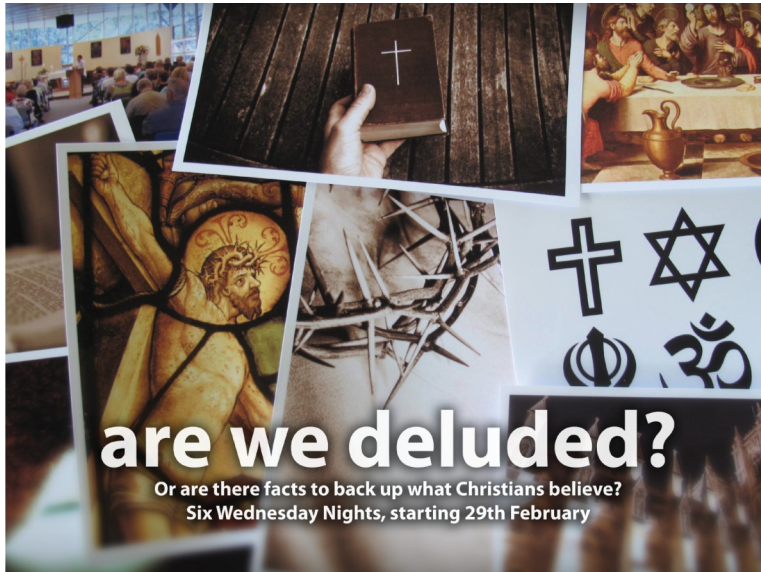




Featured News



are we deluded?

Or are there facts to back up what Christians believe?
Six Wednesday Nights, starting 29th February

Join us for 6 nights as we explore these fundamental questions:

- Feb 29: Aren't all religions much the same?**
- Mar 7: Why take the Bible seriously?**
- Mar 14: Jesus, a real figure of history?**
- Mar 21: Jesus, was he who he said he was?**
- Mar 28: Jesus crucified, true?**
- Apr 4: Jesus resurrected, for real?**

Starts 29th February (7-8pm) at 17 William Street, Tewantin

Welcome

Welcome! If you're new to the area or to church—please complete our contact card.

Mid-week services throughout Lent—for worship and prayer Wed 8am—Communion, 5pm Evening prayer—Tewantin.

Lenten studies—this Wednesday night—7pm, Tewantin—“Aren't all religions much the same?” The Rev Peter Stedman was Mark's assistant minister, and is now Rector of Northwest Anglican Church in Sydney. Please use our flyers to invite others. Don't miss out!

Small groups—please speak to Adam if you would like to join a small group.

The World Day of Prayer—St Mary's on Fri March 2nd at 10 am. The service this year has been prepared by Christians in Malaysia and our Rector Mark Calder, will be our speaker.

Great time of music and stories as we honour Ian Farrington and show our love and support for Michelle—at Tewantin—Sun 11th March, 11.00am onwards. Further details to follow. Inquiries to John Beaufooy or Jim Pultz.

BCA boxes—It's box opening time again—could all boxes be brought in for opening during March. Anyone who would like a box to support BCA and its wonderful work, contact Helen Fenton or Lyn Norris.

Babysitting—a young couple from 4.30pm service would love a substitute Grandma to care for their children so they can attend a small group together on a Thursday night. Speak to Mark.

Maundy Thursday—Last Supper/Lord's Supper—Mary Couché is looking for people to help with cooking, other catering, table hosts, set up and pack up. Ph 5442 4039.

Course for anyone working with people at risk of **suicidal thoughts** and plans—see Mary Couché. Ph 5442 4039.

Rector writes

Dear Friends,
At our Annual Meeting yesterday, I focused on four words—partnership, confidence, generosity and prayer. *Partnership*—because I highly value your partnership with me in ministry; *confidence* because I'm completely confident that the Lord will bring to completion what he's started among us; *generosity* because I pray that the Lord will make us an extraordinarily generous people and *prayer* because I believe we need to pray more!

I trust that if you weren't with us yesterday afternoon, you will take the opportunity to read my report and indeed all the reports made available.

I also presented our mission plan for the year, under the three key headings “Evangelism, Discipleship and Mission”. This document sets out all that the parish council, Adam and I believe we ought attempt for God's glory. It would be wonderful to know that you are familiar with it and that you use it regularly to inform and fuel your prayers. Elected to serve us this year were:

Churchwardens: John Butterworth, Eddie Forth (I have yet to appoint someone).

Parish Council: the *wardens*, the *nominators* (David Vos, John Butterworth and Chris Ivey), the *synod reps* (John Butterworth and Philip Calder), plus: Donna Best, Gillian Gilbert, Rob Kenney, Don Turkington, Petrus Habermehl, Ray Jackson, Anne Jobling, Trish Mortley, Frank Taylor, and Harvey Williams.

We are very grateful to God for such an able team and I look forward to working with them with our Lord's help and blessing.

Mark **The Rev Mark Calder**

BCA Bush & Bible day



The Rev Mark Short (BCA Nat. Dir.)

Unbroken Partnership:
Serving together in God's mission



The Rev Dale Barclay
Growing a new church

Sat 10th March, Northpine Anglican church 10am-3pm
RSVP by 7th March to 3349 9081 or
marj@bushchurchaid.com.au



Sermon

Mark 9

This is my Son whom I love: Listen to Him

A) ON THE MOUNTAIN GLORY (9:2-13)

- i) What is this all about? Jesus is God
- ii) What is this all about? Humans and God

B) OFF THE MOUNTAIN SUFFERING (9:14-32)

- i) Jesus and the way of suffering
- ii) Us and the way of suffering

C) ACCESSING THE PRESENCE OF GOD

- i) Helplessness not Holiness
- ii) Giving not Grabbing
- iii) Knowing not Knowledge

Please Pray

Pray for those who aren't well at present – for Wendy Channing Pearce, Patsy Chapman, David and Robyn Vos, Isabella Richardson (and her parents David and Ry), Jack Symonds, Sue Devlin.

Praise God for the opportunity to prepare for Easter throughout Lent and pray that through whatever we give up or take up, we will be drawn in to a deeper understanding of the profound

sacrifice the Lord Jesus made for us.

Pray for the presentation on Wednesday night "Aren't all religions much the same" - that many will come and that all will leave with a clear understanding of the absolute uniqueness of the Lord Jesus and the Christian faith.

Ask the Lord to strengthen and sustain the Rev Simon Keith and Heather and the children as they enter their last weeks in Kootingal. Pray for a great sense of peace

and calm and that the stress and tension involved in moving will be minimal for them.

Thank the Lord for another extraordinary gift from an anonymous donor and for wisdom in deciding where to allocate the funds.

Praise the Lord for a great annual meeting on Saturday and pray for those who have been elected to serve us that they might do so with great servant hearts and gospel focus.

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Sunday services

Sunshine Beach

7.30am

Holy Communion: traditional

4.30pm

Family church: come as are you are

Tewantin

9.15 for 9.30am start

Contemporary service
with children's ministry

Bible readings

Today—1st in Lent

Genesis 9:8-17 (7.30am only)

Psalms 25:1-10 (7.30am only)

1 Peter 3:18-22

Mark 9

Next Sunday—2nd in Lent

Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16 (7.30am)

Psalms 22:24-32 (7.30am only)

Romans 4:13-25

Mark 10

For more information contact the church office during office hours, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9am-2.30pm.

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