

Sun 1 March 2020

We warmly welcome our visitors and regulars as we gather together today. Please join us after either service for morning or afternoon tea.

Prayer Focus

GRN – Global Recordings Network

“Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ.” (Colossians 4: 2-3 NIV)

CHERYL MASON & DEBBY DHARMA - In the studio, Cheryl Mason asks for prayer as she and Debby clarify information on various recordings. Pray that they would be efficient and wise in their work.

SIMON JOHNSTON – Pray for Simon and the studio team as they continue editing the recordings made last year, in the languages of Aboriginal English, Gumatj & Dhuwaya.

GRN PHILIPPINES – WAWASAKA 2020 – Pray for the Kawasaka distribution & promotion outreach to Mindoro Island which begins next month, with 4 newly recorded languages. Please pray for fine weather, provisions and good local connections for the whole 12 day distribution trip.

ELISE COOPER – Elise says: “As I am continuing theological study this year, pray that I may learn more about God’s word and mission. Pray that what I learn maybe useful at GRN.”

THE URAK LAWOI OF SOUTH THAILAND – Please pray for the Urak Lawoi, who have received MP3 players and recordings in their language, to truly know the Lord and grow in the knowledge of Him. Also pray for GRNT as they make plans to hold a camp for Urak Lawoi children in the first half of 2020.

Coming Up

1 March 2020

Coming up this week

Tues

9.30am Pipsqueaks

Wed

10.00am Men’s Morning Tea

Fri

7.00pm World Day of Prayer
Dad’s & Kid’s Camp
Junior JPY

Sat

2.00pm Induction of Angus

Sun

9.00am Prayer Time
10.00am Morning Service
4.00pm Afternoon Church
6.00pm Senior JPY

For your Diaries

MAR

14th *WORKING BEE*

17th *Annual Congregational Meeting*

22nd *Welcome Lunch*

APR

30th *PWA Rally*

Services

Orange 10am and 4pm
Blayney 10am
(1st and 3rd Sundays)

MORNING ORDER OF SERVICE

SONG In Christ Alone
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS
PRAYER
BIBLE READING Psalm 13: 1-6
SONG This is the Gospel
CHRISTINE PLATT
BIBLE READING Luke 8: 40-56
SERMON Hope in the Midst of Hopeless
Circumstances
SONG & COLLECTION
PRAYER
SONG O the Mercy of God
CLOSE
SONG Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

AFTERNOON ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME
SONGS: Rock of Ages, Be Thou My Vision
PRAYER
GOSPEL NEWS
BAPTISM OF MIRIAM MUDGE
KID'S SONG: Luke 9:23
MISSION SPOT
BIBLE READING: Luke 8:40-56
SERMON
PRAYER
SONG: See Him Coming
CLOSE

New Admin Assistant

We are pleased to announce that Allan Starr from our afternoon congregation has been appointed as the new Administrative Assistant. Allan will commence work on Mon 16 March.

Afternoon Tea for Angus Gibb's Induction

The PWA are organising the afternoon tea for Angus Gibb's induction as Colleague Minister on Sat 7 March. They would appreciate any assistance members of the congregation can give in providing food for the afternoon tea. If you can help please see Roberta Read or Pam McKean.

Dads and Kid's Camp 6th – 7th March 2020

The annual Dads and Kid's Camp is coming up next weekend. This year we have decided to go to Baker's Shaft Campground (near Burnt Yards – that's a massive help) for something different. The aim will be to leave the Church by 5pm on Friday 6th March, and we would expect to be there by 6pm in time to set up and have dinner. Talk to Ian Anderson (0417 697 027 or ianangry77@gmail.com) if you have any questions or to discuss any special needs that you may have. Ian will send around an E-mail in the next few days showing directions on how to get to the site and suggested items to bring. It might be good if we leave together from the Church.

NOTE: Due to the Induction of our brand new second minister, Angus at 2pm at the Church, we will not have lunch at the campground this year, but will leave by 12pm to give us time to get back to Orange and look respectable in time to get to the Church and be a part of this special occasion in the life of our Church.

New Bible Study Launching

A new bible study will be launching this week at Angus & Steph's house. If you are not currently in a group and would like to join one, please come along. We will be meeting on Wednesday evening's from 7:30pm. Please speak to Angus if you are interested in joining.

BIBLE TALK: Hope in the Midst of Hopeless Circumstances

1. God's Apparent Delay
2. Faith When Troubles Overwhelm
3. Living Hope

Sunday Morning Prayer Meetings

For those who are new to our Morning Service and possibly don't know that at 9am every Sunday some of us meet to pray. If this interests you, please come along. We meet in the Church Hall.

World Day of Prayer

Everyone is invited to attend the World Day of Prayer, "Pray for Zimbabwe" , at the Salvation Army, cnr Kite St. and McNamara Lane at 10.00am on Friday, 6th March. There will be an additional service at 6.00pm on the same date and at the same venue.

The offertory on the day from Christians all over the world will go to the Bible Society to support mothers whose child has a disability.

Please remember "The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective" James 5:16

Christian Cinema Orange

The new Christian movie "I Still Believe" about a young Christian couple facing the trauma of cancer will be screening at Odeon 5 Cinema on Thurs 12 March. A light supper is available from 5.45pm and the movie starts at 6.30pm. Tickets can be purchased from Jeff Townsend on the night.

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

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| MON | WED | THURS |
| Ian Anderson | Mel Vanes | Pam McKean |
| 7.30pm | (KYB) 9.30am | 4.00pm |
| Sue Knight | John Read | FRI |
| 7.30pm | 3.00pm | Anne Alford |
| Lauren Ritchie | Catherine Read | (KYB) 10.00am |
| 7.30pm | 7.30pm | |
| Peter Warren | Robert McKean | |
| 7.30pm | 7.30pm | |
| | Angus Gibb | |
| | 7.30pm | |

Rosters

| Sunday | Today | 8 Mar | 15 Mar | 22 Mar |
|-------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Duty Elder | J Anikin | I Anderson | J Anikin | M Davidson |
| Welcome | T & C Harper | K Morton N Branks | R Jefferson M McFarland | B & J Holland |
| A/V | I Anderson | C Young | J Herridge | C Anikin |
| Readers | D Hodgkins P Bembrick | C Adams P McKean | J Read E Thomas | B Holland K Corio |
| Morning Tea | JPY | P & J van Rensburg C Adams | M Balsom T & C Harper | P & J van Rensburg C Adams |
| Banking | D McKenzie D Anikin | L Crossman S Anderson | C Adams K Baxter | E Thomas TBA |

| Saturday | 7 Mar | 14 Mar | 21 Mar |
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| Flowers | | R Read | Artificial |
| Church Cleaning | | D & B Lawrence | P McKean |
| Hall cleaning | | S Knight | D Pottie |
| Grounds | | | WORKING BEE |

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