

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

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**SUNDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2021**  
**WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE**

We are a church that loves Jesus and wants  
the good news of His death and resurrection proclaimed  
to all people, so that they can believe in Him.

If you would like to know more about following Jesus or about  
our church, please use [www.standrews.net.au/git](http://www.standrews.net.au/git) to Get in Touch.

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IN NEWS

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around St Andrew's*

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# COMMUNITY WATCH

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## FOUNDATION DAY - 31 OCTOBER 2021

On Sunday October 31st we will be celebrating our 2021 Foundation Day – an annual event during which we recognise and give thanks for God's incredible blessings to us, both spiritual and material. Everything we own comes from Him. Giving thanks, we especially look beyond ourselves in support of mission and aid causes through prayer and financial support.

Having emerged from a second wave of COVID-19 we can be so thankful for the blessings of peace and prosperity and for our advanced medical and health systems that have minimised its impact. With the technology available and through our passionate ministry teams we have remained connected even though we can't meet face to face. Praise God!

In the lead up to Foundation Day 2021 please consider how we may reflect God's love through our blessing of others facing tough challenges with poor health, poverty and constraints to their ministries where the effects of the Pandemic have been far greater.

This year we hope to raise at least \$235,000 of which 80% will be tax deductible. Therefore each donor will receive a tax receipt for 80% of the amount donated.

The projects we are supporting this year have close associations with St Andrew's and a balance between gospel mission and Christ centred aid.

Each of the five beneficiaries will receive an equal share of the amount raised.

🕯 **Zambia's Child** – to help alleviate poverty in Zambia, primarily through quality Christian education and community development activities.  
[www.zambiaschild.ngo](http://www.zambiaschild.ngo)

🕯 **Bec Choi** – working in the Anglican Diocese of Bathurst under Bishop Mark Calder bringing the gospel to women and families in the rural parish of Blayney. [www.bathurstanglican.org.au/blayney/](http://www.bathurstanglican.org.au/blayney/)

🕯 **Barbara May Foundation** – supporting Dr Andrew Browning as he builds maternity health care in sub-Saharan Africa and heals marginalised women injured through childbirth in desolate communities regardless of race, religion or financial capacity. [www.barbaramayfoundation.com](http://www.barbaramayfoundation.com)

🕯 **Anglican Youthworks** – seeking to build an effective youth and children's ministry in every church. [www.youthworks.net](http://www.youthworks.net)

🕯 **International Care Ministries (ICM)** – providing help, hope and change to ultra-poor families in the Philippines through scalable partnerships with the local church.  
[www.caremin.com](http://www.caremin.com)

As God's dearly loved children, empowered by the same spirit that raised Jesus from the dead and who lives within us, we are called to do good in a broken world and to bring light and love where there is much darkness and need.

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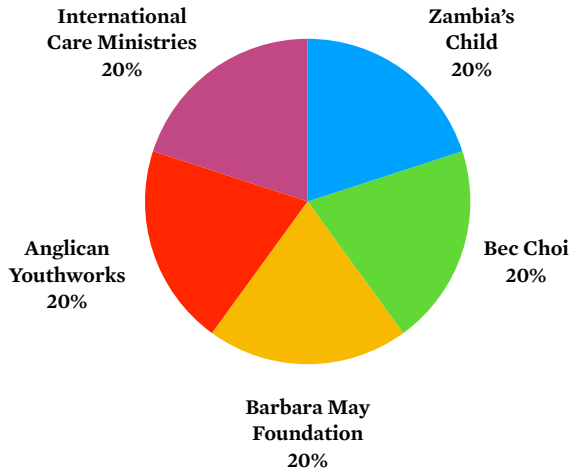
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So let us all prayerfully consider how much we can cheerfully donate to this year's Foundation Day Appeal as we meet online on Sunday 31st October at 10:30am or following.

Blessings,

**Andrew Killen**

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## COMING UP

### 🕒 Saturday Morning Bushwalk - 30 October

Enjoy a morning bushwalk in Garigal National Park in the Forestville area with other church members. We will begin the walk on the Carroll Creek Track, then quickly join the forested Casuarina Track and follow it down to Davidson Park and Middle Harbour. The route is then along the Lyrebird Track until it meets the Carroll Creek Track which is followed back to the start. The walk is around 9.5km and will take up to 3 hours. Moderate fitness is required. Please wear appropriate footwear and bring water, hat and sunscreen. Meet at the corner of Ferguson St and Woodlands Rd Forestville by 7:30am where there is plenty of street parking.

It will be helpful if you could indicate your intention to do the walk by texting Peter Mackay on 0405505469. Relevant COVID restrictions will be carefully followed.

### 🕒 Zambia's Child Gala Dinner - 30 October

Zambia's Child will hold its 6th Annual Gala Dinner this year, on Saturday 30th October. It will be their second major 'Online Event', due to the current COVID-19 restrictions. The event will be an easy way for you to see the latest videos filmed at Ipalo Christian School (ICS), including interviews with staff, parents and students, and pictures of the new classroom module, science

lab and solar power connection which have been erected since the 2020 Gala Dinner.

You can do this in the comfort of your own home: log-in to the event will open at 7:45pm, and formalities will commence at 8pm.

Click on the link below for registration (\$10 per household, which will be used towards operating costs at ICS in Zambia) - <https://zambiaschild.ngo/galadinner/>

More details and information will be sent to those who have registered closer to the night. There is no registration fee for viewers outside Australia.



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## FAMILY ZOOM - SUNDAY 17 OCTOBER

Our St Andrew's Families are continuing to gather over zoom every two weeks during lockdown. Join us for an opportunity to see and connect with one another, have some fun and pray together.

Keeping our kids connected to God's people is so important in this time - we look forward to seeing you there!

Click [here](#) for the Zoom link.

Meeting ID: 860 6962 4556 / Passcode: 327295



## THIS WEEK'S TIP FROM THE EAG...

Ever heard of Wish-cycling? Does the following describe you? You don't want to add more waste to the planet, so you toss your tricky item in your recycling bin, hoping it'll get recycled.

Unfortunately, simply wishing for something to be recyclable doesn't make it so. Wish-cycling might start with the best of intentions, but it's one of the biggest issues facing waste management today.

## QUICK LINKS TO EVENTS & RESOURCES

- St Andrew's Roadmap to return on-site  
[Roadmap video from Mal](#)  
[Roadmap to return on-site \(PDF\)](#)
- Wednesday Prayer Meetings 7am & 7pm  
[tiny.cc/7AMPPrayer](https://tiny.cc/7AMPPrayer)  
[tiny.cc/7PMPPrayer](https://tiny.cc/7PMPPrayer)
- Kids & Families Daily Devotions  
[tiny.cc/StAR-YT](https://tiny.cc/StAR-YT)
- Growing Disciples Daily Devotions  
[www.growingdisciples.net.au](https://www.growingdisciples.net.au)
- Southern Cross Magazine - October edition  
<https://magazine.sydneyanglicans.net/>

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## PRAY

➡ Please pray for Don Hodges as he continues his recovery from throat surgery, giving thanks to God for a good outcome and for Judy's loving support throughout this season.

➡ Give thanks to God for our State's 'opening up' phase after a long COVID Lockdown, asking that God would continue to give wisdom to all those charged with responsibility of providing advice and making decisions on the way forward. Please pray for our school leaders and teachers as they adjust to a new timetable for opening up, for parents as they adjust to new family routines, and for our church leaders as they continue to make decisions for our next steps.

➡ Pray for mission opportunities as we come out of lockdown. May seeds planted through our online ministries grow to bring much fruit for God's kingdom. May God bless those who have connected with us in this season with the confidence to join us in person!

➡ Pray for our kids and young people as they return to school in the coming weeks. May God gift them peace in the transition back to the classroom and safety over all involved. Please pray for the many principals and teachers in our schools as well, that God may sustain them through to the end of term 4.

### PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look on our infirmities; and in all our dangers and necessities stretch out your right hand to help and defend us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

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# MISSION & AID

## BEN LIM - SYDNEY UNIVERSITY



Sydney Uni has announced that classes and exams will be online for the rest of the year.

Praise God for online AnCon in August - the refreshing Bible teaching from Rowan and time together in online small groups helped strengthen euFOCUS's connection as a Christian community. It was very helpful as we continue online ministry.

Please pray for perseverance, wisdom and strength for Ben and the euFOCUS Team (staff and student leaders) to make the most of the opportunities of online ministry.

Pray for wisdom and grace for Ben to pastor & serve, teach, lead & train the team well.

Please pray that international students will be sustained by God through online learning while away from their families and that euFOCUS is a loving community for them where they grow to know and love Jesus more deeply.

Pray especially for Jerry and Brian in the Explore group - that they'd keep reading the Bible and come to a personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Pray for the launch of the Online Social Media Outreach to help international students in Dealing With Life's Pressures, to build relationships with students and invite them to read the Bible with us.

Please pray that many Christian students would be bold in inviting friends, via posting in student groups, to hear of God's love through the bible.

Give thanks for the online Project 200 workshop (<https://fb.me/e/VYqrsbSA>) to help students and graduates consider vocational ministry. Pray that God will raise up labourers for his harvest fields- especially in less-reached and less-resourced places.

Give thanks for some rest on leave during the school holidays. It has been refreshing to enjoy some beautiful weather with the family without the pressure of juggling home schooling and working!

Give thanks that Sian and I are fully vaccinated and even Elias (12 years old) has had his first shot.

Pray for strength and energy for Sian and me as term 4 begins and school students return to the classroom, amidst all the challenges involved.

October is the EU Graduates Fund Supporters Month - more info on resources and gatherings here: <http://www.gradsfund.org/supporters>

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**Korean, Hindi and Chinese Bibles are available on the display cabinet at the entrance to the church:**

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 box at the back of the church. 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.

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