



Welcome to Church Hill
10:30am Sunday 27th April 2025

**CHURCH
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St. Philip's
ANGLICAN

Seek First the Kingdom of God

27 April

Matthew 6:19-21

The Counterculture

4 May

Matthew 6:22-23

The Temptation

11 May

Matthew 6:24

The Choice

18 May

Matthew 6:25-34

Some Inspiration

25 May

Matthew 7:1-7

Some Implications

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

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
OF COUNTRY

As we gather together in the presence of God, Church Hill acknowledges the traditional owners of the land upon which we meet. In his wisdom and love, our heavenly Father gave this estate to the Gadigal people of the Eora Nation. Upon this land they met for generations until the coming of British settlers. As we continue to learn to live together on these ancestral lands, we acknowledge and pay our respects to their elders, past and present, and pray that God will unite us all in a knowledge of his Son, in whom all things were created, in heaven and on earth, whether visible or invisible—for all things have been created through him and for him.

TODAY'S SERVICE

- Call to Worship
- Song
- Confession
- Song
- The Apostles' Creed
- Announcements
- Bible Readings
- Sermon
- Song
- Congregational Prayers
- Song
- A Final Word
- Blessing

Seek First the Kingdom
of God

- Ecclesiastes 1:12-2:11 (page 539 of the pew bibles)
- 1 Timothy 6:17-19 (page 963 of the pew bibles)
- Matthew 6:19-21 (page 787 of the pew bibles)

SERMON

The Counterculture

Jesus said: 'So do not worry, saying, "What shall we eat?" or "What shall we drink?" or "What shall we wear?" For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.' (Matthew 6:31-33)

What does he mean, and what are the implications?

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| 1. What to do? | V20 |
| 2. What not to do? | V19 |
| 3. Why do it: the practical reason. | V19-20 |
| 4. Why do it: the soul piercing reason. | V21 |
| 5. What all it might mean for 2025? | |
| Ecclesiastes, Paul, and me. | |

NOTICES

MORNING TEA TODAY

Join us in the Parish Hall for morning tea today following the service.

2025 CITY CARE LUNCH DATES

Sundays at St Philip’s Church, set up from 12pm

1 June 5 October
3 August 7 December

CHURCH HILL KIDS AND YOUTH

Our Programs are on a break for the school holidays and will resume on Sunday 4th May. There will be parent supervised story and craft for under 5s on level 1 of the Parish Hall.

PEDESTRIAN ACCESS TO PARKING AT 1 YORK STREET

For your safety please enter and exit the carpark via the lobby and lifts, or fire stairs. **No pedestrian access via the driveway ramp.**

2024 CHURCH HILL AGM BOOK FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Copies of the Church Hill AGM Book and Financial Statement for 2024 are available on the back table.

BEFORE THE THRONE - A Day of Prayer for the Spread of the Gospel

The Archbishop has invited all Sydney Anglicans to join him at a Diocesan Prayer Meeting, to be held at St Andrew’s Cathedral, from 2:30-4pm, on Sunday the 4th of May. Would you consider attending to represent Church Hill Anglican? No RSVP required.

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

January 2025: \$44,933 (Budget \$58,881.)
February 2025: \$38,346 (Budget \$58,882)
March 2025 \$52,299 (Budget \$58,881)
YTD 2025: \$135,57 (Budget \$176,644)



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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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PARISH COUNCIL

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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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