

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

LENT 2026

Welcome to Church Hill
6pm Sunday 15th March 2026

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St. Philip's
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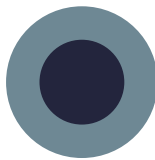
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Growing In



Growing Up



Growing Out



Growing Through

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
- Song
- Psalm
- Song
- The Apostles' Creed
- Announcements
- Bible Readings
- Sermon
- Q & A
- Congregational Prayers
- The Lord's Prayer
- Song
- Final Word

PRAYER FOCUS

St James Church Berala
Weekly English classes that provide a place for women from Afghan, Chinese and other backgrounds to build friendships, practise English, and explore the Bible together.

Garrison Renewal Celebration
Sunday 22 March
Give thanks for the completion of the Renewal Project and pray for strong community engagement.

Chill Hill
Church Hill Youth group on Thursday nights

City Care Ministries
Next lunch Sunday 29 March

Church Hill Giving
Give thanks for all offertories made during the week, pray for wise governance

Prayers of
Confusion and Confidence

Habakkuk 1:1-2:1 *(page 763 of the pew bibles)*

Mark 14 :32-36 *(page 827 of the pew bibles)*

SERMON

How long, Lord? (Habakkuk)

Habakkuk's Question:

Why God, do you not deal with evil (as you say you will)? 1:1-2

Our Question:

How does God expect me to love him and serve him if everything is so messy?

GOD INVITES YOU TO
WRESTLE WITH HIM.



Three things you may discover:

- A.
- B.
- C.

NOTICES

2025 CHURCH HILL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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

PRAYER AND PRAISE NIGHT

Friday 27 March, 6 for 6:30pm at the Garrison
Join us for an evening of worship, prayer and community as we come together to lift our voices and seek God’s presence. Come at 6pm for some drinks and nibbles, before we move into the church for worship at 6:30pm We’d love to see you there! We’d love to know you’re coming for catering purposes, please register via Church Hill Links via the QR code on page 1.

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.

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!

Church Hill Recommends

ALISON COURTNEY COUNSELLING

Alison Courtney is a Christian counsellor and good friend of Church Hill. Having a Masters in both counselling and theology, Ali is trained to bring these fields of knowledge into rich conversation. She is now working out of a space at St Philip’s Church offering a safe space where you can find hope in the challenges you face. You can reach Ali at: hello@alisoncourtney.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 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.

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.

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.

FIRST AID

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

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.

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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