



Preparing the next generation of church leaders

In the history of our church many children, youth and adults have been saved and discipled deeply as followers of Jesus Christ. But not only that, many have been sent out, equipped to minister and contribute greatly in the churches God has placed them, across Australia and the world.

Our Bush Church Aid connection to Roger and Amanda Kyngdon in Newman reflects this. Roger is the son of Geoff Kyngdon, and grew up in Oak Flats Anglican Church. Personally, I met Roger and Amanda at Moore Theological College, as well as Mark Taylor (son of Peter and Glenda, Youth Pastor at St Paul's Carlingford). Similarly, there are many other adult children of current church members who serve in full-time ministry, part time and volunteer ministries in their present locations.

Today, as we consider the matter of raising and discipling children in Christ, we must also pray and consider how we can train them for ministry as church leaders in various capacities for 5, 10, 15 years down the track.

Pray that all children would have a love for Jesus, and also for people, serving Christ's church, and sharing the gospel. Also pray and consider how we as adults can equip them well for life.

- Sam Pursell

Church News

Guest Preacher

Today we welcome **Paul Sampson**, BCA's *NSW/ACT Regional Officer*, as our guest preacher.

Please take the opportunity to say hello to him after the service.

Rosters - Term 4

The rosters for all those serving have been emailed. Please make sure you check your inbox to find out when you are serving.

Paper copies are available for pick up at the welcome desk.

Southern Cross Magazine

The latest issue of Southern Cross is available online at magazine.sydneyanglicans.net or you can pick up a copy at the welcoming desk.

BCA Boxes due

It's box opening time!

If you've been collecting coins for Bush Church Aid (BCA) please return them for counting.

Birthdays

21st Matthew Meek (*Mission Partner*)

Anniversaries

24th Pam & Gerry Moore

Give Electronically

BANK DETAILS

Name: Oak Flats Anglican

BSB: 633 000

Account: 164 385 841

Serving Roster

	<i>Sunday</i>	20th September	27th September
<i>Saturday</i>			
26th September	Welcomer:	H Mills/P Moore	J & M Klasson
Cleaning:	Bible Reader:	A Bentink	J Orange
D & R Slocombe	Prayer Leader:	V O'Regan	J Stavert
Mowing:	Morning Tea:	R Eton/J Mills	R Hannam/R Slocombe
N/A	MT Clean Up:	D Slocombe	J Mills
	Kids Church:	R Slocombe	N/A

Developing the Next Generation

2 Timothy 1:1-18

Paul Sampson • 20th September 2026

1. Invest in People Personally
2. Fan into Flame God's Gift
3. Encourage Courageous Faith in the Gospel
4. Pass on Sound Teaching
5. Model Loyalty & Faithfulness

Next Sunday...

NEW SERMON SERIES - **The Ten Commandments** • *'The Christian and Old Testament Law'*

Sam Pursell • **Readings:** Matthew 5:17-20 & Romans 3:19-24; 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Information about our Church

Your kids are welcome

Children are welcome to stay with you during church. Kids church starts roughly 15 mins into the service (during school terms).

Check out our bookstall

View our quality selection of Christian books for sale at the bookstall located at the rear of the church.

Join a Bible study group

Our midweek Bible study groups are great for connecting with others. To join a group, contact the office.

We are filming church

For those unable to attend, we are streaming and recording video at live.oakflatsanglican.com. You may be filmed.

Kids and Youth programs

In school terms, we offer a range of midweek programs for toddlers, children and youth.

Weekly prayer meeting

Saturday, 7:30am (online via Zoom)

A time to share, to encourage, and to pray for one another. Come join us and experience and power of prayer! Contact Geoff Kyngdon for details.



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Prayers

CURRENT PRAYERS

Our Nation

Australia's leaders, upcoming elections, and wisdom in addressing cost-of-living, housing and other social challenges. Emergency services, the ADF, schools, corrections staff, prison chaplains, and rural and remote communities. Honesty, justice and compassion in public life.

Mission & Gospel Opportunities

SRE, Bible study groups and opportunities to share the hope of Christ in our community.

Wisdom for planning, outreach and faithful gospel witness.

Mission workers serving in Australia and around the world.

Our Church & Leaders

Our ministry leaders, Bible study groups and those providing pastoral care.

Synod delegates, diocesan leaders, and planning for ministry in 2027.

Faithful leadership that honours Christ and strengthens his church.

One Another

Those facing illness, grief, financial pressure or family challenges.

Opportunities to encourage, support and pray for one another.

Those in ongoing need: Bronwyn Clark, John Covetz, David & Jan Crook, Jeanette Dunkeld, Kevin & Ruth Eton, Barrie & Auriel Hadley, Robert & Raija Hannam, Pauline Kirby, Lili Kovacevic, Graeme & Marianne Krout, Pam Moore & family, Debbie Paget, Merv & Nola Sercombe, Cynthea Smith, Eileen Stokes, Allan Quinn and John Wilson.

REGULAR PRAYERS (Cycle 1 of 4)

Government

King Charles.

The Prime Minister and federal politicians.

The Premier and NSW state politicians.

Our Mayor and local government.

Those serving in the defence forces, including chaplains.

The World

International leaders.

The persecuted church.

Local Community

Oak Flats Public, Balarang Public and Oak Flats High schools.

Emergency services.

Local community groups.

Indigenous communities.

The poor.

People with physical, mental illness.

People socially disconnected.

Church members

Barrie & Auriel Hadley

Paul & Hazel Hall

Robert & Raija Hamman

Ken Illiffe

Ben, Adrianna, Elena & Henrik Irwin