

Weekly Prayers

GIVE THANKS FOR

For the wonder of the coming of Jesus into his world as a human baby, for his life, death and resurrection, giving us assurance of our salvation. All praise to our God!
Our life in Christ through God's faithfulness, patience and love, for all the blessings of the past and his promise for the future.
The faithful ministry of God's word to us.
Creation and the good things we enjoy.
Those in our prayer list who have improved.

FOR OUR CHURCH

Pray for all attending our services and those who access our services online, that many may be convicted, encouraged and blessed.
For Jodie, Graham, Brad, Gemma, Jacob and Sandee as they serve our congregations.
For ministry to our children and youth and for Brad and other leaders as they serve them.
Pray for God's provision to continue to meet all our financial needs and for wisdom for our Wardens and Parish Councillors in 2023.

FOR OUR VILLAGE, VALLEY AND REGION

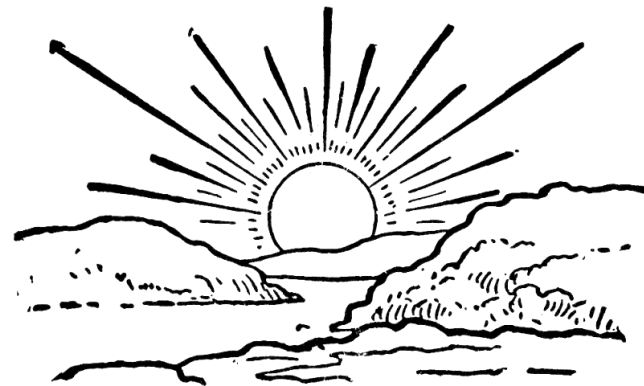
Evangelism in the parish - for new opportunities to relate to our community.
Pray for residents of Daltons Rd, Misty Lane, Burra Creek Rd.
Kiama Anglican Churches: Give thanks for a recent evangelism day and pray that we will be inspired to tell the story of the gospel in new and engaging ways across our community; Pray that many will respond to Christmas church events.

FOR FRIENDS IN SPECIAL NEED

For those known to us who are suffering sickness, grieving the loss of loved ones, or otherwise in need of our prayer support.

In our waiting we have the thrill of _____

We long for the return of Christ



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Chew on this...

How can we help each other wait for the return of Jesus?

The Thrill of Hope Christmas Day Luke 2:25-32, Romans 8:18-25

Jodie McNeill • 25 December 2022

What gives you a thrill?

The thrill of hope follows _____

Simeon was _____ for the Messiah



Coming up next Sunday 1st January

**I Believe in the Holy Spirit
Stephen Holmes**

Their waiting made them _____

Simeon knew the Messiah would come in his _____

God sent Simeon to the _____

Mary, Joseph and _____ were in the Temple

Simeon held his _____ in his arms



Simeon's _____ had begun with the coming of Jesus

The world still feels _____

The whole creation is _____ with waiting

We long for the day when there is no more _____

We wait with eager _____



FOR WORLD MISSION

For CMS - Pray for our Friend in the Middle East and her team, for encouragement, strength and God's sustaining in the face of weariness and stress, for good rest and energy; for new opportunities to share Jesus with those with whom they work. Give thanks with Adrian and Anita for their return to Australia for Home Service and pray that their reunion with family, friends and supporters will be a blessing for all
For Anglicare: Pray that many who have received the love of Jesus through Toys & Tucker will want to know more.
Pray for KBECET - Please pray for safety and the wellbeing of staff and students at KHS; Pray that they may look beyond self for strength and turn to King Jesus, our Rock and firm foundation.
For SRE: Pray that all children who attended SRE this year will celebrate Christmas with new understanding of its meaning.
Irish Church Missions: For Cameron and Alex Jones, keep praying for Alex's health and their continuing ministry in Dublin.
For Debra Baker's Chaplaincy ministry, praying that the team and staff will demonstrate God's love, teach God's word truthfully and faithfully and many will come to know Jesus as their King.

FOR THE WORLD

Pray for the people of Ukraine, for protection and relief from their suffering and the defeat of evil oppression; for Christians in Moldova, working long hours to bring material relief and a gospel hope to Ukrainian refugees; for all who are suffering pain, hardship and bereavement from floods, bushfire, drought, warfare, persecution, Coronavirus and other disasters around the world, that people everywhere might find peace, relief and comfort and for effective relief of their material and spiritual needs; that they might have opportunity to discover the comfort and security of a relationship with their Creator.
For wisdom for Anthony Albanese, Peter Dutton, Fiona Philips and all federal members that they will work to promote the welfare of all in our society.