 692

**Ongoing prayer**—email requests to Jaqueline or Sue

**Pastoral care**—Sue Bluett 0433 024 626

**Prayer has been requested for:** Chris B, Drew, Doug, Evie, Fay, Helen, Baby Hudson, James, Jewel, Karin, Kayden & Elisabeth, Lorraine, Nigel & Chris, Phoebe, Rachel, Robert, Robyn, Rose, Rosemary, Sophia, Stephen T, Sue, Wyatt, Wayne, Wayne, Mc, Will

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