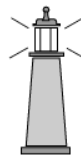


Sunday 11th March, 2018



The Beacon

BEACONSFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH



We are a people moving through cycles of **servicing** our community, **telling** others what Jesus has done, and **planting** new communities of faith with joy.

VISITORS 

We are glad to have you with us. We invite you to read the “Visitors” information on page 4 of this newsletter.

PRAYER: Following each service there are caring people waiting to pray with you, about *anything* that God may have placed on your heart. They will be at the front of the auditorium on the left hand side.

Working Bee

This Saturday

There is a church working bee this Saturday (17th March) from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

The main job is to dig out the Scoria on the emergency exit path at the back of the church. Tools needed are wheel barrows and shovels, and trailers. Working bees are always a great time of fellowship.



A Pleasant Autumn Sunday Afternoon

... will be with us **next Sunday afternoon**. Be a part of this inspiring afternoon of community hymn singing—much of which we do not experience in our services today.

Our special guests are **Peter Brown** and **Liz and Andrew Freemantle**. You need to come and experience this wonderful music by these fabulous musicians. Be here! next Sunday 18th March, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Brochures are available at the Life Desk. *Music to wash from the soul, the dust of everyday life.*

Enquiries can be made to Howard Guscott (0490 145 133).

Mission Prayer Focus

David Hobbs, Sports Chaplaincy Australia

Please remember David Hobbs in prayer this week, in his work as a sports chaplain in the Warragul area. Pray for him as he serves in local schools and sports clubs with kids who are experiencing behavioural challenges or going through tragic circumstances.

Pray for him as he visits with other church pastors and works to promote the vision of SCA. Pray that more chaplains will become involved in sports chaplaincy. Thank God that after a key person witnessed the impact of the chaplaincy work being done in the Warragul footy club, Swimming Victoria have been challenged to install club chaplains throughout Victoria.

David has particularly requested prayer for the family of a 15 year old girl who passed away after a car accident recently. Pray also for her school community at Drouin Secondary College, her workmates at the local McDonalds, and her netball club team.

Congratulations

Adrian and Olga Massey are praising God for the safe arrival of a healthy baby boy, Benjamin, on Wednesday night. Mother and baby are both well. They are very grateful to God and thank everyone who has been praying for them.



Rosters	This week	Next week
Counting the offering	Anne Joynton and Bruce Ward	Peter Bakker and Marianne Kopp
Morning tea	Chris & Sue Packham and Robert & Kerry Wreith	Ken Agnew and Graeme & Ann Taylor
Library monitor	Ann Taylor	Elraes Wynne-Yorke



Charity Concert

Supporting "Hospital Packs for Kids"

Melbourne's Leading
Community Band

@

Beaconsfield Baptist Church

(corner Desmond Court, Beaconsfield)

40+ musicians.
With music from
Movies, the Swing
Era, Classics, and
Sacred.

Free refreshments after
performance

(approx. 3:30pm)

Entry by donation

\$10 Adult

\$8 Senior

\$5 Child U18

\$25 Family

(suggested – all proceeds to charity)

Proudly supporting
guest vocalist
Christine Neaves

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VISITORS

Welcome Pack

On your way into church this morning you should have received a Welcome Pack. These packs contain lots of important information to help you learn more about our church. Also in the pack are some gifts for you, as well as a visitors form. Filling in the form will allow us to be aware of your visit, and if you are looking to make Beaconsfield Baptist your home it will help us connect with you. Please place your completed cards in the blue box on the Life Desk.



Welcome Lounge

Our Welcome Lounge is open immediately after our morning services and is a great place to visit. You will meet some of our friendly people, have an opportunity to ask any questions.

We run events for newcomers at intervals, so we encourage you, when you are ready, to provide your contact details if you would like to be invited to an event.

Life Desk

The Life Desk has all the information you need about all that is happening in the life of Beaconsfield Baptist. You will be greeted by a friendly person and can find information regarding upcoming events, ministries, and term planners.

THE REGULAR STUFF

The **Prayer Chain** is for urgent prayer requests, such as any sort of emergency or serious illness. Prayer Chain members keep all "Prayer Chain" requests in the strictest confidence. The Convenor is Jan Ketcher, and she can be contacted on e-gran@bigpond.com or 9707 4512.



Each Sunday following the services there are caring people at the front of the auditorium on the left hand side to **pray with you** about *anything* that God may have placed on your heart.

Please leave **postage stamps for missions** in the box so labelled on the bench in the lobby.

Pearly Gates



Name _____ Date _____

Phone _____ 10am 6pm

Which service do you attend?

- I'm visiting the area
- I want to join a Life Group
- I'm looking for a church home
- I'm interested in serving in the church
- I would appreciate a call from the pastoral care team
- I want to know more about Jesus
- I'm interested in being baptised

PTO



Communication Card

Prayer Request / Comments

Can we help you?

PTO _____

THE REGULAR STUFF (continued)

Send copy for the **Beacon** to PJRayment@Yahoo.com.au. Please include "Beacon" in the subject.

All copy for the Beacon should be given to Philip Rayment by one of the following means.

- ◆ E-mail to address above or call 5941 4292, in either case by 8 p.m. the previous Thursday.
- ◆ Typed or written in Philip Rayment's pigeon hole in the church foyer by the previous Sunday morning.

Copy by e-mail is preferred. Otherwise please type or neatly write the copy. By telephone should be a last resort. If you miss these deadlines it may still get in, but no promises. (24 hours later will usually be okay, except for the pigeon hole.)

Unless requested otherwise, copy will be run as follows: Notices (e.g. births) will be run once. Requests will be run twice. Announcements of future church activities will be run twice, then as space permits.

Beacon **Inserts** for church or ministry activities should be arranged with Alan and Louise MacDonald, who print and collate the Beacon.

All notices for the News or Events sections of the Church's **web site** should be emailed to Peter Joynson at pwjoynson@hotmail.com, and for

in-church on-screen announcements to Matthew Inman at matthew.inman97@gmail.com.

Church Banking Details for tithes and offerings: BSB: 704-922; Account No: 100007477; Account Name: Beaconsfield Baptist Church.

THE REGULAR STUFF (continued)

Addresses, Telephone Numbers, and Availability

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Web:	www.BeaconsfieldBaptist.com.au	Secretary:	Leola Moore-Coulson				
Graeme Dunkley:	graeme@beaconsfieldbaptist.com.au	Church:	9707 0777				
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		Graeme	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
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Concerns and ideas about **church property** can be emailed to church_property@beaconsfieldbaptist.com.au , with ‘maintenance’ in the subject if it’s a maintenance issue, or a note placed in the office pigeon hole.

Suggestions and feedback about **church services** can be emailed to sunday_operations@beaconsfieldbaptist.com.au or a note placed in the office pigeon hole.

Groups and Activities

See the calendar for dates (except Life Groups).

Many groups and activities take a break during holidays

Life Groups

Life Groups are a vibrant part of life at Beaconsfield Baptist Church. We currently have groups running in most surrounding suburbs and for all different age and stages from youth through to Seniors. They are a great place to journey with people and explore the Word of God. If you are interested in being part of a group visit the Life Desk in the foyer. Most groups take a break in the school holidays but check with your group leader for specific details.

Other Groups

What	Where	When	Who
Youth (school years 7-12)	Church	7—9 p.m. Fridays	Rod Thearle
Make & Mingle	Church	10:00 a.m. Wednesdays	Ann Taylor
Social-Lights	Various	Second Thursdays	Geoff Dunn
Breakfast for men	Berwick McDonalds	7:00 a.m. Fridays	Peter Joynson
Missions Committee	Church	Third Tuesdays	
<i>nextgen</i> (creche to grade 6)	Church	10:15—11:15 a.m. Sundays	Grant Lester
Library—morning	Church lobby	Sundays after services	Monitor or Ann Taylor
Little Beacies playgroup	Church	10 a.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays	Grant Lester
Seniors L.I.F.E. Fellowship	Church	10:30 a.m. Tuesdays	Ken and Lucy Harris
Ladies’ coffee	Old Cheese Factory	10 a.m. 1 st and 3 rd Fridays	Lucy Harris
Mainly Music	Church	10:00 a.m. Mondays	Grant Lester
Tuesday music sessions	Church	5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. 2 nd & 4 th Tuesdays	Peter Brown

CHURCH CALENDAR

☞ See further information elsewhere in this Beacon

® See in the Regular Stuff section

TODAY	10:00 a.m.	Worship service — Graeme Dunkley: <i>Last Supper</i> Luke 22:1-38 (Susanne Bestenbreur leading)—and nextgen
	6:00 p.m.	Night church —Rod Thearle: <i>Your Pride</i> Philemon 2:3 (Chris & Kirsty Leboeuf leading)

Mon. 12th 10:00 a.m. ® Mainly Music

Tue. 13th 10:00 a.m. ® Little Beacies playgroup

10:30 a.m. ® Seniors L.I.F.E. Fellowship

5:30 p.m. ® Tuesday music session

Wed. 14th 10:00 a.m. ® Make and Mingle

10:00 a.m. ® Little Beacies playgroup

Fri. 16th 10:00 a.m. ® Ladies coffee

7:00 p.m. ® Youth Group

Sat. 17th 8:00 a.m. ☞ Working bee

Sun. 18th	10:00 a.m.	Worship service —Graeme Dunkley: <i>Arrest and betrayal</i> Luke 22:39-62—and nextgen
	2:30 p.m.	☞ A Pleasant Sunday Afternoon
	6:00 p.m.	Night church —Graeme Dunkley: <i>Your Power</i> Lue 22:25

More Calendar Dates

Wed. 21st March 6:30 p.m. Global Interaction dinner

Tue. 27th March 5:30 p.m. ® Tuesday music session

Wed. 28th March 9:30 a.m. Packing children's hospital activity packs.

Fri. 6th April 10:00 a.m. ® Ladies coffee

Sun. 22nd April 2:00 p.m. ☞ Charity concert