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ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE
SUNDAY 24TH NOVEMBER 2019

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

COMMUNITY WATCH

THIS WEEK

➡ Roseville-Lindfield-Killara Interchurch Fellowship Heralding Advent Service

Tue 26th Nov 7:45pm | Location: Killara Catholic Church cnr Fiddens Wharf Rd & Charles St Killara

An offering will be gathered during the service in aid of Act for Peace (the Christmas Bowl). You are invited to fellowship and supper after the service.

➡ Women's Christmas Night

Wed 27th Nov | 7:00pm
In the Church

Guest speaker: Brooke Prentis,
Indigenous Christian Leader

Tickets \$22 |

There are still a few places left - RSVP today at www.tiny.cc/womenschristmasnight or the Book/Register button in the Church App.

COMING UP

➡ Carols On Clanville

Sat 14th Dec | 5:00pm to 9:00pm
Clanville Park, Roseville

We need many helpers to assist with this year's community Carols event. There are a wide range of ways to serve - for all ages!

Help is needed in the areas of set-up, kids activities (including craft, face painting, sideshow activities, nativity scene helpers), welcoming, candle distribution, and pack-up.

Sign up at www.tiny.cc/carolsvolunteers

In the online form you can let us know how long you would like to volunteer for and if you would prefer to do that at an earlier or later time in the afternoon/evening.

Please join in to serve the community and have some fun at the same time!

Also, donations for Anglicare's Toys 'n' Tucker, can be brought to Carols on Clanville.

For a list of suitable goods for donation please visit www.toysntucker.org.au/planning-collection.html#shopping-list

Nb. no chocolate please and all donations need to be unwrapped.

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➡ Christmas Services

Traditional Lessons & Carols

Sun 22nd Dec | 7:15pm | In the church

No 8am or 7pm services on this day.

Christmas Eve Tue 24th Dec | 6pm & 11pm

Christmas Day Wed 25th Dec | 8am & 10am



➡ Christmas Day Lunch at St Andrew's

Wed 25th December | 11.30am – 2.30pm

Christmas Lunch is free and is open to anyone who would like a little more company this Christmas.

Volunteers and donations are needed:

pre-Christmas Day coordinating team, Set-up and Pack-up, Food donations & prep, Serving, Greeting, and Financial donations - including 'Sponsor a Lunch' for \$25.

Volunteer/Sponsor & RSVP at

www.tiny.cc/christmasdayhelp OR simply

RSVP at **www.tiny.cc/christmaslunch**

or call Bambi Staveley on 0414 889 486

PLEASE PRAY

➡ Churchwide

Pray that the flyer for Carols at Clanville on Saturday 14th December and the Christmas services at St Andrew's will be warmly received in our local area. Pray that many will come to these events to celebrate the birth of Jesus.

➡ 8am

Pray for Judith Skingsley and her husband Brian as she experiences serious health issues. Thank God for the 'at-home' care Judith is receiving and for the arrival of their son Robert from Germany and Judith's sister from Scotland. Pray that they will know the gracious love of God.

➡ St Andrew's Ministries

Pray for the Wardens and the Parish Council as they meet regularly. Pray for wisdom as they consider the various matters before them so that as a parish we will glorify God.

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.

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

➡ Other

Pray for our Archbishop Glenn Davies and our regional Bishop Chris Edwards in all the responsibilities of their office. Pray that they will have wisdom in decision making and guiding of those in their care and everyone they interact with.

TEAR AUSTRALIA USEFUL GIFT CATALOGUE

We are pleased to let you know that last Sunday's TEAR Australia Useful Gift Catalogue promotion raised \$3,545 to support long-term development projects. Thank you to those who purchased a gift to help fight poverty and build a more just and compassionate world, and thank you to Margaret Bischoff for coordinating this appeal.

You can still access the catalogue at **www.usefulgifts.org** - a unique way to give worthwhile Christmas gifts this year.

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Stir up, Lord, the wills of
your faithful people, that they
may produce abundantly
the fruit of good works,
and receive your abundant
reward; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen.

MISSION & AID

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

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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.

Pray for Afar, Ethiopia, where there is continued fighting between the neighbouring tribes and the conflict even encroached on the hospital that Andrew was at recently.

Praise for the fistula patients who were successfully treated and pray for peace.

Praise God for the continued work in Barhirdar, Ethiopia. Thank God for the volunteer midwife teams; that the staff continue to excel in their work. Pray for the expansion of this work.

Pray for the future of the hospital in Tanzania and for the legal changes to NGO work - there is a lot to keep up with. Pray also for the transition to Tanzanian leadership at the hospital.

Thank God for the recent risky surgeries in Tanzania; that the patients are all recovering well.

Pray for the fistula surgical training committee that Andrew is chairperson of. There are over 60 trainees in 28 different countries and they have treated over 10,000 fistula patients all around the world. Praise God for this work.

SERMON NOTES

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

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE PRAYERS

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 can be
texted to 0416 874 993.

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Bibles in the following languages are available on the display cabinet at the entrance to the church:

Korean, Hindi and Chinese

한국어 성경은 교회 입구의 책상 위에 있습니다.

चर्च के प्रवेश द्वार पर हिंदी बाइबल्स अलमारी में उपलब्ध हैं।

如需参考汉语圣经,欢迎从入口旁的矮柜上自取

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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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