

the acts *of the Apostles*

Welcome to Church Hill
6pm Sunday 17th November 2024

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St. Philip's
ANGLICAN

The Acts of the Apostles

13 October	Acts 11:19-30	Where the disciples were first called Christians
20 October	Acts 12:1-24	Herod Agrippa vs Peter and God
27 October	Acts 12:25-13:12	Amazement on Cyprus
3 November	Acts 13:13-43	"God has brought to Israel the saviour Jesus as promised"
10 November	Acts 13:44-14:7	"A light for the Gentiles"
17 November	Acts 14:8-20	"Turn from these worthless things to the living God"
24 November	Acts 14:21-28	"We must go through many hardships to enter the kingdom of God"

CHURCH HILL LINKS



For all information on the life of our church and city, plus links to our Online Connect Card and other forms and more scan the QR code or go to <https://linktr.ee/churchhillanglican>.

Keep up to date by subscribing to our weekly news email at: bit.ly/churchhillnews

TODAY'S SERVICE

Call to Worship
Song
Psalm
Song
The Apostles' Creed
Announcements
Bible Readings
Sermon
Song
Congregational Prayers
Prayer
Song
Final Word
Blessing

Our Vision.

'...For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the
Glory of God, as the waters cover the sea.'

- Habakkuk 2:14



We Walk

Deeper Discipleship

Lives filled with the Spirit of Christ



We Love

Compelling Community

A Church filled with the Love of Christ



We Reach

City Gospel Engagement (and beyond)

A City filled with the Gospel of Christ



We Make Room

Presence and Property

The Earth filled with the Glory of Christ

The Acts of The Apostles

Psalm 104

(page 486 of the pew bibles)

Acts 14:8-20

(page 896 of the pew bibles)

SERMON

“Turn from these worthless things to the living God”

Paul and Barnabas in Lystra

“The gods have come down to us in human form!”

“Turn from these worthless things to the living God”

Two objections to the sermon so far

- 1.
- 2.

NOTICES

MENS' DINNER

Thursday 21st November, 6:30 for 7pm at the Garrison Church Hall. Guest speaker: Simon Miller, the CEO of Anglicare on why the early church matched word and deed. Plus testimonies. \$20 per head. RSVP and payment link in Church Hill Links.

COMMUNITY DINNER 24 NOVEMBER

We hope you can join us for dinner in the Parish Hall following the service. Can you bring a dessert? Please see Bel Peri or Jenny Fendler if you can.

CITY CARE CHRISTMAS LUNCH SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER AND BAGS OF LOVE

December's City Care Lunch will be a Christmas Celebration, complete with Christmas Carols and Christmas Bags of Love for our guests. Bags ready to be filled, along with a list of suggested items to purchase, are available for collection from the back of church today.

There's a variety of other ways you can help, both in the lead up and on the day. For a full list of needs and to sign up scan the Church Hill Links QR Code at the bottom of the page to find the Volunteer Sign up form. If you'd like to support City Care Ministries financially a link for where you can do so via Square can also be found at Church Hill Links.

We'd also really appreciate your prayers for the day as we seek to show Jesus' love to some of our most vulnerable neighbours.

COMING UP AT CHURCH HILL

Copies of "Coming Up at Church Hill" for all the events in November and December are available from the back table.



THE GARRISON CHURCH RENEWAL PROJECT UPDATE MEETING SUNDAY 24 NOVEMBER
following the 4pm service at the Garrison Church

EVERYBODY LOVES A GINGERBREAD HOUSE _ SATURDAY 14 DECEMBER

Invite your friends, neighbours and family to come build and decorate a Gingerbread House, hear a short talk, and enjoy some pre-Christmas community at The Garrison Church. All proceeds will be given to Purpose & Growth, who strive to give the most overlooked people in our society a chance at long-term employment sustainability. Session times are 2:00pm and 6:00pm. Gingerbread house kits (house pieces, icing and lollies) are \$28.00 each. Gluten free option also available. Secure your place and kit via Church Hill Links by scanning the QR Code on page 1. Places are limited.

REGISTRATIONS FOR RIVENDELL 2025 NOW OPEN

In 2025, Rivenfell, our whole parish weekend away, is returning to the Collaroy Centre Friday 14 to Sunday 16 February. Guest speaker Dr Kit Barker, OT lecturer at SMBC, will be opening up The Psalms with us. To register, go to Church Hill Links by scanning the QR code on page 1.

ACTS 6

If you (or someone you know) who regularly attends Church Hill is in need of temporary financial assistance or practical care beyond what your community group can provide, contact the Acts 6 Ministry for a confidential assessment to see if we can help:

acts6@churchhillanglican.com

GIVING

Taking your place in the life of this church (financially)

If you belong to and benefit from Church Hill, please take your part in contributing financially to the ministry of the church in this city. The most intentional way to give is to give online, to the bank account listed. To set up a direct payment from your credit card, complete the form by scanning here.



Account Name: **Church Hill Anglican**
BSB: **032000** Account No: **810878**
Reference: **Giving + your service**
(8:30am/10:30am/4pm/6pm)

CURRENT OFFERTORIES

August 2024: \$45,939 (Budget \$54,539)
Sept 2024: \$39,398 (Budget \$54,537)
October 2024: \$100,068 (Budget: \$54,539)
YTD 2024: \$528,038 (Budget: \$545,379)

USEFUL INFORMATION

PARKING

Limited visitor parking on the northern side of St Philip's can be accessed from Clarence Street. Free parking is available on Sundays in the underground car park at No. 1 York Street for swipe card holders. Entry via Clarence Street, from 7:30am to 10:00pm each Sunday. Contact the Church Hill office to order a swipe card.

YOUR COMFORT

Our toilets are located in the Parish Hall (St Philip's) and from the Car Park (Garrison)

YOUR BABY

All babies are welcome. There is baby friendly space in the Parish Hall, including change facilities and the Sunday service livestream.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Emergency evacuation procedures : Please leave the church in an orderly manner via the south door towards Jamison Street (St Philip's) or gather in the car park (Garrison), or as directed by a member of staff. Please see the staff if someone asks you for money, or makes you feel uncomfortable, or if you see an unattended bag.

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FIRST AID

Automatic External **Defibrillators** (AED) are located in the West Porch of St Philip's Church and outside the kitchen in the St Philip's Parish Hall.

YOUR SAFETY

Church Hill has a No Tolerance approach to any form of domestic and family violence. We are committed to being a church family where people feel safe. If you or someone near you is in a situation of domestic and family violence, we are here to listen, ready to believe you and make ourselves available to support you. Please contact Jenny Fendler or Justin Moffatt. In addition, you can call 1800 RESPECT, a 24/7 telephone service that provides information, counseling and support. All support is confidential.

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