

ARE YOU IN SYDNEY THIS WEEK?

Moore Theological College in Newtown trains most of the clergy in Sydney Diocese. This week the college is inviting people to Open Days on Tuesday 12th, Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th, 9am – 2:00pm, and Tuesday evening 7:00pm. This is a special opportunity to come into the college: visitors can join classes, tour the buildings, attend chapel, eat lunch in the dining room with current students, and have questions answered by faculty, staff, and students.

FOR VISITORS OR THOSE TRYING US OUT

We are so glad you have joined us today.

If you would like to know more about our church and its programs or you want to give feedback from your visit, please scan the QR code to share your contact details and we will be in contact.



LET'S SHARE OUR IDEAS!

Please send articles, ideas or general Christian information for inclusion in this news bulletin. Share your story in our monthly feature; alert us to Christian articles; tell us what is going on so we can grow and broaden in our Christian knowledge. Discuss ideas or suggestions with editor Ruth Edwards or assistant, Allan Pride. See the new directory for contact details. The deadline for articles is **9:00 am the Wednesday** before publication Sunday.



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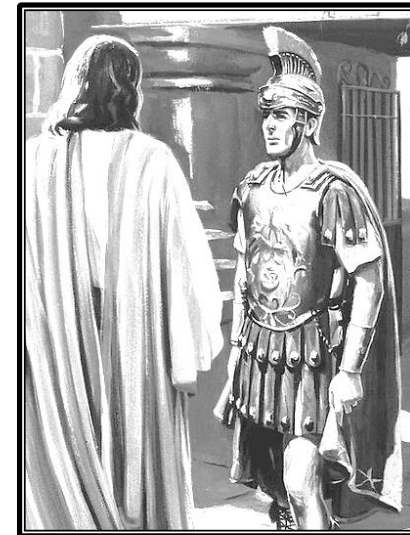
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SOUTH COAST ANGLICAN CHURCH



MILTON & ULLADULLA
*HERE FOR JESUS
HERE FOR THE COAST*



*We are glad you could join our Christian community today.
A special welcome to newcomers and visitors.*

10th May, 2026

Preacher: Aiden Sibrava

Title: Faithful

Readings: (1) Psalm 107:17-22 (2) Luke 7:1-10

St Martin's, Ulladulla @ 9 am & 4 pm
St Peter's and St Paul's, Milton @ 11 am

Luke 7:1 — 10

When Jesus had finished saying all this to the people who were listening, he entered Capernaum. 2 There a centurion's servant, whom his master valued highly, was sick and about to die. 3 The centurion heard of Jesus and sent some elders of the Jews to him, asking him to come and heal his servant. 4 When they came to Jesus, they pleaded earnestly with him, "This man deserves to have you do this, 5 because he loves our nation and has built our synagogue." 6 So Jesus went with them.

He was not far from the house when the centurion sent friends to say to him: "Lord, don't trouble yourself, for I do not deserve to have you come under my roof. 7 That is why I did not even consider myself worthy to come to you. But say the word, and my servant will be healed. 8 For I myself am a man under authority, with soldiers under me. I tell this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and that one, 'Come,' and he comes. I say to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it."

9 When Jesus heard this, he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd following him, he said, "I tell you, I have not found such great faith even in Israel." 10 Then the men who had been sent returned to the house and found the servant well.



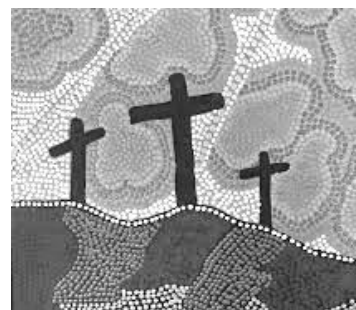
COMMUNITY INTEREST FORUM ~ TOMORROW!

Our next Community Interest meeting is tomorrow, **Monday 11 May, 7pm**. It will focus on local indigenous culture, country and history. We are fortunate to have Jayden Perry from the Ulladulla Land Council speaking along with Kathleen Heath from our Ulladulla congregation. Our aim is to help promote building bridges between our local community and the many who identify as indigenous from our local area. Contact Phillip Hellman, organiser. 0412351952



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NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK



National Reconciliation Week is coming up on 27 May to 3 June with the theme 'All In: Reciprocity as Reconciliation'.

National Reconciliation Week invites us to honour, listen deeply, and learn from our first nation peoples. It commenced as the Week of Prayer for Reconciliation in 1993, supported by Australia's major faith communities. Reflections and resources developed by indigenous Christian leaders are available at

<https://www.reconciliation.org.au/our-work/national-reconciliation-week/>.

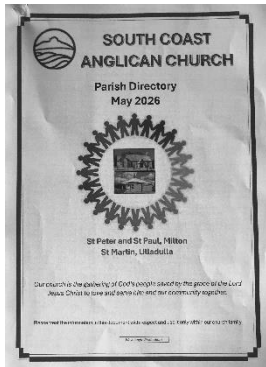
See also, <https://www.commongrace.org.au/>, a movement of people pursuing Jesus and justice.

OTHER EVENTS TO LOOK OUT FOR

UCEF trivia night, 30th May, With us! At St Martin's Ulladulla. Our UCEF representative is Steve Klouth, who is organising this trivia night. Speak to him if you can help out in any way – providing questions, moving furniture, providing or serving supper, decorations.....

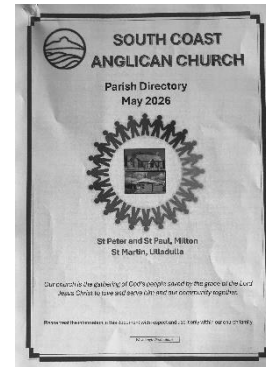
Donations to S-J's work at UHS can be made to UCEF BSB 032701 Ac 122963

Café Church at Milton Since the floor is being renovated, the Milton congregation will meet in the hall on **17th May**. Gill needs some helpers for a café church. Please ring her on 0414 244 604 if you can bake, clean, move furniture or have other suggestions.



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REGULAR EVENTS

Cake Sunday last Sunday of the month 10 am Milton Anglican Church
Open Door (ladies social group) every Tuesday 9.30 - 12.00 at Ulladulla.
All are welcome. Contact Lorna 0401 927 131

UCEF Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 1.30 - 2.30 pm at Ulladulla in school terms.
Contact Helen Wilford 0417 699 303

Prayer Meeting every Thursday, 3pm at Ulladulla. Contact Viv 0405 409 119

Friday Life for youth: Yr 5, 6 and high school. Every Friday, 3.30 - 6pm at Ulladulla in school terms. Contact Aiden 0417 699 303 or Steve 0423 395 429

Ladies Lunch, first Friday of each month, midday.

Contact Meg Hoogesteger 0417 669 962 for venue.

The Boys, fun and mateship for men. State of Origin Game 1, 27th May at the Ex-Servos. Contact Grant Emans 0407 918667.



AUTUMN GIFTS



It's autumn and the leaves are starting to fall. But not many leaves of our Giving Trees have gone yet. Please consider how much extra you can give to eradicate our budget deficit. Take an envelope to support paying our staff, outreach to young and old, photo-copying, buying resources, stationery, up-to-date technology and signage and maintaining our buildings so they are attractive and functional and we can deal with emergency repairs.



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‘You shield and care for your people like a mother eagle, like an eagle that stirs up its nest and hovers over its young, that spreads its wings to catch them, and carries them aloft.’ Deuteronomy 32:11

Jesus said: ‘Jerusalem, Jerusalem, how often I have longed to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings.’ Matt. 23:37

A PRAYER FOR FAMILIES

Visit, Lord, our homes and drive far from them all the snares of the evil one: let your holy angels dwell in them to preserve us in peace and may your blessing rest upon us evermore, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

PRAYER SPOT

Thank God for:

- blessings in family life and especially good mothers
- our church family here
- peace in our own country
- kids learning about Jesus in Friday Life and SRE classes
- new students who have joined Sarah-Jane’s SRE classes



Pray for:

- that matter weighing on your mind.
- Nathan Ross leaving this week to help build a new school facility in Zimbabwe.
- those in our congregations with ongoing health challenges and those dealing with family tensions.
- Students to be settled and positive in S-J’s classes and primary SRE classes.



- indigenous Christians and justice for indigenous people.
- peace in the Middle East and other war zones and Christians serving God in places of conflict.
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