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**IN PRAYER**  
**PRAISE**  
**NEWS &**  
**THE BIBLE**

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**WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE**  
**SUNDAY 24TH FEBRUARY 2019**

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**IN NEWS**

*All that's going on  
around St Andrew's*

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# FROM THE WARDENS

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## 👉 Financial Update

Dear St Andrew's,

As 2019 is now well underway, it is timely that we update the Parish on financial matters, including the budget recently approved by Parish Council for the 2019 year.

Total offertory received last year (2018) was \$1,020,113. While a little under the amount budgeted (\$1,043,500), we thank the Parish for their financial support of the church's ministry. The 2018 financial statements are in the process of being audited for presentation at the Parish AGM on the evening of Monday 18th March.

In relation to this year's finances, Parish Council have approved this year's budget which calls for a 5% increase in offertory compared with the actual amount received in 2018. The amount that we are therefore asking the Parish to collectively fund is \$1,070,119. This amount will fund the anticipated known costs for 2019 (stipends, salaries, church running costs etc) and leave a small surplus of approx. \$11,000.

To achieve our budgeted offertory, we ask all members of St Andrew's to consider prayerfully the amount that they can contribute to financially support the ministry. Please consider increasing your

regular support by the required 5% so that we can fully fund this year's ministry.

For any members who have not yet commenced regular financial support of the ministry, the details for doing so electronically are:

St Andrew's Roseville  
BSB 032 086  
A/c 387 248

Thank you again for your support of the St Andrew's Roseville ministry - we pray that together we can impact our community with God's love through the good news of Jesus Christ.

Blessings,

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

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# COMMUNITY WATCH

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## THIS WEEK

### 🕒 PTC 'Introduction to the Bible' course

8 Monday nights continuing 25th Feb (wk 2)  
7:30pm - 9:30pm | *it's not too late to join in!*

In the Kelman Room

Cost: approx. \$45/person

Highly recommended to anyone who wants to grow in their understanding of the Bible - especially Small Group Leaders.

Run by Stuart Holman, with guest teachers.

Exam optional.

Register your interest at [www.tiny.cc/staptc](http://www.tiny.cc/staptc) or via the PTC event in Coming Events in the Church App.

### 🕒 Life of Jesus course

4 weeks beginning Tue 26th Feb | 7:30pm

At St Andrew's

A four-week course that digs deeper into what is known about Jesus' life and why it matters. Over the four sessions, you can ask all your questions in a relaxed environment with light refreshments.

Register via the Church App or at [www.tiny.cc/lifeofjesus](http://www.tiny.cc/lifeofjesus)

## COMING UP

### 🕒 Belonging course

Sun 10th Mar | 12noon - 2pm

Over lunch in the Kelman Room

Meet our staff, find out about St Andrew's and have all your questions answered.

RSVP at [www.tiny.cc/belongingcourse](http://www.tiny.cc/belongingcourse) or by clicking on the App Book/Register button in the Church App.

### 🕒 Parish Annual General Meeting & Election Nominations

Mon 18th Mar | 7pm | In the Church

Nominations required prior to the AGM: Parish Councillor and Wardens.

Talk to those you think will serve well and, with their permission, nominate them by email ensuring that you clearly state who you are nominating and for which role:

[santino.dimarco@standrews.net.au](mailto:santino.dimarco@standrews.net.au)

Please note that nominating someone, requires you to be present at the AGM.

### 🕒 Church-Wide Prayer Meeting

Wed 3rd April | 7:30pm - 8:30pm

In the Church

Praying for all that is happening at St Andrew's, our local community and beyond.

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## 🕒 **StAR Tour - trip to the Canberra region**

*FYI new dates: Tues 10th - Fri 13th Sep*

This year's StAR Tour is a mid-week holiday for adults, to Canberra and its environs.

*Save the date - more details to come!*

## **FOR THE DIARY**

*Dates for your diary - more details to come*

🕒 Wed 3rd Apr | Church-Wide Prayer Meeting

🕒 13-18 Apr | HUB Kids Holiday Program

## **PLEASE PRAY**

### 🕒 **8am**

Pray for Deirdre Syme as she recovers from a recent knee replacement operation; for healing and strength throughout her rehabilitation period.

Pray for David and Marilyn Moulton as they deal with ongoing health issues. Pray that they will know God's peace and strength.

### 🕒 **5pm**

Pray for Andrew Loel and his family as they grieve the loss of Andrew's father, Adrian. The funeral is to be held at St Andrew's Roseville this Thursday 28th February at 1:15pm. All are welcome to attend.

Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Hall.

Pray for Trish Bell who had a double knee replacement last week and has now begun her rehabilitation. Pray for healing, strength and patience as she recovers.

### 🕒 **7pm**

Praise God for the birth of Daniel Douglas McIntosh, born on the 12th of February, a son to Bas and Melle. Pray for them as they enjoy these precious first days as a new family; that God will fill them with joy, wonder and thankfulness. Pray that Daniel will grow to know Jesus.

### 🕒 **Youth**

Praise God that REVIVE youth could help some residents through the Community Project today. Pray that God will give REVIVE Youth more opportunities to reach and serve Roseville and beyond.

### 🕒 **St Andrew's Ministries**

Pray for those in Nursing Homes and Hostels and all who are no longer able to regularly worship with us; Margaret Rook, Adrienne Searle, and Frank Wyndham. Pray for Peter Watson, Judy Hodges and Marion Stanbridge who lead the visitation team and for others from St Andrew's who assist them.

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## PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Lord God, you know that we cannot put our trust in anything that we do. Help us to have faith in you alone, and mercifully defend us by your power against all adversity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## ST ANDREW'S MINISTRY UPDATE

### 🔗 REVIVE Youth

REVIVE is off to a great start for 2019. Over the last few weeks we have had 50-65 youth come each Sunday and 40-50 each Friday night. This increase in young people coming each week to REVIVE is really exciting: the way that our young people are understanding the gospel and living lives in response to it.

Although very exciting, it has also increased our challenge of space in the Youth Hall on Sunday evenings. We would love prayer for wisdom as we consider short-term solutions to this problem....although it's a great problem to have!

This term at REVIVE, we have continued to study the gospel of John. It has been wonderful tracking along with the sermon series at all St Andrew's congregations.

For more information on REVIVE Youth at St Andrew's please contact our Youth Ministers Lauren and Grant van der Merwe at [stayrevive@standrews.net.au](mailto:stayrevive@standrews.net.au)



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

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# MISSION & AID

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## ANDREW AND STEPHANIE BROWNING



### ➔ Africa & Australia

Andrew and Stephanie Browning with their children William and Christopher returned to Australia in late 2017 after serving in Arusha, Tanzania since 1999. Andrew was working at the Lutheran Mission Hospital and Stephanie set up and ran the Christ Church International School. Andrew continues to oversee training in fistula surgery around Africa and South East Asia, traveling to Africa 4 times a year to teach and to operate on fistula patients.

Praise God that the Brownings were able to return to Tanzania for a visit in January.

Praise God for the progress Stephanie was able to see at the school, that the boys really

enjoyed the trip and that Andrew was also able to make a very fruitful visit to Ethiopia.

Pray for safety for Drs Matthea, Margaret and the staff in Afar, Ethiopia. There is some renewed fighting with a neighbouring tribe and several injured people have been attending the hospital.

Pray for Dr Maria working in the hospital in Tanzania and for her husband working as a fundraiser. Pray that we will be able to secure work permits and residents permits for them both.

Pray for William and Christopher as they have returned to school in Australia; that they will continue to settle in well.

Pray for Andrew as he gives presentations and attends meetings around NSW to raise funds for fistula work in Africa. Pray for strength, clarity and faithfulness to what God is doing.

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

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# CONTEMPORARY SERVICE PRAYERS

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## PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily glorify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. 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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