

The Anglican Parish of St Luke

Toowoomba

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MEDIA RELEASE

Invitation to Inaugural Celebration Creation Event

Local groups with an environmental concern are invited to set up a display at the inaugural Celebration Creation Day at St Luke's Anglican Church, Saturday 1st September, 8am-2pm.

"The first of September is an important day in the Anglican Church", explained Rev'd Dr Jonathan Inkpin, Rector of the Anglican Parish of St Luke.

"Not only is it the first day of Spring, something most of us are currently yearning for, it also marks the start of the 'Season of Creation' in our church calendar."

This day is also important for other churches and worldwide.

"In Eastern Orthodox churches, the first of September is celebrated as 'Creation Day'. For the World Council of Churches, the period from the beginning of September until 4th October is celebrated as the 'Time for Creation'."

To celebrate this significant day, St Luke's Anglican Church will become an exhibition space for displays from various local and nearby groups that have an environmental concern at their core.

The displays will remain in the Church for two weeks to enable a larger number of visitors to view them.

As well as this, St Luke's Hall and church grounds will be host on Saturday 1st September to the Toowoomba Handmade Markets which includes a variety of handmade stalls, great food, live music and other activities.

All interested groups should contact Katherine Appleby, Parish Administration and Communications Officer, on 4639 1910 or stluke.tmba@bigpond.com for more information and to obtain an application form.

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Good photo opportunities available

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