



**LUTHERAN  
CHURCH**  
OF AUSTRALIA

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**Fourth Sunday of Easter (White/Gold)**

**26 April 2026**

**Today's Bible Readings as per LCA Worship page**

Acts 2:42-47 *Life and worship in the apostolic church*

Psalm 23

1 Peter 2:19-25 *The shepherd and bishop of our souls*

John 10:1-10 *Jesus, the gate for the sheep*

**This week's activities across the parish:**

Sun	26	Parish Service at St Johns, Kingaroy including Pastor Stuart and Julie's farewell
Sun	3	Services in all congregations

**Pray this Week for the following:**



- for all pastors, including our bishops, so they may be faithful and caring shepherds to God's people
- for those who care for, or teach, the young
- for those who are dying or mourning as they walk through the valley of the shadow of death
- for Pastor Stuart and Julie Kleinig as they leave us and prepare to serve at Redeemer, Toowoomba
- for God to provide us with a new pastor who will shepherd us faithfully
- for Hazel Pfeiffer and her family as they grieve the death of Pastor Lou Pfeiffer

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## Bible Readings from LCA Worship page

26 April Fourth Sunday of Easter (White/Gold)	3 May Fifth Sunday of Easter (White)	10 May Sixth Sunday of Easter (White)
Acts 2:42-47 Psalm 23 1 Peter 2:19-25 John 10:1-10	Acts 7:55-60 Psalm 31: 1-5, 15,16 1 Peter 2: 2-10 John 14: 1-14	Acts 17:22-31 Psalm 66:8-20 1 Peter 3:13-22 John 14:15-21

## Future Activities

Fri	8 May	9:30am	Games, cards, craft and chat in Kingaroy
Thu	14 May	9:30am	Friendship Circle Bible Study and Meeting
Thu	21 May	1:30pm	Orana Service(Rev Jordan Bennet)
Thu	18 June	1:30pm	Orana Service(Rev Jordan Bennet)
Wed	1 July	10:00am	Orana Service(Rev Jordan Bennet)
Thu	16 July	1:30pm	Orana Service(Rev Jordan Bennet)

### Introduction to the readings:

Throughout Scripture God often uses the image of how a shepherd relates to his sheep as a picture of his relationship with us. In the reading from Acts we hear how God's people are fed by God as they regularly hear, and hold firmly to, his Word, and receive the Lord's body and blood in his holy Sacrament. They respond to his divine gifts with prayer, praise, and service to each other. King David prays his most beloved Psalm by acknowledging God is his Good Shepherd who keeps refreshing, guarding, guiding, protecting, and providing for him. Peter speaks to God's sheep who are unjustly suffering. He encourages us look to Jesus Christ and his own responses to injustice and suffering. No matter what we go through, we still belong to our Good Shepherd who continues to look after our souls. We'd expect Jesus to tell us he's the Good Shepherd today, but instead we hear him tell us he's the door for the sheep. We, his sheep, listen to his voice as he assures us the only way to receive life eternal in God's Kingdom is through him.

### In loving memory of Lou Pfeiffer

Family and friends are warmly invited to attend a Memorial Service to celebrate Lou's life, to be held in:

St John's Lutheran Church, Cnr of Youngman and Markwell Streets, Kingaroy. Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> of May 2026, at 1pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Cancer Council Queensland would be greatly appreciated and can be made via the following

link: <https://donate.cancerqld.org.au/fundraiser/rachelbrine/lou--pfeiffer>

Alternatively, envelopes will be available at the services.

Lou's service will also be live streamed via this link: <https://virgofunerals.com.au/live-streaming/client/?nid=ca468fde-5378-434b-ad4b-2ffe90ff9281>

Pastor Stuart and Julie's new address will be:  
6 Cheviot Street, Harristown, Qld, 4350

ST JOHN'S KINGAROY LADIES FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE - Ladies please note that owing to the Memorial Service for Pastor Lou being held in St John's Church on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May our May Meeting will now be held on the following Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May beginning at 9.30am at THE HUB - ORANA. HOSTESSES - Dell Schwenke & Val Smith DEVOTION - Joan Yappa (Please bring your Lutheran Women Magazine for Bible Study being led by Pastor Jordan).

### Lutheran Youth of Queensland Winter Camps

Registrations for the Winter Camps will be open on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April (<https://lyq.org.au/>), and places usually fill fast!

You might consider encouraging young people to attend one of these camps during the Winter school holidays:

#### **Week 1**

**CLW Coolum A**, Grades 7-12 (in 2026) *Luther Heights Youth Camp, Coolum*

**Kids Camp, Coolum**, Grades 3-6 (in 2026) *Luther Heights Youth Camp, Coolum*

**CLW Darling Downs**, Grades 7-12 (in 2026) *Googa Outdoor Education Centre, Blackbutt*

#### **Week 2**

**CLW Coolum B**, Grades 7-12 (in 2026) *Luther Heights Youth Camp, Coolum*

Also remember the good news that the South Burnett Lutheran Parish is willing to subsidise children who wish to attend!

### Step inside St John's – Twilight Tour Now Open!

Curious about what makes St John's such a special place to learn and grow? We'd love to show you around!

Join us on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April at 5:00pm for our Twilight Tour.

- Tour our classrooms and facilities
- Meet our Principals and Leadership Team
- Ask questions and learn more about our programs.

Whether you're considering Prep 2027 and beyond, already enrolled and keen to connect, or exploring options for any year level – this is the perfect opportunity to see our school firsthand.

30<sup>th</sup> April – 5:00pm

Tours begin at Admin

Bookings are essential

Book Here:

<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/3jqj8>



<b>South Burnett Lutheran Parish</b> sbluthparish.com <b>St John's Kingaroy</b> 36 Markwell Street Kingaroy 4610	<b>Worship</b>	<b>26 April</b>	<b>3 May</b>	<b>10 May</b>
	Kingaroy 9.30 am Kumbia 8.00 am Yarraman 8.00 am Wondai 7.45 am Murgon 9.30am	<b>Pastor Stuart(HC)</b> Parish service at <b>St John's Kingaroy</b> for all congregations	Lay Led Lay Led Lay Led Lay Led Lay Led	Lay Led Lay Led <b>Pastor Noel(HC)</b> Lay Led Lay Led
<b>Rosters</b>				
<b>Peace Kumbia/Taabinga</b> Koehler Street Kumbia 4610 <b>St Paul's Murgon</b> 19 Thorn Street Murgon 4605 <b>St John Trinity Wondai</b> 37-39 Edward Street Wondai 4606	<b>St John's Kingaroy</b>	<b>26 April</b>	<b>3 May</b>	<b>10 May</b>
	Worship Leader Bible Reader Musician Audio Visual Communion Welcoming Morning Tea Flowers Cleaning	<b>Pastor Stuart(HC)</b> Ron K Del Geoff/Chris Geoff/Kendall Bev Parish Service Marion Campbell Melody Cook & Meryl Kahler	Lay Led(Kendall) Del Glenys Leister/Roseanne - Joan Marion and Bev Kaye Wolski Sue Layt and Karyn B-P	Lay Led(Rod) Folker Family Del Folker Family - Ushers Narelle & Joan Rosemary Coulson Sue Layt and Karyn B-P
<b>Calvary Yarraman</b> McDaniel Street Yarraman 4614 <b>St John's Lutheran School</b> Ivy Street Kingaroy 4610 <i>Principal: Ruth Ferguson</i> <i>Phone: 4162 3988</i> <b>Orana Aged Care</b> MacDiarmid Street Kingaroy 4610 <i>Chaplain: Jordan Bennett</i> <i>Phone: 4162 6555</i> <b>Parish Office</b> 36 Markwell Street Kingaroy 4610 PO Box 633, Kingaroy Qld 4610 <i>Phone: 4162 1336</i> <a href="mailto:kroy.luth@gmail.com">kroy.luth@gmail.com</a> <i>HC = Holy Communion</i>	<b>St John Trinity Wondai</b>	<b>26 April</b>	<b>3 May</b>	<b>10 May</b>
	Worship Leader Flowers & Cleaning	Parish Service at <b>St John's Kingaroy</b>	Lay Led Fay & Rachel	Lay Led Fay
	<b>St Paul's Murgon</b>	<b>26 April</b>	<b>3 May</b>	<b>10 May</b>
	Worship Leader Musician Reader Communion Sound PowerPoint Welcoming	Parish Service at <b>St John's Kingaroy</b>	Lay Led(Ian) Nola Penny - Keith Sue Ian	Lay Led Nola Florence - Keith Beryl Florence
	<b>Peace Kumbia/Taabinga</b>	<b>26 April</b>	<b>3 May</b>	<b>10 May</b>
	Worship Leader Flowers Cleaning Welcoming	Parish Service at <b>St John's Kingaroy</b>	Lay Led Helen Val Janet	Lay Led Helen Val Heather