

## COMING UP IN THE 2024 CALENDAR

28 <sup>th</sup> January	Ministry Commissioning Service
10 <sup>th</sup> February	Men's Breakfast
11 <sup>th</sup> February	Newcomer's Lunch
24 <sup>th</sup> February	Nurture Women's Retreat
8-10 <sup>th</sup> March	Cathedral's 60 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations
23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Nurture Easter crafts
24 <sup>th</sup> March	AGM & Combined Service
29-31 <sup>st</sup> March	Easter Celebrations
9-12 <sup>th</sup> April	Kid's Holiday Club
21 <sup>st</sup> April	Hope Explored starts (3 weeks)
3-7 <sup>th</sup> April	Cyber Parenting Course
15 <sup>th</sup> June	Geraldton Men's Conference
29 <sup>th</sup> June	Safe Ministry Training
TBC	Geraldton Women's Conference
August	Trinity in Town seminars
6 <sup>th</sup> August	Hospital Chaplaincy Fundraiser
6-8 <sup>th</sup> September	Perth Gospel Youth Conference
14 <sup>th</sup> September	Men's Breakfast
TBC	Church Camp
13 <sup>th</sup> October	Songs of Praise
27 <sup>th</sup> October	Hope Explored starts (3 weeks)
24 <sup>th</sup> November	Baptism and Confirmation service
7 <sup>th</sup> December	Sing Noel

Please see our website or speak to Lachlan or Mike for more information about our upcoming events.

### Financially Supporting Ministry

If you would like to support the ministry of the Cathedral your donation can be:

- placed in the white offertory box at any point during services,
- via the Tap & Go machine or
- Direct debit to the Cathedral bank account:

Name: **Anglican Parish Geraldton**

BSB: **706 001** A/C No: **3000 3159**

Reference examples: **Offertory** or **Building** or **Training**, etc.



## WELCOME

At Geraldton Anglican Cathedral we seek to Reach people to Christ, Build people up in Christ, and Live for Christ. The message of the cross of Jesus is great news to our world because it brings us back to God. We find Jesus in the bible, so we help each other understand it more.

We are a family of God's people who support and encourage one another. Everyone is welcome to join us and find the hope and peace that our great God offers to his world! We are glad you are here.

### January Sunday Services



#### 31 December -28 January

9am Sundays Combined Service  
10am Wednesdays Traditional Communion Service

Then join us for our regular weekly services (February – December):

Sundays 8am Traditional Prayer Book service  
10am Family service with Sunday school  
5pm Contemporary service with a bring & share meal  
Wednesday 10am Prayer Book communion service

10am services are livestreamed so you can always watch online if you can't make it in person: [www.youtube.com/@AngCathGero/streams](http://www.youtube.com/@AngCathGero/streams)

### Connecting

We are glad you are with us today. Are you new? Need prayer? Need to update your details? Please fill out a **Connect Card**.

### Our Staff

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### Website & Social Media

[www.geraldtonanglicans.com.au](http://www.geraldtonanglicans.com.au)

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## Reaching others for Jesus

Each of us has a story. Every story is significant and special. You have a story about today, a story about why you're here, and what you're hoping will happen on this day. What's your story about how you first met Jesus? It is likely someone introduced you to him. Do you remember who that was? A family member, a friend, someone who invited you to a church service or church event, or someone who simply told you their story about meeting Jesus. Your Jesus story is a powerful story that others would love to hear. In 2024 we want to be people that tell stories about Jesus to people who have not yet met Jesus, or it's been a while since they've spent time with him.

As a church we want to reach people with Jesus this year. For me, I want to ask as many people as I can about their personal Jesus story, and hope that I can share my personal Jesus story – how I met him and the difference he has made. Christmas time is a great opportunity to hear the story of Jesus' arrival into the world, but also a great time to share the story of Jesus' arrival into your life, personally. The new year is also a time of new beginning for many. Perhaps this year is a new beginning for you and Jesus. Perhaps you've only just heard about him and want to find out more – ask someone about their Jesus story. Perhaps it's been a while since you've spent time with Jesus – then read about his story in the bible, with others. Perhaps you want to share about Jesus with others – then tell your Jesus story.

We want everyone we know to meet Jesus; reaching them with the greatest good news story of all.

**Lachlan Edwards**  
Dean of Geraldton

## News & Events

### Ministry Commissioning Service

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2024



7:30am *Praying for 2024 ministries*  
9am *Commissioning service*

Join together as we commit our 2024 Cathedral ministries to God.

Followed by bring and share banquet lunch.

### Cathedral Kids

10am Sundays – school terms



Cathedral Kids Primary School and our new Pre-School ministry term 1 begins Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February.

We want to be training up our kids in the way they should go, so that, Lord willing, they will never depart from it.

This ministry is a vital part of our Cathedral ministry objectives.

### Bible studies & Prayer Groups

Meeting together and soaking in the bible is vital for a Christian.



In small groups you can:

- Delve deeply into the wonders of the bible,
- ask significant questions,
- apply the scriptures in meaningful ways,
- be accountable to each other,
- and support each other, prayerfully and practically.

Speak to Lachlan or Mike about joining a group in 2024.

**EVENTS CONTINUED OVER PAGE.**