

THANK YOU

A letter from the *Ulladulla & Districts Community Resources Centre*

“Please extend our sincere gratitude for your continued support in assisting clients within our community. Each year we are humbled by the growing need we see and deeply encouraged by the compassion and generosity shown by those who help us meet it.

We are truly grateful for the unwavering commitment of your congregation. Their ongoing support makes a meaningful difference in the lives of individuals and families we serve, and we could not do this work without them. Thank you for standing with us and for your continued dedication to helping others.”

Maria Mitchell, JP. (Manager)

ARE YOU NEW OR VISITING?

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.



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Bookshop: Open Mon – Fri 10 am – 4 pm

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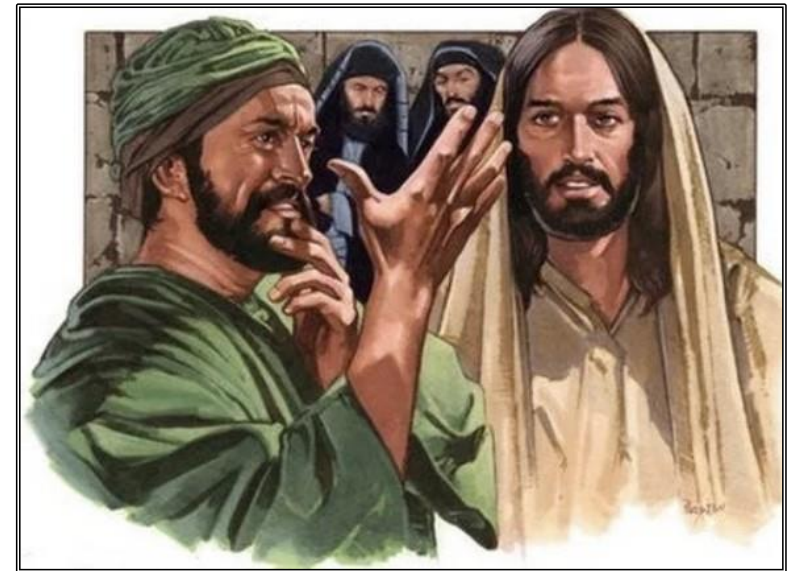
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SOUTH COAST ANGLICAN CHURCH



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.*

3rd May 2026

Preacher: Steven Klouth
An Injured Man

Readings: (1) Isaiah 58: 13,14 (2) Luke 6:1-11

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

LUKE 6: 1 - 11

One Sabbath Jesus was going through the grainfields, and his disciples began to pick some heads of grain, rub them in their hands and eat the kernels. ² Some of the Pharisees asked, "Why are you doing what is unlawful on the Sabbath?"

³ Jesus answered them, "Have you never read what David did when he and his companions were hungry? ⁴ He entered the house of God, and taking the consecrated bread, he ate what is lawful only for priests to eat. And he also gave some to his companions." ⁵ Then Jesus said to them, "The Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath."

⁶ On another Sabbath he went into the synagogue and was teaching, and a man was there whose right hand was shriveled. ⁷ The Pharisees and the teachers of the law were looking for a reason to accuse Jesus, so they watched him closely to see if he would heal on the Sabbath. ⁸ But Jesus knew what they were thinking and said to the man with the shriveled hand, "Get up and stand in front of everyone." So he got up and stood there.

⁹ Then Jesus said to them, "I ask you, which is lawful on the Sabbath: to do good or to do evil, to save life or to destroy it?"

¹⁰ He looked around at them all, and then said to the man, "Stretch out your hand." He did so, and his hand was completely restored. ¹¹ But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law were furious and began to discuss with one another what they might do to Jesus.

COMING EVENTS

Community Interest Forum. Monday 11th May, 7:00 pm. Focus on the local indigenous community, culture and history with Jayden Perry from the Ulladulla Land Council and Kathleen Heath from our Ulladulla congregation. Informative for church goers and general community alike. The aim is build bridges and promote understanding within all sectors of our local community.

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 0414 244 604 if you can bake, clean, move furniture or have other suggestions.

UCEF Trivia night, 30th May, With us! At St Martin's Ulladulla.

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

REGULAR EVENTS

Cake Sunday last Sunday of the month 10 am Milton Anglican Church.

Last week \$285 was raised.

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

Life Groups weekly or fortnightly. See noticeboard in foyer or passageway.

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 1, 27 May, Ex-Servos.

Contact Grant Emans. 0407 918667.

LET'S SHARE OUR IDEAS!

Please send articles, ideas or general Christian information for inclusion in this newsbulletin. 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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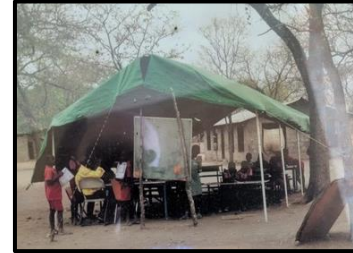
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Pray for:

- that matter weighing on your mind.
- Nathan Ross preparing for and soon undertaking a mission trip to Zimbabwe.
- those in our congregations with ongoing health challenges, especially Peter Snape, Sheila Gallant, Lorna Neill, and those dealing with family tensions.
- John Davidson convalescing after surgery for a fractured tibia.
- Resilience and effectiveness for Sarah Jane & primary SRE teachers.
- outreach to the needy through Safe Waters and the community breakfasts.
- meaningful & helpful connections through our next community forum.
- indigenous Christians and justice for indigenous people.
- peace in the Middle East & Christians serving God in places of conflict.
- persecuted Christians: 1 in 7 Christians worldwide are persecuted, with numbers in Africa, North Korea and Afghanistan much higher.
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the project as a world-class tourist destination. He worked with the local community to ensure that every step of the construction involved consultation with local indigenous people and focused on protecting the environment.

Ken sees himself as a friend helping to raise funds and deal with the bureaucracy. Ken says, They wanted the Cross raised on a mountain that's very significant to them, to declare the Name of Jesus over their land. They call this "The Forgiveness Cross". The Central Land Council spent years questioning everybody to ensure it was their will.'

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Individual Christians, moved by God, have donated to this project. The community has now created a beautiful platform; a prayer mountain where people can come no matter what their beliefs. 'When I take people out there,' says Ken, 'I don't try and tell them what they should see or feel. I just let God get their attention...This is an amazing place, somewhere we can all come together. I don't think there's ever been a more important time to focus on the God factor because the world's in trouble...It's not a single church or denomination who have built this. It's just a whole bunch of people who got behind the vision to bring the dream of the indigenous people to reality.' The cross was completed in September 2022.

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