

Serving the centres of:  
**Kingscliff, Pottsville,**  
and the wider Tweed Coast



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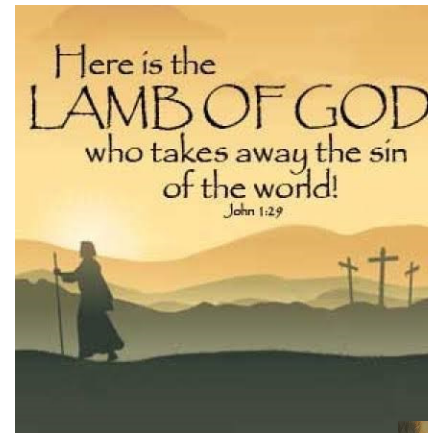
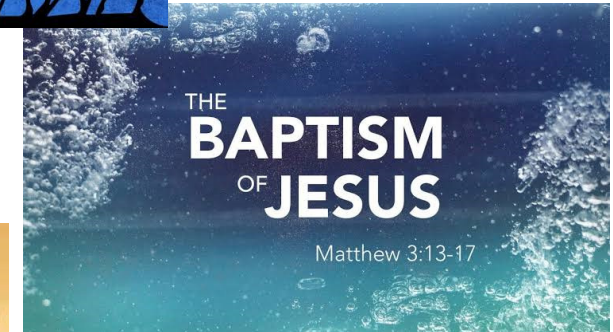
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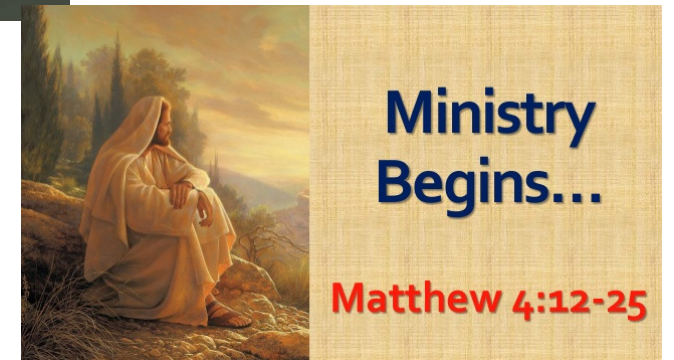
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5th to 26th  
January 2020



**Parish Mission Statement:**  
*"We are followers of Jesus Christ, committed to growing the kingdom of God and creating a loving inclusive community."*



## ***In time of bushfire***

*All things look to you, O Lord,  
to give them their food in due season:  
look in mercy on your people, and hear our  
prayer for those whose lives and possessions  
are threatened by fire.*

*In your mercy restore your creation  
and heal our land.*

*So guide and bless your people, that we may  
enjoy the fruits of the earth and give you  
thanks with grateful hearts, through our Lord  
Jesus Christ. Amen*

# HOME GROUPS

Within our parish we have a network of Home Groups that meet on a regular basis to encourage and nurture our faith. Sunday church is a great way to come together to worship God. Nonetheless, it is often difficult to discuss important issues and share your stories with other people when in a church service. A Home Group is the ideal place to discuss issues, share stories and get to know one-another, not to mention have a great time.

Remember Lent is not far away; it is a great way to grow your faith! We have Home Groups in Kingscliff and Pottsville areas.

If you are interested in joining a Home Group please contact Father Greg on 02 6674 1513 or 07 5641 5298.

Looking for Hosts and Leaders...

If you are interested in hosting a Home Group in 2020 or becoming a leader of a group, please have a chat with Greg over the next few weeks. Lenten study groups will the week of 02/03/2020.

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**Please find information about our children's services below:**

## *Kids In Church @ Kingscliff (K.I.C.K.)*

**This service is held on the fourth Sunday of every month at 9:00am.**

KICK is a family friendly worship experience, with a focus on the children.

The worship, prayers, stories and songs are interactive with lots of actions and movements. Our hope is to engage the young families of Kingscliff and make Church fun for the youngsters.

Please pray for guidance, wisdom and the creativity of the Holy Spirit as we prepare and continue with 'KICK'.

Reverend Greg on 02 6674 1513.

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**A huge **thankyou****

to all who supported our annual gift giving Christmas tree.

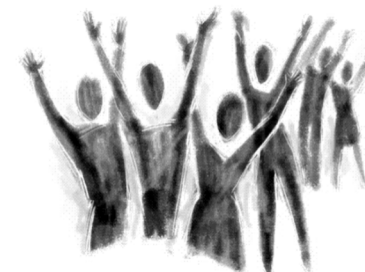
There were a large amount of gifts donated to the Salvation Army. They were most appreciative to receive them.



*Welcome to our Worship Service today.*

If you are visiting,  
we pray that you enjoy your stay.

If you are new to the area,  
please let yourselves be known  
to the Priest-in-charge  
or sides person on duty.



*We invite you to stay after the service  
and enjoy a cup of fellowship and tea.*



Second Sunday after Christmas 5th January 2020

**Sentence:** They saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and worshipped him.

Matthew 2.11

**Collect:** Eternal God,  
 who by a star led Magi to the worship of your Son:  
 guide the nations of the earth by your light,  
 that the whole world may see your glory;  
 through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
 who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**Psalm:** Psalm 72.1-7, 72.10-14

Give the king your judgement, O God:  
 and your righteousness to the son of a king,

**That he may judge your people rightly:  
 and the poor of the land with equity.**

Let the mountains be laden with peace because of his righteousness:  
 and the hills also with prosperity for his people.

**May he give justice to the poor among the people:  
 and rescue the children of the needy, and crush the oppressor.**

May he live while the sun endures:  
 and while the moon gives light, throughout all generations.

**May he come down like rain upon the new-mown fields:  
 and as showers that water the earth.**

In his time shall righteousness flourish:  
 and abundance of peace, till the moon shall be no more.

**The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall bring tribute:  
 the kings of Sheba and Seba shall offer gifts.**

All kings shall fall down before him:  
 and all nations do him service.

**He will deliver the needy when they cry:  
 and the poor that have no helper.**

He will pity the helpless and the needy:  
 and save the lives of the poor.

**He will redeem them from oppression and violence:  
 and their blood shall be precious in his sight.**

**5th January Bible Readings:** (White)

**1st Reading** Isaiah 60: 1-6                      **Psalm** 72: 1-7, 10-14  
**2nd Reading** Ephesians 3: 1-12                **Gospel** Matthew 2: 1-12

**Round the Parish in January and February:**

Sunday	5th January	8:00am	Holy Communion @ St James
		10:30am	Holy Communion @ St Mark's
Sunday	12th January	8:00am	Holy Communion @ St James
		10:30am	Holy Communion @ St Mark's
Sunday	19th January	8:00am	Holy Communion @ St James
		10:30am	Holy Communion @ St Mark's
Sunday	26th January		Australia Day
		9:00am	KICK @ St James
Monday	27th January		Public Holiday for Australia Day
Tuesday	28th January	9:00am	Parish office re-opens
Sunday	2nd February	8:00am	Holy Communion @ St James
		10:30am	Holy Communion @ St Mark's
			Roslyn's Farewell Lunch
Sunday	24th February	11:00am	Annual General Meeting after KICK @ St James
Tuesday	25th February	6:00pm	Shrove Tuesday 'Pancake Meal' @ St James
Wednesday	26th February	10:00am	Ash Wednesday Service @ St James
		6:00pm	Ash Wednesday Service @ St James
Sunday	5th April		Sunday of the Passion Palm Sunday
Sunday	12th April		Easter Day

**2nd February's Bible Readings:** (Green)

**1st Reading** Micah 6: 1-8                      **Psalm** 15  
**2nd Reading** 1 Corinthians 1: 18-31        **Gospel** Matthew 5: 1-12

**Farewell lunch for Roslyn**

Sunday 2nd February 2020

please speak to a warden for more information

# CHURCH NOTICES

## Start up Dates for the Parish

**Mid-Week Eucharist**  
@ St James  
10am on 5/2/19

**Parish Office Re-Opens**  
9am on Tuesday 28/1/20

### Please Let Us Know



Pastoral Care is an important part of our community. We ask that where possible, when you or a family member are ill, scheduled for surgery, or recuperating that contact be made with Reverend Greg or Margaret Harris.

### World Day of Prayer

Friday  
6th March 2020  
'Zimbabwe'

*"Rise! Take you mat and walk"*  
Kingscliff  
.... more details to follow!



### Annual General Meeting Sunday 23rd February

The AGM meeting will commence after the 9:00am 'KICK' service along with a cup of fellowship.

Could all reports for the parish *please* be completed and returned by Sunday the 31st January 2020. All Reports and or any photo's from the year can be emailed to [office@apok.org.au](mailto:office@apok.org.au)

*Where the paper form of reports are needed to be collected, please phone a warden to arrange for it to be collected.*

**Lent 2020**  
**First Sunday in Lent - 1st March**

## The Baptism of our Lord

12th January 2020

**Sentence:** A voice came from heaven, saying, 'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'

Matthew 3:17

**Collect:** Almighty God,  
who anointed Jesus at his baptism with the Holy Spirit  
and revealed him as your beloved Son:  
inspire us, your children,  
who are born again of water and the Spirit,  
to surrender our lives to your service,  
that we may rejoice to be called your children;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Psalm:** Psalm 29

Ascribe to the Lord, you powers of heaven: ascribe to the Lord glory and might.

**Ascribe to the Lord the honour due to his name:  
O worship the Lord in the beauty of his holiness.**

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters:  
the God of glory thunders, the Lord upon the great waters.

**The voice of the Lord is mighty in operation:  
the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice.**

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar-trees:  
the Lord breaks in pieces the cedars of Lebanon.

**He makes them skip like a calf: Lebanon and Sirion like a young wild ox.**

The voice of the Lord divides the lightning-flash:  
the voice of the Lord whirls the sands of the desert,  
the Lord whirls the desert of Kadesh.

**The voice of the Lord rends the terebinth trees, and strips bare the forests:  
in his temple all cry 'Glory.'**

The Lord sits enthroned above the water-flood:  
the Lord sits enthroned as a king for ever.

**The Lord will give strength to his people:  
the Lord will give to his people the blessing of peace.**

### 12th January's Bible Readings: (White)

**1st Reading** Isaiah 42: 1-9

**Psalm** 29

**2nd Reading** Acts 10: 34-43

**Gospel** Matthew 3: 13-17

**Sentence:** God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

1 Corinthians 1.9

**Collect:** Almighty God,  
whose Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
is the light of the world:  
may your people,  
illuminated by your word and sacraments,  
shine with the radiance of his glory,  
that he may be known, worshipped,  
and obeyed to the ends of the earth;  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**Psalm:** Psalm 40.1-14

I waited patiently for the Lord: and he inclined to me and heard my cry.  
**He brought me up from the pit of roaring waters, out of the mire and clay:  
and set my feet upon a rock, and made firm my foothold.**  
And he has put a new song in my mouth: even a song of thanksgiving to our God.  
**Many shall see it and fear: and shall put their trust in the Lord.**  
Blessed are those who have made the Lord their hope:  
who have not turned to the proud, or to those who wander in deceit.  
**O Lord my God, great are the wonderful things which you have done, and your  
thoughts which are towards us: there is none to be compared with you;**  
Were I to declare them and speak of them: they are more than I am able to express.  
**Sacrifice and offering you do not desire:  
but my ears you have marked for obedience;**  
Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have not required: then said I, Lo, I come.  
**In the scroll of the book it is written of me, that I should do your will:**  
**O my God, I long to do it, your law delights my heart.**  
I have declared your righteousness in the great congregation:  
I have not restrained my lips, O Lord, and that you know.  
**I have not hidden your righteousness in my heart:  
I have spoken of your faithfulness and of your salvation.**  
I have not kept back your loving-kindness and your truth: from the great congregation.  
**O Lord, do not withhold your mercy from me:  
let your loving-kindness and your truth ever preserve me.**

**19th January's Bible Readings:** (Green)

<b>1st Reading</b>	Isaiah 49: 1-7	<b>Psalm</b>	40: 1-14
<b>2nd Reading</b>	1 Corinthians 1: 1-9	<b>Gospel</b>	John 1: 29-42

**'KICK' Sunday**

**Matthew 4: 12-25**

Now when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the lake, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: 'Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali, on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned.'  
From that time Jesus began to proclaim, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.'  
As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the lake—for they were fishermen.  
And he said to them, 'Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.'  
Immediately they left their nets and followed him.  
As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them.  
Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.  
Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.  
So his fame spread throughout all Syria, and they brought to him all the sick, those who were afflicted with various diseases and pains, demoniacs, epileptics, and paralytics, and he cured them.  
And great crowds followed him from Galilee, the Decapolis, Jerusalem, Judea, and from beyond the Jordan.



**26th January's Bible Readings:** (Green)

<b>1st Reading</b>	Isaiah 9: 1-4	<b>Psalm</b>	27: 1-10
<b>2nd Reading</b>	1 Corinthians 1: 10-18	<b>Gospel</b>	Matthew 4: 12-25