

# St Andrew's

## ROSEVILLE

19 NOVEMBER 2023

### 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 St Andrew's, please visit our website - [www.standrews.net.au](http://www.standrews.net.au)

### Coming Up

**23rd Nov** - Church wide Prayer & Praise Night (led by Revive)

**25th Nov** - Working Bee  
8.30am - 12.30pm

**25th Nov** - Revive Formal

**9th Dec** - Carols on Clanville

**17th Dec** - 9.30am morning service, 6pm Lessons and Carols

**24th Dec** - 6pm family service, 11pm communion service

**25th Dec** - 8.30am communion service, 10.30am family service

**31st Dec** - 9.30am service ONLY

### Summer Services

9.30am and 6.00pm

### STAFF PLANNING DAYS AWAY

This week all the staff went away to Leura to plan for the 10 weeks Mal will be away on long service leave, and looking ahead to next year. It was a productive and a great opportunity for the staff to get to know each other better. Please pray for Mal that his time off will be a great opportunity to rest and refresh, and for safe travels for all the Yorks.



### WORKING BEE

On Saturday 25th November we are holding a working bee 8.30am-12.30pm. Please consider coming along and helping to put up Christmas decorations and tidy up the site. Light refreshments will be served. Many hands make light work!





## Mission Partner of the week - Malcolm & Leanne with CMS

Please be praying for Malcolm and Leanne and their ministry with CMS, serving in Vietnam.

- Give thanks for the introduction to the marriage course and for the people who are keen to think more about their marriages.
- Give thanks for the 5 enthusiastic students allocated to our church for this academic year.
- Give thanks that our classes seem to be going well this semester.
- Pray for the students who have chicken pox to recover quickly and not pass it on.
- Pray for us as we try and deal with significant curriculum and other issues with the board (who just doesn't seem to have time to meet).
- Pray for a new student who has just arrived (week 6!). That he can catch up with lessons and community life.

## SOUTHERN CROSS NOVEMBER- DECEMBER ISSUE

[https://issuu.com/sydneyanglicans/docs/sc23\\_11-12?fr=sOGUwODYzMDQ5NjM](https://issuu.com/sydneyanglicans/docs/sc23_11-12?fr=sOGUwODYzMDQ5NjM)

## PRAYER POINTS

*Please pray for the Kids and Youth ministries of the church:*

- For Xtreme that meets on Friday afternoons, for Play Group that meets during the week, and for the Sunday Kids Church programs that happen at 10:30am and 5pm.
- Pray that God will sustain Mel Bell and her team as they minister to our kids.
- For Revive that meets on Friday evenings and for the gathering of youth at the 5pm service.
- Pray that God will sustain Indira Ryan and her team, as they minister to our youth.

*Please pray for our Maturity:*

- That we will be a church that aims to help people grow in their relationship with Jesus.
- Pray for the small groups and their leaders.
- That people will use the 'growing disciples' resources to grow in their personal relationships with each other.
- That people will look to join small groups and meet one to one with each other, to grow in our understanding of the bible.
- Pray that as the Bible is taught week to week, that the preaches will be faithful to the word of God and that God's Spirit might work powerfully amongst us.
- Pray that people notice a difference in their lives, as a result of God working in them, through the ministry of St Andrew's.

*Please pray for the global Church:*

- Please pray for the many churches around the world that face persecution daily.
- Pray for those churches that are growing quickly – like in China, India and Africa.
- Pray for those churches who are lacking resources and help us be willing to support those who are in need.
- Pray for the continual spread of the gospel around the world and that God will use his church to see this happen.

*Please pray for each other:*

- For the 5pm congregation:
- *That their love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that they may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless until the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ – to your glory and praise. AMEN*

*Please pray for...*

- *Neville Lamb from our 10.30am congregation who is currently in hospital*

*If you have any prayer points that you would like shared with our church community, please let the staff know so they can be included in the newsletter.*

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

The preferred method for contributing to the ministry and operational costs of St Andrew's is via regular EFT giving to:

**BSB 032 086**

**Account 387 248**

**St Andrew's Roseville**

Cash/cheque contributions can be made via the offertory collection boxes inside the church (no funds are kept on site).

For enquiries about financial matters, please contact our Treasurer, David Vidilini via [accounts@standrews.net.au](mailto:accounts@standrews.net.au).

## SAFE MINISTRY

We take safety seriously at St Andrew's and we are committed to the physical, emotional and spiritual welfare of those in our care. If you have questions or concerns please contact our (voluntary) Safe Ministry Representative, Megan Webster at [safeministry@standrews.net.au](mailto:safeministry@standrews.net.au).

## ST ANDREW'S IS A NUT FREE ZONE

Please be mindful of those with nut allergies and do not bring anything containing nuts to church.



## TOYS 'N' TUCKER

We are doing Toys 'n' Tucker again this year! This is a wonderful way to share the joy of Christmas with people in need. Times are hard and uncertain. By giving a little extra, you can make a big difference!

There will be flyers up the back of the church, please feel free to take some and pass them on to anyone who might be interested in contributing.

To find out what sorts of items you can donate, please take a flyer from church or scan the QR code below.

Please bring your donated items to the office, and contact Amelia if you have any questions, via [office@standrews.net.au](mailto:office@standrews.net.au)



<https://toysntucker.org.au/>

## CHRISTMAS CAROL SINGING AT KOPWA

Would you like to bring some joy and Christmas hope into the lives of the residents at Kopwa aged care in Roseville? Can you play an instrument or just sing along with well known carols? Come and join us on Thursday 21st December at 2pm for a special time of carols and bible readings for Christmas, bringing the message of hope in Jesus to the elderly residents. Please contact Ros Birt at [rosbirt70@gmail.com](mailto:rosbirt70@gmail.com) or 0402747716 to express your interest and further details will be provided.

## MEN'S BOOKCLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

On the first Friday of each month, a group of men from St Andrew's meet up to discuss books they have been reading. The group would like to extend an invitation to men at St Andrew's to their Christmas party on Friday 1st December 6pm at the Great Northern Hotel. Spouses and partners are welcome to attend. Please RSVP to Stew Birt or Andrew Muller so they know how big a table to book.  
Stew 0402 911 638 | Andrew 0449 896 100

## COMING UP AT REVIVE

Sunday 19th November: **Youth Serving Training 3-5pm**

Saturday 25th November: **Revive Formal (Years 10-12)**

Register here: <https://tiny.cc/formal23>

**SUMMER CAMP!** 15th-19th January 2024

Register here: <https://standrews.elvanto.com.au/form/95615784-33cb-43f5-a5ba-70cb969c54a7>

ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE KIDS

**Playgroup**

Thursdays 10am-12pm

**Xtreme**

Years 4-6

Fridays 3.15pm-5pm

**StAR Kids program**

Sundays 10.30am & 5pm

ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE YOUTH

**REVIVE**

Fridays 6.30pm-8.30pm

**Youth Bible Study**

Sundays 10.30am & 5pm

**STAFF MOVEMENTS**

**Mel Bell leave:** 17th-19th November

**Mal York long service leave:**

20th November - 28th January

*Rev. Greg Olliffe will be our interim  
rector during this time*

**STAFF TEAM:**

Senior Minister  
Senior Assistant Minister  
Assistant Minister  
Children's Minister  
Youth Minister  
Ministry Support Coordinator  
Assistant Children's Minister  
Office



**Keep an eye out for the sign-up sheet for Carols on Clanville!**

Congratulations Mimi Poole and Tim Shumack from our 6:45pm congregation who were married at St Andrew's on Friday 10th November.



Congratulations Richard and Sue Grellman from our 5pm congregation with were married at St Mark's Darling Point on the 11th November.



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