



# WELCOME TO WORSHIP



Lutheran Church  
of Australia

## ST ANDREWS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcome to worship today.

Welcome! It is great to have you worshipping with us this morning. Please speak to one of our members if you need any help or assistance during our worship service today.

**14th January**

**Baptism of Jesus**

**This week's prayers - Please pray for:**

If you would like to know more about the Lutheran Church, or our congregation, please contact :

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Or, check out our website:

[www.standrewslutherangoldcoast.com](http://www.standrewslutherangoldcoast.com)

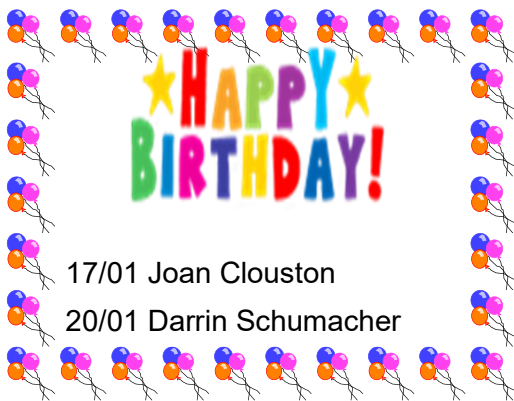
**CHURCH FAMILIES:** Hansoo, Lisa (Hamadian) and Oliver Kim; Ursula and Uwe Knop; Andrew, Karen and Michael Koehler; Rachel (Koehne), Warren, Ruby (and Troy) McLennan; Andres Kolec; Jack and Cheryl Kuhne; Edna and Rob Livett.

**Special Prayers:**

- Thank God for safety for all who have travelled over the school holidays. Pray for students, staff and families as they now prepare to return to school.
- Pray for those areas of our world which continue to be in conflict. Pray also for conflicts which exist between groups and within relationships around us. Ask God to give us and all people a desire for peace and the strength to work towards that.

**SOME PRAYER POINTS:**

- Praise God for the gift of Baptism, in which He makes us His own special children, creating a bond with us which He will never break.
- Ask God to help us to live as who He has made us to be; those loved by Him and now called to shine and share His love with others.
- Pray for all those who don't know God's love in their life, both those who have moved away from Him and those who have never had the opportunity to know Him.
- Bring to God the needs of any people you are worried about; those who are sick, lonely, grieving, struggling with any aspect of their life. May they know God's peace and comfort, and may we see how we can be God's hands of love towards them.
- Pray for our leaders, at all levels. Pray that all politicians, employers, and leaders in any other way will lead with hearts of justice and compassion for all.
- Thank God for all the blessings you have in your life; take the time to stop and think especially of those daily blessings which are easily taken for granted.
- Praise God for His unending love, and for sending Jesus to show us how great God's love for us really is!



17/01 Joan Clouston

20/01 Darrin Schumacher

### BIBLE READINGS

Genesis 1:1-5

Acts 19:1-7

Mark 1:9-15



Please go to our website for more information about our congregation and our activities.

### WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

DAY & TIME	EVENT	Person to see for more info
14/01 Sun 9.00am	<b>Holy Communion Service</b> <i>Worship Centre</i>	Pastor Andrew
20/01 Sat 7.00am	<b>Men's Breakfast</b> <i>Mudgee Bah Cafe</i>	David Lloyd
21/01 Sun 9.00am	<b>Holy Communion Service</b> <i>Worship Centre</i>	Pastor Andrew

# ROSTER

	14th January 9.00am	21st January 9.00am	28th January 9.00am	4th February 7.30am	4th February 9.00am
<b>USHERS</b>	Paul Kerwick Mare Kerwick	Kerry Bahr Ellie Huth	Allison Craig-Ward Karen Koehler	John Rackemann	David Lloyd Marie Lloyd
<b>GREETERS</b>	Edna Livett Ellie Huth	John Howard Helen Howard	Neville Ludwig Adi Ludwig	NA	Edna Livett Cheryl Kuhne
<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>	Elijah Friebe Merissa Cole	Jason Warr Stephen Dalby	Matt Crawford Elijah Friebe	Ian Meyn	Georgia Rose Jason Warr

## Lutheran Church of Australia

### STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT TO CHILD SAFETY

The Lutheran Church of Australia (LCA) is committed to providing a safe church environment for children and young people. The LCA acknowledges that children are a precious gift from God, with special vulnerabilities, that they require nourishment and nurture in their spiritual development and that they are to be protected from all forms of abuse. The LCA also affirms that it has no tolerance for child abuse and that all its people have an important responsibility to care for children and to keep them safe. The way we care for children reflects our genuineness of faith. It is also a reflection of God's love and his divine protection.

You can find out more about what this means for us by going to the Child Safety and Safe Place Policies Page on our website: <http://www.standrewslutherangoldcoast.com/lca-child-safety--safe-place-policies.html>

### CATCH US ONLINE!

Find out more about our congregation, revisit today's sermon or watch, listen to or read it for the first time if you missed it today, by checking us out online:



[www.standrewslutherangoldcoast.com](http://www.standrewslutherangoldcoast.com) Current and past sermons in text, video and audio, information on giving an offering, what's happening at St. Andrews, information about our congregation and the Lutheran Church.

**YouTube** Videos of current and past sermons, plus mini messages (made especially for children) can be found on our YouTube channel **St Andrews Lutheran Gold Coast Worship**



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Each week bulletins, sermons, and other information are emailed out to members of our church family on our email list. If you would like your email address added to this list please contact Pastor Andrew.

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Chairman: Vacant

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