



**TODAY:**

- > **KBECET** (supporting SRE at Kiama High School) has a financial year to date deficit of \$17,100. Contact Richard Maitland or Alan Hansell to make a tax deductible gift.
- > **Soul Food Stock Clearance:** Books discounted 20%, gifts 50%, 10% total sales donated to KAC. After all Church Point Centre services today and at St Paul's 7 May. We take cash, cards & IOU! Grab some library stock and gifts.
- > **Equip Women's Conference:** (Sat 27 May) Registration sheets available today.
- > **30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World:** (Starts 27 May) Order your 30 Day Booklet now (\$6) from Rosemary Hansell (rosehans1@bigppond.com/4233 2291) or at Office.
- > **John Cornwell's picture** of Jesus has now been hung near the Church offices!

**COMING WEEK:**

- > **Shine for Women** commences Tue 2 May 7pm in Training Rooms
- > **Free simple Budgeting Course** that works! Gain the skills you need to manage your finances better in a Christian environment. Dates TBC - see Adam and Paula Vidilini.
- > **Blue Haven HC Service:** Thu 4 May 2:30pm
- > **CMS Illawarra Mission Connection:** Thu 4 May 12:30-2pm St Mark's West Wollongong. 'A God of Surprises' - Glen and Dominique Turner. Details on n'board.
- > **Community Chaplains Training Forum:** Sat 6 May 9:15am-1pm \$15 Moore College Register online.

**COMING MONTH(S):**

- > **Mother's Day Stall:** Sun 7 May 8am-12pm Church Point Centre foyer. Plenty of plants, craft & cooking!
- > **Kiama Bible Society AGM & Prayer Meeting:** Mon 8 May 9:30-2 Youth Shed. BYO lunch (morning tea provided).
- > **Prime Time:** Wed 10 May 11am Church Point Centre
- > **Carols Planning Mtg:** Thurs 11 May 2:30pm Board Room. New members welcome!
- > **Parish Council: Changed to** Wed 17 May 7:15pm Board Room (from 10 May)

**FINANCIAL UPDATE:**

Offerory Budget for 2017	\$495,700
Budget for Jan-Mar 2017	\$122,750
Actual for Jan-Mar 2017	\$124,600

**NEW BANKING DETAILS**

**A/C Name:** Anglican Church Kiama  
**BSB:** 032 689 **A/C Number:** 211284

**MINISTRY TEAM**

**SENIOR MINISTER**

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**CHILDREN & FAMILIES  
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**OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR**

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9am-3pm (Wed-Fri)**

**Our Vision:**

"Dependent upon God, we seek to be inspired, equipped and enabled to walk the journey of faith in Jesus Christ, so that each of us..."



...intentionally shares Jesus' message and love reaching out to all people in our local and global communities."  
Matthew 28:19-20

**Welcome!**

**Steve Stanis** 8am, 10am **Steve Holmes** 8:30am, 6pm

**Ascension**

**The Second Sunday after Easter (AAPB p211)**

**Bible Readings:**

Luke 24:36-53 (NIV 1048)  
Acts 1:1-11 (NIV 1077)

**JOIN US**

**Welcome to our Special Guests  
for ANZAC Service - 8am**

**Coming weeks - Proverbs**

- 07 May - Wise? What is Wise?
- 14 May - The Beginning of Wisdom
- 21 May - Righteousness Works?
- 28 May - The Wisdom of Virtue



PULSE (our High School aged Friday night youth group) has been amazing this year in so many ways. Over the last few years it has been really exciting to see our core Christian group grow and live out their faith in Jesus. Because of this, and because of a solid group of faithful godly leaders, we have seen PULSE become a really loving and welcoming environment that people can invite their friends to. Through God's goodness and grace, we have consistently had new people coming and spending time sitting under the word of God - and our group has grown. This is a great encouragement to the leaders and a great encouragement to all the young people who come along on a Friday night.

This weekend many from this group of young people have very excitedly trekked off to KYCK which is a Christian youth convention at Katoomba. Here our youth join with 2000 others from many different youth groups to sit under great teaching and be encouraged and changed by God's word. This time away for our group is a significant one each year as it really gives us an opportunity to grow together and build that bond that comes with being a Christian family. It is also a time when our young people often take significant steps of faith and consider what it really means to follow Jesus. This year at KYCK we will be looking at the book of Daniel.

Please, at this time, take some time to pray for our group who are at KYCK (or just back from KYCK if you are at 6pm church).

Thank God for:

The really exciting start to the year for PULSE.

KYCK and the faithful people who run it and do the teaching and music.

The leaders and cooks who enable this weekend to happen.

The youth and their keenness to sit under God's word and spend time with other Christians.

Pray that:

The group going along will be challenged and changed by the faithful teaching of God's word.

For those who have not yet trusted in Jesus that this would be a great time for them to consider the things of God in a deeper way and put their trust in him.

More and more youth will come along to PULSE this term and see their need for Jesus.

The leaders and those teaching God's word on Friday nights will have an understanding and insight into God's word and that they will communicate the truths of the Bible clearly and faithfully .

Steve Inman

**Clarification from last week:** *The NCLS 2016 Survey figures referred to last week relate to the census population, not just church goers.*

### World, Nation, Local Community

**Pray** for the nation of France facing another terrorist attack that the people may stay united and that the peace that only Jesus brings may be established there afresh.

**Pray** for peace across the world especially in places where politicians may be tempted to seek gain for various reasons.

**Give thanks** for the peace we enjoy in our nation as we remember ANZAC Day. We pray for the service at 8am in Christ Church that the Ascended Christ will bring true hope to many.

### Mission and Partners

**Pray** for Pastor Wayne and all at Berkeley - for Rick in hospital, for the Taylors settling into ministry, for the prayer walk to bear fruit and for plans to move church into the centre of the community. **Pray** for SHINE and STRENGTH at Kiama High School, that alongside Scripture these may be times of salt and light for all who hear about Jesus. **Pray** for the local KAC outreach, "Explore@4" which recommences today. **Pray** for boldness and opportunities as we seek to build relationships and invite people. **Pray** that God's Spirit may move their hearts to come and that lives would be transformed.

**Thu 2pm** Minnamurra Prayer Group  
Contact Janet King 0438 483 572

**Fri 10am** Ladies Prayer Group  
Contact Margaret Beazley 4232 2618

**Prayer Chain** requests contact  
Jo Bailey phone 0424 466 935, email  
[praying@kiamaanglican.org.au](mailto:praying@kiamaanglican.org.au)

### KAC Ministry

**Give thanks** for the gathering of all churches in Kiama at Blowhole Point at Easter. **Pray** that the upcoming series in Proverbs will grow our knowledge of God and application of the Bible's teaching for our lives today. **Pray** for all children and youth ministries as they recommence. **Pray** that all who went to KYCK this weekend will return safe and empowered by the teaching to witness Christ wherever they may go.

### People to Pray for...

#### Comfort and Healing

Neil Matheson, Barbara Baird, Frank Beazley, Harmony Smith

#### Hospitals

Rick Smith (Wollongong Public), Lyn Langstaff (Kiama Ward/Shellharbour Private), Aileen Thomas (Lawrence Hargrave Private), Maureen Cleary (Wollongong Public) Cards /notes welcome but please no visitors or phone calls.

#### Nursing Homes/Hostels

Lorraine Bennett, Barbara Cotterill, Glad Ingold, Nancy Kirk, Margaret Murphy, Katherine Smith, Lorna Vickers, Helen Webb, Betty Young (Blue Haven), Joan Miller (St. Luke's Dapto), Nancy Waters, (Mayflower), Valmai Ellerington (IRT Woonona)

#### Grieving Families

Family and friends of Margaret Muhs as they grieve her passing.  
Jim and Helen Webb and family as they grieve the loss of Jim's mother, Helena.

**This Coming Week - 5 May**

**ROCK** Random Games

**Pulse** Random Games

**Friday Night K - Year 12 times;**

K-2 CLIKK 4:30-6pm

3-6 ROCK 4:30-6pm

7-12 PULSE 6:15-8:15pm