

Prayer Points

Pray knowing that God is working even when you cannot see His plan

We thank our Lord for His answers to prayer

- That our Youth group is up and running for Term 2.
- That Kings Kids commences again today. Give thanks for Jan Worrall's leadership and for the other leaders assisting in this vital ministry

Pray through the silence, knowing God is with you

Pray that the Lord's Will be done

- That we at ChristLife Presbyterian Church, will let the Word of God dwell in us richly and desire to be filled with the knowledge of God's will. We will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding live and conduct ourselves in a manner worthy of God, fully pleasing Him, and being fruitful in every good work
- Pray for C.O.M. as they seek the Lord regarding priority building projects
- For the investment of funds from the sale of the land

Welcome what God is doing to you in the waiting

Lord hear our prayer

- For Donna Bloomfield's first surgery is happening on 4 May. Her lung surgery could be 6-8 weeks later
- For the Coughran Family that they will draw near to God daily for the wisdom and strength required for the journey they are on at this time and be comforted as they rest in Jesus
- For Shiloh Ministries, India as the whole country battles another huge wave of Covid being more infectious than before. Pray for the Government to take the right action in this regard
- For Raju, Paul and all the church leaders as they seek God's wisdom in how to go about doing the Lord's work, when there are no current restrictions in place
- For Christians in Sri Lanka, where authorities could detain citizens for two years, with no trial, for causing disharmony, by even expressing an opinion on facebook

Children's Ministry Response Sheet replies please place in black and white spotty box, near the offering bags in the Auditorium.

*Any Prayer Requests, could you please email to admin@christlife.org.au
With appreciative thanks*



Sunday 25 April 2021

Worshipping Christ Jesus and sharing Him with others
Today's Sermon is titled "Awaiting the Dawn", based on Matthew 26:36-46, teaching provided by David Coburn



web browser link www.christlife.org.au/sermon



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April

Sunday 25 th	"Awaiting the Dawn" Matthew 26:36-46 D. Coburn
Wednesday 28 th	Mops 9:15 am
Thursday 29 th	J.O.Y. + visiting Awassi Sheep Farm
Friday 30 th	Youth 7:00pm

May

Sunday 2 nd	"In the Beginning" John 1:1-18 David Coburn
Friday 7 th	Youth 7:00pm
Sunday 9 th	Lord's Supper "Finding Messiah" John 1:19-51
Wednesday 12 th	Mops 9:15am
Sunday 16 th	"Tasting New Life" John 2:1-11 Kevin Montgomery
Monday 17 th	COM 7:00pm
Wednesday 19 th	Session
Saturday 22 nd	Working Bee 8:00am till noon
	Daughters of Faith Movie Night at 6:30pm
Sunday 23 rd	"Concealing Revealing" John 2:12-3:21 Ron Ayers
Thursday 27 th	J.O.Y. +
Sunday 30 th	"The Best Man" John 3:22—4:3 David Coburn

Your freewill offering

Due to Covid restrictions, the church is not permitted to circulate the offering bags, as we have done so in the past

The offering bags are available on your left as you enter the auditorium, for you to place your offering

EFPTOS machine is also available

What is the "Hippo" About?

(near the offering bags)

This is to support our Compassion Children for Kings Kids

Any loose change into Hippo will enable support to continue. This is open to all of us to contribute

J.O.Y.+ (Just Older Youth 50+) Outing

Thursday 29 April leaving the church at 10:00am, returning approx. 2:30pm

- ◇ a trip to the *AWASSI Sheep farm at Grantham*
- ◇ The Farm Tour with cheese tasting costs \$15 per person, which includes tea/coffee or iced water

Chat to Jim Lyons or phone him on 0414 897 517

RSVP: Today please

50+ age group, you are welcome to join us.

Mother's Day Gift Tables *Itchin 4 Stitching*

Plants available in the gated outdoor area. Prices are on each plant

Proceeds this year will be going towards purchasing treadle sewing machines for widows who are able to work from home and earn an income

(Shiloh Ministries, India) Efptos machine available, please write on the docket, "Itch 4 Stitch" Appreciative thanks

Qld parliament will be introducing an Euthanasia Bill by end of May without any assurance of full and proper scrutiny

To read further on this and to sign the petition, before 9 May, please go to info@cherishlife.org.au

Growing Communication at Christlife - Survey

Following our Church Health Consultancy in late 2020 the Elders were given this recommendation:

"The Session survey the congregation regarding the type of information they are looking to receive from Session and decide how that might be better communicated"

Session have released a survey that **you can do anytime between now and Sunday May 2nd**

Find it online at rebrand.ly/christlife or grab a paper copy to fill – in from the foyer and **return it to the Blue box**

“AWAITING THE DAWN” Matthew 26:36-46

The beginning of the Commemorative Dawn Service

The dedicated clergyman: Rev. Arthur Ernest White

A Priest and another event that took place just before dawn

Jesus at the Garden of Gethsemane

The story of struggle and sorrow

The meal and the Mount of Olives

The abandonment

The crucifixion

The Prayer

Keep watch

More than a physical struggle

The weight of sin

The Battle

Submission

Strength

Temptation

A call to action

Christ sees the Father.

We see Christ, our source of salvation

The battle is won, our life has been bought

A request and not a consideration

One goal

To win a battle it takes an army