



The Town Crier

March 2019



Baptist Churches
of NSW & ACT

*Welcome to our church. We are glad you can be here
and trust you will be richly blessed as you worship
and praise the Lord with us.*

*“If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels,
but do not have LOVE, I am only a resounding
gong or a clanging cymbal.”*

1 Corinthians 13:1



A tear-off slip to record your visit, make a comment, a prayer request or for adding your information to our database can be found on the back page.

Place it in the offering bag or the box in the foyer.

Tea & Coffee is provided after most services, please join us for a cuppa.



A Hearing loop is available in the main auditorium,
please switch your hearing aid to ‘T’

OUR MISSION

We exist to glorify God by treasuring and following Jesus,
loving all, and proclaiming his Gospel everywhere.

Pastor's Page

PSALM 63:

1 O God, you are my God;
I earnestly search for you.
My soul thirsts for you;
my whole body longs for you
in this parched and weary land
where there is no water.

2 I have seen you in your sanctuary
and gazed upon your power and glory.

3 Your unfailing love is better than life itself;
how I praise you!

4 I will praise you as long as I live,
lifting up my hands to you in prayer.

5 You satisfy me more than the richest feast.
I will praise you with songs of joy.



An insect I don't often see these days is the butterfly. When I was young, I'd see them everyday in summer..

If you want to see hundreds of spectacular butterflies then visit the Butterfly House in Melbourne Zoo. Butterflies hatch in an indoor tropical paradise perfectly suited to their every need. Their diet is nutritious and designed to keep them healthy and strong. Yet, in spite of the delicious cuisine, some of the butterflies are drawn upward by the appeal of the brilliant blue sky. They spend their days fluttering around the glass ceiling. Their hearts are filled with longing. They don't realise that if they got what they really wanted they would be dead within minutes.

Psalm 63 identifies David's deepest longing.

It is not a worldly longing, or a fleshly longing, or even a religious longing. It is a spiritual longing that God alone can satisfy.

Let these words of Jesus speak to your heart:

"I am the bread of life, whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."

Are you like those butterflies who spend their days fluttering around the glass ceiling, longing for something that would destroy them? Do you use your energy to gain what you don't need and should not have?

Or do you rest in the sufficiency of the Saviour?

Augustine, the early church theologian prayed this prayer to Jesus:

"You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you."

Ministry Opportunities & Mission

Where might you serve?

Kidz Church is held at 9.30am on a Sunday and is in need of volunteers to join the team. Please prayerfully consider if this is an area in which you might get involved and chat to one of the Pastors or the Elders.

Crèche is held at 9.30am on a Sunday and is a wonderful ministry supporting our little ones and their families.

Ellen Mayo would love to hear from you to volunteer or just to have a chat and find out more about the needs and how you could help. Speak to Ellen.

Nursing Home Ministry

We are currently seeking to build up our Nursing Home Ministry Teams.

Are you interested in this ministry and is this an area in which you might serve?

Please talk to or Robert.

Greeters and Morning Tea Roster for Sunday Morning Church

Chris Abbot is looking for more people to join the team and serve on the roster to -

- Welcome people at the door on a Sunday morning;
- To help people find seats inside the auditorium; and/or
- To serve morning tea after Church.

You would be serving once every few months - the more who can help lightens the load for everyone.

Contact Chris on or speak to one of the Deacons to volunteer or just to find out more.

A VOLUNTEER IS NEEDED AT

Friendship Club

Friendship Club has a vacancy for someone to run the Treasure Chest table.

The first Monday of the month you will be required to set up the second hand goods with the help of a few other helpers, and on the Tuesday to run the table with a helper and then to pack all the unsold goods away. It is only once a month from February to December.

Please see either Roslyn or Christa if you are interested.

The Haslehurst Family and The World's Greatest Shave

This year David, Brodie, Aaron, Rowan and Michelle are shaving for the World's Greatest Shave on Wednesday 13 March.

It raises funds for the Leukaemia Foundation to help beat blood cancer.

To sponsor the Haslehurst family go to the link set out below or find it on our Facebook page.

<http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/haslehurstfamily>

Weekly Services

Sundays

At CCBC		At WESTSIDE
9.30am New Series– The Church Communion monthly on 1st Sunday	6pm New Series–The Church Communion monthly on 3rd Sunday	9.30am New Series–Genesis: the way of the world and the ways of God Communion on 1st & 3rd Sundays

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Further prayer points continued from page 3

LOCAL NEWS

- ◇ Continue to pray for our nation as we face both State and Federal Elections over coming months.
- ◇ Radical legislation is being proposed in the Qld Parliament concerning Assisted Suicide/Euthanasia, and in South Australia a Greens Bill would allow abortion up to birth with no restrictions.

Prayer Meetings held weekly in the Church Sunday & Friday Morning Prayer Meetings are held in the back room downstairs (crèche room) – All are very welcome to attend.		 Prayer Chain Prayer requests to be sent by text to our Prayer Chain on 0466 271 884.
Sunday mornings at 9.15am Meet for prayer before the morning worship service.	Friday mornings at 9.15am Prayer for Mission and the World. To find out more see Di Cairncross.	

Direct Giving @ CCBC

We encourage you to consider using electronic banking for your regular giving. If you give in this way please show 'GIVING' on the deposits.

To find out the Church bank account details or for any other queries speak to our Secretary Paul Willis email him- secretary@ccbaps.com.au

Sermons

Sermons from weekly services are available at the CCBC website. Go to www.ccbaps.com.au click on 'resources' and choose the sermon you'd like to hear.

**Contact Information
for various Ministries within
the Church**

Comments & Prayer Requests

Children

Crèche Ellen Mayo

Kidz Church

Pre-Schoolers Leanne Richardson

K22 Danielle Willis

Playtime Kellie Morgan

Brigades

Girls Janelle Longley

Boys Derek Longley

Child Protection Officers

Phil Singline

John Rees

Martin Kennedy

Youth

Pastor-Martin Kennedy

Westside

Kid's Church Fiona Singline

Playgroup Bianca Noakes

Guardian Angel Preschool 02 4625 4110

Other

Friendship Club John Rees

Practical Care Team -

Contact the Deacons

Women's Ministry

Merilyn Pullin

Angela Brown

*Please use the space below
for any comments,
prayer requests,
responses or suggestions.*

Prayer requests are:

◇ for prayer team

◇ Confidential

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◇ *I consent to my contact
details being published in
the Church Directory*

Signed

Notices for the Monthly Town Crier

Send via email to admin@ccbaps.com.au or
leave your notice in the marked bag in the
church foyer.

Deadline for notices for the April edition is

For Visitors & Church Family

Date _____

If you are a visitor, or you wish to make a comment, a prayer request or add your information to our database, please complete this tear-off strip and place it in the offering bag or in the box in the foyer.

Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss.....

Address.....

Phone

Email.....

◇ I am a first time visitor
(I came as the guest of

◇ I am looking for a church home

◇ I would appreciate a call from the
Pastor or one of the Elders

◇ I am interested in finding out about
your church activities

◇ I would like to know more about
Baptism or Membership

◇ I would like to join a Bible Study
group

◇ I would like to use my gifts more
effectively to serve God

◇ I would like information on how to
become a Christian

I am interested in being involved in -

◇ Music Ministry

◇ Youth Ministry

◇ Children's Ministry

◇ Welcoming Ministry

◇ Hospitality

◇ Leading or hosting a Community
Bible Study Group

Campbelltown City Baptist Church

Cnr Lindesay & Chamberlain Sts Campbelltown
Mail: PO Box 102N, Campbelltown Nth, 2560

Tel: (02) 4628 2844 - Church Office
(02) 4627 3363 - Church Building

Website: www.ccbaps.com.au
Email: admin@ccbaps.com.au

Westside Church
Cnr Gould & Dobell Rd, Claymore

Associate Pastors

Associate- James Grady

Westside- Phil Singline

Youth- Martin Kennedy

Seniors- John Rees

Elders

Quentin Brown

Edwin Dy

Danny Cooper

Matthew Richardson

Secretary

Paul Willis

Treasurer

Justin Dinale

Deacons

David Haslehurst

Maureen Peace

Carlos Ramirez

Church Office Administrators 02 4628 2844

Merilyn Pullin & Christine Dinale

Prayer Chain

0466 271 884
(Text Only)



THE CHURCH OFFICE
Is open Monday-Friday
10am—2pm