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**IN PRAYER**  
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**WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE**  
**SUNDAY 26TH AUGUST 2018**

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**IN NEWS**

All that's going on  
around St Andrew's

# COMMUNITY WATCH

## COMING UP

### ➤ Life of Jesus

At St Andrew's Roseville

Commencing Wed 5th Sep | 7.30pm

Whether you are looking for answers to life's big questions or just interested in the history and philosophy of the Christian faith, the Life of Jesus course will intrigue, entertain and challenge.

No assumptions are made about your faith, knowledge or interest in Christianity. This really is the '101' course for people curious to inspect the basics of the world's largest faith.

Contact [lifefojesus@standrews.net.au](mailto:lifefojesus@standrews.net.au)



### ➤ REVIVE Youth Parent Partnership event

Sun 16th Sep

In the backyard of 1 Bancroft Ave.

12noon - 2pm BBQ lunch for Year 6 kids and their parents, followed at 2pm by an afternoon tea for all REVIVE Youth parents.

RSVP to [stayrevive@standrews.net.au](mailto:stayrevive@standrews.net.au)

### ➤ StAR Weekend Away

Fri 21 - 23 Sep 2018

Attunga, Canyonleigh Southern Highlands

A rustic weekend of camp-fires, fellowship, games, praise, and adventure.

Attunga offers several styles of accommodation, at different price points, to suit every budgeter you can choose to arrange your own accommodation offsite or visit just for the day on the Saturday.

*For more details see the flyer on the display cabinet at the rear of the church.*

**Register by Thursday 6 September at [www.tiny.cc/standrewsweekendaway](http://www.tiny.cc/standrewsweekendaway) or by clicking on the Church app Book/Register button.**

All enquiries to [weekendaway@standrews.net.au](mailto:weekendaway@standrews.net.au)

or 0450 512 343

(Mark Allen, 5pm congregation)



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## PLEASE PRAY

### ☛ Youth

Pray for 'UNITED', our combined North Shore Youth event, on Friday 31 August at Roseville College. Pray that many unreached youth will come and hear the gospel and respond. Pray that many of our young people will invite their friends. Pray for our Youth Ministers Lauren and Grant as they coordinate the seven Churches involved in UNITED; for wisdom, energy and faithfulness.

Pray for the many Year 12 students in our area who have finished or are soon to finish their Trial HSC exams. Pray for rest as they finish exams and for energy and focus as they continue to prepare for the end of school before their HSC exams.

### ☛ St Andrew's Ministries

Pray for the ESL classes held on Thursday mornings. Please pray for Jane Clifford and the other ESL volunteers. Pray that the classes will help those who attend to form new friendships as well as develop their English skills.

### ☛ Other

Pray for the work of chaplains in schools, those locally and beyond. Pray for God's

empowering for the work of pastoral care, teaching, and gospel conversations.

Pray for political stability in Australia in the wake of the recent leadership change in the federal government. Pray for the newly appointed Prime Minister Scott Morrison; for God's wisdom as he adjusts to his new role.

*If you would like to communicate prayer points to the Ministry Team, please email*

**[prayer@standrews.net.au](mailto:prayer@standrews.net.au)**

## PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Merciful God, it is by your gift alone that your faithful people offer you true and acceptable service; grant that we may so faithfully serve you in this life that we fail not finally to obtain your heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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## FINANCIAL UPDATE

For the first 7 months of 2018 the total general offertory received was \$580,940 against a budget of \$608,708. We are therefore approximately \$28,000 behind budget.

It is pleasing that in July, the amount received was in line with the monthly budget. We are thankful to those parishioners who have increased their regular giving and pleased also that others have commenced regular giving via EFT.

As we are still behind the planned year-to-date offertory, we continue to ask for parishioners to consider increasing their giving (if they have not already done so this year). We also ask for those who are not yet giving to please consider doing so. Finally, if you are in a position to do a one-off top up to help us reduce the year-to-date shortfall, this would be greatly appreciated.

The responsibility to fund the work of St Andrew's rests on all parishioners. Details of how to give via EFT can be found on the back page of the News and on the church website.

Blessings,

**Philip Bell, Andrew Killen, Craig Taylor  
Wardens**

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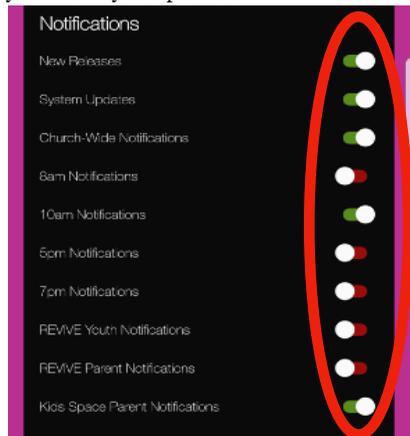
## THE ST ANDREW'S CHURCH APP

The St Andrew's smartphone app is now the **primary** method of notification for St Andrew's events and information.

Notifications from the app will highlight things for you to especially take note of.

Download the free app by searching 'St Andrew's Roseville' in the Google Play store or the Apple store.

**Please note** that in 'Settings' it is important to select the first 3 options as well as any other congregations and groups that you and your family are part of.



App set-up instructions are on the display cupboard at the rear of the church.

*All that our missionaries  
do in and around their communities*

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# MISSION & AID

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## INTERNATIONAL NEPAL FELLOWSHIP



### 📍 Nepal

*The International Nepal Fellowship (INF) is a Christian mission that serves the physical and spiritual needs of poor and disadvantaged Nepali people, and supports the Nepali church. Over the years, St Andrew's has sent workers to serve with INF, while also supporting the work financially and in prayer.*

As it is monsoon season in Nepal and travel is made dangerous by floods and roads blocked by landslides, please pray for protection for INF staff and volunteers and for poor and vulnerable people who are often the first to be affected by natural disasters.

Praise God for good progress on the construction of the pastoral care centre at INF's Green Pastures Hospital. Pray for the successful completion of this project (including the need to raise additional funds) and that it would be a place of prayer and worship that glorifies God.

Pray for protection of INF's Christian witness which is often under threat as new legislation in Nepal tries to restrict the spread of the gospel.

Pray for the new leader of INF in Nepal, Krishna Adhikari. Pray for wisdom and encouragement, boldness and sensitivity as he leads INF's 350 staff and 20 expatriate volunteers.

Pray for those preparing to go on INF's short-term vision trips and treks to Nepal later this year, for safety and good health and that they will really experience God at work and grow in their faith.



*Words you'll need for  
today's contemporary services*

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# CONTEMPORARY SERVICE PRAYERS

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## CONFESSION

Most merciful God,  
we humbly admit that  
    we need your help.  
We confess that we have  
    wandered from your way:  
we have done wrong,  
and we have failed to do  
    what is right.  
You alone can save us.  
Have mercy on us:  
wipe out our sins and teach us  
    to forgive others.  
Bring forth in us the fruit  
    of the Spirit  
that we may live as  
    disciples of Christ.  
This we ask in the name  
    of Jesus our Saviour. Amen.

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done  
    on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
    as we forgive those  
    who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation,  
    but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
    and the glory, are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.

There may be an opportunity for Q&A after the sermon. Questions will be taken from the floor, or can be texted to 0416 874 993.

# KEY CONTACTS

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# FINANCIAL SUPPORT DETAILS

## 🕒 Supporting the General Ministry

Supporting the general work of St Andrew's:

**St Andrew's Anglican Church Roseville**  
BSB 032 086 | A/C 387 248

*This is our preferred method  
to receive your regular support.*

Alternatively cash/cheque contributions can be made  
via the offertory collection during the services.

The current year budget includes an allocation of  
10% of general offertory to Mission & Aid.

## 🕒 Supporting the Property Redevelopment

To support the St Andrew's Property Redevelopment,  
**tax-deductible** contributions can be made via:

**St Andrew's Anglican Church**  
**Roseville Donation Fund**  
BSB 032 102 | A/C 141 628

Please include your surname and the initials "PV"  
(for Property Vision) in the reference field.

Donations by cheque should be made to  
St Andrew's Roseville Donation Fund.

If you would like to support the Property  
Redevelopment but **do not** require a tax deduction,  
please contact our Executive Pastor, Santino Dimarco.

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confirming attendance numbers. The photographs will not be used for publication.*