

# Prayers of **confusion** and **CONFIDENCE**



LENT 2026

## Welcome to Church Hill

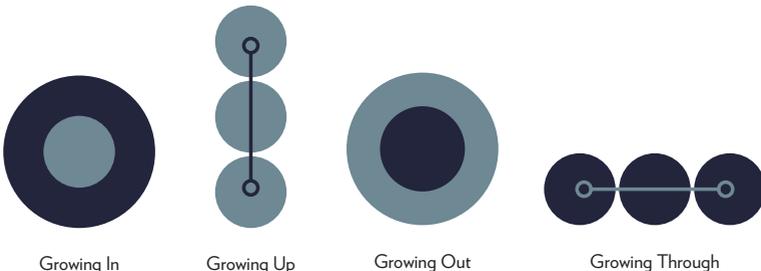
4pm Sunday 1st March 2026

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By 2030, by the grace of God, Church Hill Anglican will be:

Growing In vibrant community.  
Growing Up into maturity in Christ.

Growing Out with impact for the Kingdom.  
Growing Through generational renewal.

## TODAY'S SERVICE

Call To Worship

Prayer of Preparation

Song

Song

Song

The Nicene Creed

Announcements

Bible Readings

Sermon

Communion

Congregational Prayers

Song

Song

Final Word

# Prayers of Confusion and Confidence

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1 Samuel 1:1:-1-20

*(page 213 of the pew bibles)*

1 Samuel 2:1-11

*(page 214 of the pew bibles)*

## SERMON

'A prayer God hears when no one else does'

(Hannah)

The two prayers of Hannah:

### 1

**The prayer made in Confusion**

**C1**

A. 'I am a woman who is deeply troubled.'

B. 'I have not been drinking wine or beer.'

C. 'I was pouring out my soul to the Lord.'

### 2

**The prayer soaked in Confidence**

**C2**

How did she get there?

## PRAYER FOCUS

Restore Papua New Guinea

Garrison Renewal Project

*Nearing completion!*

Residents of Millers Point and

Sydney CBD

Nations battling the effects of  
extreme weather events.

*Cyclone in Madagascar, heavy rains in  
Malawi, flooding in Mozambique, and  
severe drought in Kenya.*

Church Hill Giving

*Give thanks for all offertories made  
during the week, pray for wise  
governance*

# NOTICES

## The Garrison Church

# RENEWAL CELEBRATION



## Sunday 22 March from 2:30pm

### RENEWAL CELEBRATION SUNDAY 22 MARCH FROM 2:30PM

On Sunday 22 March, from 2:30pm we will warmly invite our church family and the Millers Point community to join us as we celebrate the long awaited re-opening of the Renewed Halls at the Garrison Church. We'll have open buildings, food & drink, children's activities, welcoming teams, and a short rededication led by Justin. The event will flow into our 4pm service with interviews, a brief sermon, and worship together. All welcome!

#### SAVE THE DATE

### Church Hill

## AGM of Parishioners

SUNDAY 15 MARCH  
12PM AT ST PHILIP'S CHURCH

### 2025 CHURCH HILL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Copies of the Church Hill Financial Statement for 2025 are available on the back table.

### CITY CARE LUNCH SUNDAY 29 MARCH

The next City Care Lunch will be held on Sunday 29 March at St Philip's Church, with set up from 12pm. There are many ways to contribute, bring home made salads or desserts, volunteer on the day, e.g. serving or cooking food, chatting with guests, set up and/or pack up, and more! To let the City Care team know how you can help out please fill out the serving form by scanning the QR Code on page 1. You can also find a link to contribute financially to the work of City Care Ministries.

## 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 below. To set up a direct payment from your credit card, complete the form by scanning this QR code.



### CHURCH HILL GIVING ACCOUNT

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

### CURRENT OFFERTORIES

November 2025: \$42,633 (Budget \$58,881)  
December 2025 \$79,686 (Budget \$58,882)  
**YTD 2025: \$617,782 (Budget \$706,575)**  
January 2026: \$47,503

## 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 at the back of the church.

### *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 on the grass (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.

### *FIRST AID*

Automatic External **Defibrillators** (AED) are located near the welcome desk at The Garrison Church.

### *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, counselling and support. All support is confidential.

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