



Manly

St Paul's News

St Paul's Anglican Community, Manly
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23 August 2026

President: Archdeacon Allan Paulsen

St Paul's Anglican Community, Manly

We gather every Sunday at 10.00am in the Chapel, Lota House, 162 Oceana Terrace, Lota. Please join us for a cuppa before the service.

All are welcome at St Paul's

"We love because God first loved us" (1 John, 4:19). We believe in the inherent goodness of all people – that the divine dwells at the heart of all living things. We believe the whole world is sacred and so we seek to celebrate God's presence among us with joy. St Paul's is an inclusive church, welcoming all and offering equal opportunities for those seeking an authentic spiritual community.

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Quandamooka people and their elders past and present. We honour the connection the traditional custodians have with this place.

Support Our Ministry

Bank: Anglican Financial Services

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Reference: 'offering'

Our Prayer List

David, Laurence, Shirley, Carolyn, Lynn B, Tony, Ann, Val, Brian S, Lisa P, Richard, Bruce, Judi, Shirley and Brad, Peter and Judith.

To add to our prayer list, please email prayer@stpaulsmanly.org.

Please let us know if urgent and when prayers are no longer required.

Enjoying the Winter Sun

Prior to our 10am service each week, we meet for a quick cuppa and chat on the verandah of Lota House. Come along and join us from 9.30am. Here we are enjoying the lovely warm winter sun.



Combined Service

Father Sam received encouraging feedback from many parishioners following our combined service with St Peter's in June, expressing a desire for more opportunities to gather and worship as one community.

As part of an ongoing commitment to strengthening the relationship between St Paul's and St Peter's, the Wardens of both parishes and Father Sam have discussed plans for greater collaboration in ministry and mission. One wonderful outcome of these conversations has been the decision to hold combined worship services on any fifth Sundays.

Sunday 30 August is a fifth Sunday, so we will gather for a combined service at St Peter's. A fundraising fellowship breakfast in support of the Anglican Board of Mission (ABM) will commence from 8am followed by the Holy Eucharist at 9am.

Father Sam comments that "these combined services provide a wonderful opportunity for fellowship, friendship, and shared worship as we grow together in Christ. I encourage all parishioners to participate enthusiastically and to warmly welcome one another as we gather as one faith community".

For Your Prayers

Sunday 23 August 2026

- The Church of the Province of West Africa
- The Diocese of Tasmania
- The Parish of Beenleigh
- Anglicare SQ Home and Community, North Coast Region
- St Francis Theological College, Milton

Prayer of the Week

Sunday 23 August 2026

Creator God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless until they
find their rest in you:
teach us to offer ourselves to your
service,
that here we may have your peace,
and in the world to come
may see you face to face;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Newsletter Contributions

If you would like any notices, news or other items added to the newsletter, please email newsletter@stpaulsmanly.org.

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Quiet Day

Kay and Ailsa spent some beautiful time together with other Mothers' Union ladies at the Deanery Quiet Day last week. Quiet Day gives MU members time to step away from daily routines to spend intentional time in prayer, worship, and shared silence.

Always remember the following words of wisdom "The purpose of silence and solitude is to be able to see and hear. The Spirit speaks to us when our heart is still and silent before the Lord - not when we're rushing about and doing our own thing in our own way" Richard Foster, Celebration of Discipline, pg.98.



Scripture Readings

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Sunday 23 August - Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 1.8-2.10, Psalm 124, Romans 12.1-8, Matthew 16.13-20

Sunday 30 August - Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 3.1-15, Psalm 105.1-6; 105.23-26, Romans 12.9-21, Matthew 16.21-28

Sunday 6 September - Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 12.1-14, Psalm 149, Romans 13.1-10, Matthew 18.10-20

Sunday 13 September - Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 14.19-31, Psalm 114, Romans 14.1-14, Matthew 18.21-35

What's On

Every week

Monday 10:30am, **EM Tooth Prayer and Praise**

Tuesday 9:30am, **Bible Reflection**/discussion, Lota House Chapel

Wednesday 7pm, **Men's Ministry**, St Peter's Wynnum

Sunday 10am **Parish Eucharist**, Lota House Chapel (9:30am for a cuppa)

Monthly services

Mothers' Union 4th Tuesday 9.30am, St Peter's

Manly Gardens AVEO service 1st Monday 2pm

EM Tooth Residents Eucharist 2nd Wednesday 1:30pm, Lota House Chapel

Tatters & Chatters, 1st & 3rd Thursday 10am – 12pm, Wynnum Library

Coming up

Sunday 30 August Combined service be held at **St Peters Wynnum**, breakfast served from 8.00am and service from 9.00am.

Saturday 24 October **Tingalpa Pioneer Chapel & Cemetery**, Annual decoration and fete day

Click on the link below to see upcoming Anglican community events anglicanfocus.org.au/category/events