

Anglican Parish of Grovely

THE COMMUNITY OF ST MATTHEW'S & ALL SAINTS'



Turrbal and Jagera Country

Parish Vision: To personally and corporately know God in our lives more deeply and to live truthfully, creatively, honestly and lovingly.

If you are visiting today, please make yourself known to the Priest and Welcomers; they will be able to help you with information about the parish.

- ♦ **Holy Communion** is available for all those whose practice it is to receive the sacrament, whatever denomination.

From Fr Stephen

Jesus mission was never to make a big deal of himself or elevate his followers to positions of power or prestige through their association with him. It was rather to point through and beyond himself to God and God's coming reign on earth and invite his followers to bear witness to what they themselves had heard, experienced and knew to be true and transformational.

May you find truths in the account of the Transfiguration of Jesus that strengthens your faith and is transformational for mission in the world. Amen.

*Blessings
Fr Stephen*





News & Notices

Please take your Pew Sheet with you after the service



A GENTLE REMINDER WORSHIP AT 9 AM SERVICE

At around 3 minutes before 9 am, a bell will be rung and we ask for silence in the church after the bell, as we intentionally prepare to be present to our Lord.



February

- 11 Parish Council Meeting
- 14 Ash Wednesday services
- 17 Working Bee—All Saints
- 18 Parish AGM
- 20 Service at Madonna Villa
- 21 MU Meeting
- 27 Service at Regis Nursing home



ASH
WEDNESDAY

Ash Wednesday Service with
Imposition of Ashes
14 February

10 am St Matthew's
7 pm All Saints



Annual General Meeting
18 FEBRUARY @ ALL SAINTS

AGM Report packs are in the foyer
for your collection.

Short Parish Council meeting after the
9 am service at All Saints today to
discuss the budget.

Working Bee at All Saints 17 February at 7:30 am.

All help will be greatly appreciated.
Please bring your own sun hat and
gloves. **Other safety gear will be
available on site.**



Lenten Studies “Sacred Space for Lent”
will commence on at 7 pm on Tuesday
20 February, and at 11 am on
Wednesday 21 February.
Studies will conclude in Holy Week,
Tuesday 26th & Wednesday
27th March . Please indicate which
study you would like to attend and to
order a study booklet at \$14.50

MU NOTICES: The first MU
Meeting for the year will be
held on Wed 21 February.
Commencing with the church
service at 10.00 am. Morning
Tea to follow. All are welcome
to join us.
Date Claimer: Wed 17 April
Invitation to join MU

Around the Parish



ALL SAINTS ROSTER	11 February	18 February	25 February
LAs	Peter H	Barb B	Norm H
Welcomers	Julie B	Ann E	Margaret B & Kathryn L
1st Reader	Kathryn L	Andrew S	Arian M
2nd Reader	John D	Lynn R	Kathryn L
Sidesperson/s	Les M & Helper	Peter M & Helper	Ros T & Helper
Intercessions	Danny A	Julie B	Hugh B
Sacristan	Jan D	John D	Peter M
Counters	Tara P & Kathy F	Danny A & Clay B	Gordon D & Simon L
Morning Tea	Ann Ellis & Julie B	Wendy M & Helper	Trish S & helper

ST MATTHEWS ROSTER	11 February	18 February	25 February
LA	Glen G	Barb B	Melanie D
Welcomers	Harold G	Dale G	Sue H
1st Reader	Glen G	Barb B	Melanie D
2nd Reader	Dawn S	Harold G	Dawn S
Intercessions	Glen G	Barb B	Melanie D

Offerings

Account details for Grovely Parish

Electronic transfers:

BSB: 704-901 **Account:** 00000910

ST MATTHEW'S MEMORIAL GARDEN

Available for the interment of ashes of loved ones. Inquires to the Priest.

PARISH FOOD BANK

If you are aware of someone in need of a meal please contact the Parish Office.

CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

We collect containers with the 10c recycle note on the bottle or can for funds towards our projects account. Please leave these in the marked containers at both churches.

STAMPS FOR ABM

ABM sells used stamps to assist community projects in Australia and overseas. Boxes at All Saints and St Matthews are provided to collect them.

RECYCLING

Spent batteries, CFL's and ink cartridges, pens, including casings, texters and pencils can be left at both churches for recycling.

Prayer Space



Lord, you are all-knowing and full of wisdom.

Your plan is masterful.

*Help me as your disciple to follow you in every thought,
word, and deed.*

*Give me a heart of obedience and trust that I would not get
wrapped up in my doubt or what I think is the right choice.*

*Help me to recognize that your good and perfect will does not
always look the way I think it should, but that doesn't make it
any less good or any less perfect.*

I desire to be your disciple and follow you all the days of my life.

Please give me the strength to do that.

Amen.





Cover those windows

In summer when you leave the windows and blinds open, you let the outside temperature heat up your place. In fact, a sunny window can radiate as much energy as a bar heater! If you then run the aircon, it works harder to cool the room, costing you more money on your bill. Closing your windows, curtains and blinds helps keep warm air out and stops the cool air from escaping.

Combo deal

On hot days, try running your air conditioner and fan together to cool your place faster. Aim to turn the air con on for no longer than an hour to cool the room, then maintain a cooling effect by using your fan. The movement of air from the fan will help you feel cooler. Given your air con can cost up to 25 times more than using your ceiling fan, this is a winning combination.

Performance boost

Have you cleaned your air con's filter lately? A build-up of dirt and dust on the filter will use more energy as your air con works harder to cool the air.

Thank You

The Coates family would like to thank everyone for the sympathy and support shown to them on the death of David. Words cannot express the overwhelming love shown in the funeral service led by Fr Stephen, and the kindness of so many people whose lives David touched and who wanted to share that with us. He was a special person, now with our Lord.
Clare xx



CAR BOOT SPACE or a TABLE indoors

Pre booking your space is essential.

Please contact us at events.grovelyanglican@gmail.com

Payment of \$25 in advance will guarantee your space.

Date:

Saturday, March 9th

Time:

7 am to 12 pm

Place:

St. Matthew Church, 35 Church Rd. Mitchelton





This Week Around the Parish

SUNDAY 11

7:00 am Eucharist - St Matthews
9:00 am Sung Eucharist and Sunday School - All Saints
Parish Council Meeting after the service

MONDAY 12

JAMES 1.1-11 *Fr Stephen's day off*
PSALM 119.65-72 *Parish Office Open*
MARK 8.11-13

TUESDAY 13

JAMES 1.12-18
PSALM 94.12-19
MARK 8.14-21

WEDNESDAY 14

Ash Wednesday

JOEL 2.1-2; 2.12-17 *Parish Office Open*
PSALM 51.1-17 **10:00 am** Ash Wednesday Service - St Matthews
2 CORINTHIANS 5.20B-6.10 **7:00 pm** Ash Wednesday Service - All Saints
MATTHEW 6.1-6; 6.16-21

THURSDAY 15

DEUTERONOMY 30.15-20
PSALM 1
LUKE 9.22-25

FRIDAY 16

ISAIAH 58.1-9A *Parish Office Open*
PSALM 51.15-19
MATTHEW 9.14-15

SATURDAY 17

ISAIAH 58.9B-14 7:30 am Working Bee—All Saints
PSALM 86.1-7 **6:00 pm** Vigil Eucharist - St Matthews
LUKE 5.27-32

SUNDAY 18

GENESIS 9.8-17 7:00 am Eucharist - St Matthews
PSALM 25.1-10 9:00 am Sung Eucharist and Sunday School - All Saints
1 PETER 3.18-22 10:30 am AGM—All Saints
MARK 1.9-15