

# St Andrew's ROSEVILLE

## SUNDAY 14TH JULY 2024

### 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

**Sat 13th July** - Bush walk  
1pm - *please see page 4 for updated details*

**Sun 14th July** - John Dickson preaching

**Tue 16th July** - First Hymn Project Fundraiser 7pm

**Mon 22nd July** - "Making sense of Acts" 7.30pm

### Staff Leave

**Indira Ryan** - 5th - 15th July

**Mel Bell** - 13th - 16th July

**Amelia Ross** - 19th July

### NESS VISITS BLAYNEY & MILLTHORPE

It was my joy and privilege to head out to the Central West over the weekend, to preach at the Blayney and Millthorpe parishes. As you know, Bec Choi has been one of our Mission and Aid partners for a number of years, needing to self-fund as she ministers in the Bathurst diocese under the leadership of Mark Calder. The Senior Minister of Blayney/Millthorpe has gone on paternity leave, leaving Bec with 5 Sundays of preaching to cover, which is no small task for a part-time minister! I was glad to be of service to her and the parishes we support through her ministry. I preached on James 1:19-27, and it was a wonderful opportunity for me to see the link between Amos and James; God has always cared about injustice and has always expected that his people would care for the poor and vulnerable! No surprise, but a wonderful encouragement for me, nonetheless. While I was there, Bec announced to their congregation the result of our Mission and Aid giving and the audible sounds of shock and delight at the money we raised for her, was something quite special to witness. You can see the work of revitalising these parishes is well under way. Praise God, indeed!

In Christ,  
Ness Hughes



*Ness with her sister, Bec Choi*



*Parish of Millthorpe*



*Parish of Blayney*



*Morning tea at Blayney*

## MISSION PARTNER OF THE WEEK: UNDECEPTIONS



*Please be praying for John Dickson and his team at Undeceptions*

- Pray for John as he preaches at all four services at St Andrew's this Sunday
- Pray for John, Lyndie and the rest of the team as they prepare for the First Hymn Project fundraiser next week
- Pray that the night would be encouraging to the supporters of Undeceptions and the First Hymn Project
- Praise God for the opportunities to do live podcasts around Australia this month
- Praise God for the partnership between St Andrew's and Undeceptions, and for the opportunities that John and Buff have to catch up with friends and family while they are visiting Australia

## PRAYER POINTS

*Please pray for the work of Scripture in Schools resuming in term 3:*

- For Scripture at Roseville Public and Killara High School.
- That the students will grow in their understanding of Jesus and that it might cause them to attend a local church with their families.
- For those who teach the students and pray that God will sustain them as they do so.

*Please pray for our Belonging to one another:*

- That we will be a church that helps people who come to feel they belong
- Pray for wisdom as we welcome people on site and that every member of the church will be looking to welcome and include new people
- Pray especially for our welcome programs such as the 'belonging' and 'newish' lunches. Pray that we might become a church that looks to show hospitality to one another and build authentic relationships with each other.
- Pray that we will be known as a church that loves Jesus and each other.

*Please pray for all Churches in Australia:*

- For the many churches that meet, not just in Sydney, but around Australia.
- Pray for the salvation of Australians and pray that Australian churches may be a good witness of the Lord Jesus Christ.
- Pray that God will protect the churches in Australia from false teaching and protect those who minister in them from the work of the evil one.
- Pray that the churches of Australia might unite under the Lordship of Jesus Christ, by his Spirit, so that we can show a unified message of Salvation.

*Please pray for each other:*

- For the 10:30am congregation

That out of God's glorious riches, will be strengthened with power through your Spirit in their inner being, so that Christ may dwell in their hearts through faith. And we pray that they, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge – that they may be filled to the measure of all your fullness. **AMEN.**

*If you have any prayer points that you would like included in the newsletter, please tell a staff member or email [office@standrews.net.au](mailto:office@standrews.net.au)*

## 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).

## 2024 Parish Council & Wardens

### Wardens

Alys Martin (10.30am)

Luke Hall (10.30am)

Aaron Black (5pm)

### Treasurer

David Vidilini (10.30am)

### Parish Council

Ursula Keen (8.30am)

Narelle Barbarino (10.30am)

Helen Vernon (10.30am)

Andrew Loel (10.30am)

Adrian Perry (10.30am)

Cameron Robertson (5pm)

Craig Roberts (6.45pm)

Ed Shaw (6.45pm)

## FIRST HYMN PROJECT FUNDRAISER

**Date: Tuesday 16th July**

**Time: 7 - 8.30pm**

**Venue: St Andrew's Roseville**

Join us for a light supper and a glass of wine.

**Please RSVP to this event by emailing [office@standrews.net.au](mailto:office@standrews.net.au) BEFORE COB FRIDAY (12th)**

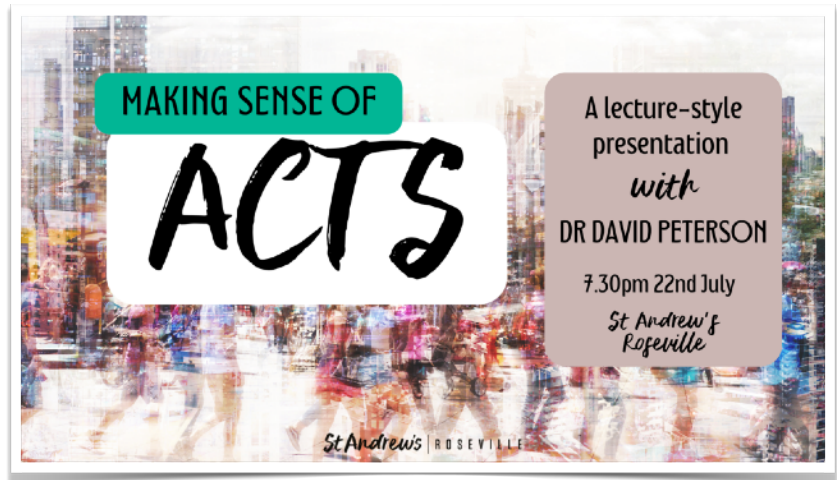
Join founder and host John Dickson as he introduces The First Hymn Project, an exciting insight into the discovery of the oldest Christian hymn, including lyrics and music. Watch the latest footage as this ancient artefact is resurrected as a new praise song for a 21st-century

## MAKING SENSE OF ACTS LECTURE

**Monday 22nd July 7.30pm at St Andrew's.**

Come along for a lecture-style presentation on the book of Acts, delivered by Dr David Peterson.

This will be a really helpful introduction to our sermon series in Acts (focusing on chapters 12-20) which we will start this Sunday.



## SOUND DESK TRAINING

On **Friday 19th July 7pm** Matt from Turramurra Music is coming to run a training session for the sound desk at church. The evening will be a chance to train people in how to use the sound desk. We need more help in all our services with the sound desk, so if you would like to be trained in this and serve in this area, **please book the night in your diary and let Mal ([mal.york@standrews.net.au](mailto:mal.york@standrews.net.au)) know that you will be coming.**

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SUPPORTERS EVENING

## 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 to church containing nuts.



## LOST PROPERTY

There is a growing collection of lost property in Amelia's office. If you have lost anything recently please contact [office@standrews.net.au](mailto:office@standrews.net.au)

## CATCHING UP WITH THE BROWNING'S

On Friday the 5th of July, Mal and Heather York caught up with our Mission and Aid Sunday partner Andrew Browning and his wife Stephanie who have had a long association with St Andrew's. During the dinner we also met Miss S, who is a missionary teaching in a missionary school in Kenya. While she is of Kenyan descent, she grew up in America in a Muslim family. She became a Christian which led her to becoming a teacher and meeting Andrew and Stephanie while they were living in Africa and is now looking at a partnership with pioneers Australia as she continues her work in Kenya. Andrew and Stephanie know Heather's brother and sister-in-law, Graham and Linda Poole, who were missionary doctors in South Sudan for 7 years. Praise God for our continued partnership with them.



## CHURCH BUSH WALK - UPDATED DETAILS

Are you interested in a Church bush walk on a Saturday afternoon? Join us for a guided walk at Stony Range Botanic Garden in Dee Why.

**When: Saturday July 13, 1:00pm**

**Where: Stony Range Botanic Garden in Dee Why**

The Stony Range walk is shorter and easier, and suitable for all ages including children. One of the volunteer guides will be leading our walk.

To continue fellowship with your fellow walkers, please bring a snack for afternoon tea in the picnic area at the end of the walk.

Here is a google maps link:

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/PfCQx6Defsm8GgaT6>

And more details here:

<https://www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/things-to-do/recreation-area/stony-range-regional-botanic-garden>

**It would be helpful if you could indicate your intention to walk by sending a text to: Nick Barbarino - 0414521575**

*Please note, the walk was originally scheduled to be at Manly Dam, however as there has been lots of heavy rain recently, areas of the track are impassable.*



**ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE KIDS**

**Playgroup**

Taking a break for school holidays

**Xtreme**

Taking a break for school holidays

**StAR Kids program**

Sundays 10.30am (lite)

**ST ANDREW'S ROSEVILLE YOUTH**

**REVIVE**

Taking a break for school holidays

**Jnr Youth Bible Study**

Taking a break for school holidays

**Youth are encouraged to attend church services with their families**

**STAFF DAYS OFF**

Mal York - Fridays

Scott Warner - Tuesdays

Ness Hughes - Wed, Fri, Sat

Mel Bell - Tuesdays

Indira Ryan - Tuesdays

Emily Tong - Tue, Thurs, Sat, Sun

Amelia Ross - Saturdays, Sundays

**STAFF TEAM:**

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

**NATIONAL GRANDPARENT CONFERENCE**

This conference focuses on equipping and encouraging grandparents who have a desire to leave a living faith legacy for their grandchildren.

**National GRANDPARENT CONFERENCE**  
 Leaving a Living Legacy

**Registrations Open!**  
 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024  
 ST PAUL'S CASTLE HILL  
 A day of inspiration and encouragement in person and online

This conference focuses on equipping and encouraging grandparents who have a desire to leave a living faith legacy for their grandchildren. An exceptional range of speakers will share their insights and experiences; Rev. Ian Barnett, Andrea Musulin, Rev. Dr. Graham Cole, Susy Lee, Rev. Archie Poulos and via a video message, John Lennox.

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**FAMILY MATTERS SEMINAR**

9.00am - 4.00pm | 15 Aug 2024 | Online only

Register here: <https://www.singleminded.community/singleparents>

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