

Prayer Points

Our Loving Creator we honour you and

We thank our Lord for His answers to prayer

- For the Annual Congregational Celebration Evening
- For the 3 new members of COM—Mark, Rob & Will
- For the ongoing giving of our people to the Lord's Work
- For the regular giving of Time Talent and Treasure to God's Work
- Give thanks for the rain that has fallen
- For Gavin & Sue's wedding yesterday

Provide us with your Strength for what lies ahead and

Pray that the Lord's Will be done

- For Ron Ayers as he leads the Selection Committee
- For our Selection Committee as they research names
- For Sound Desk volunteers to be raised up at our church to assist with the leading of worship and music
- As the Congregation adjusts to the recommendations of the consultancy report

God we love you; we are yours, swing wide open heaven's doors and

Lord hear our prayer

- James Cheetham—surgery Saturday 27th at the PA in Brisbane
- Ask God for continued rain to fall in the catchment areas of the dams to secure water supplies
- Donna Bloomfield's surgery on 23rd March in Brisbane
- For those who have volunteered to be involved with Kings Kids, Jan, Lillian, Daniel, Wendy, Abby, Emily and Rachel. May God use them greatly
- For the Prime Minister as he leads this nation and deals with the ongoing allegations from within Parliament House. May he have wisdom and guidance as he deals with the care of those affected

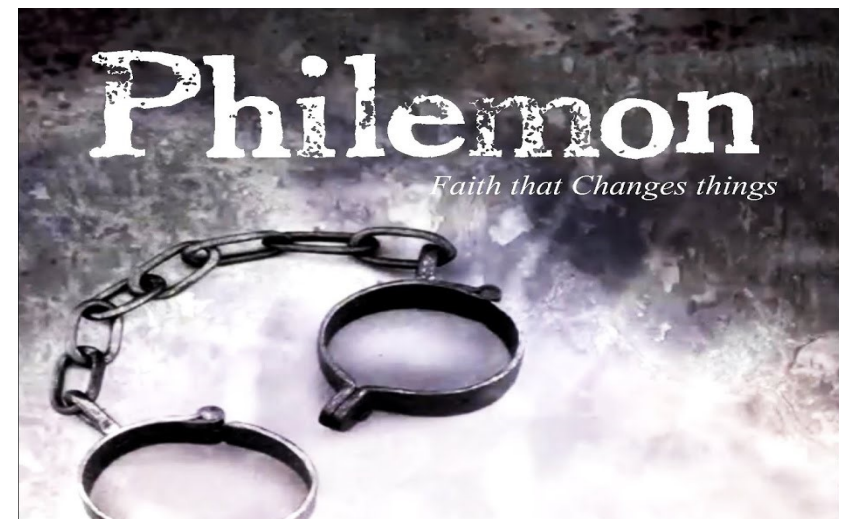
At the Annual Congregational Meeting it was brought to Session's attention the importance of Small Groups and the role they play in building community within our church.

To assist in guiding new people to a small group, could each small group leader email to admin@christlife.org.au the particulars of when and where your group meets, so an up-to-date record can be made available. Thank you for your assistance with this. ChristLife Session



Sunday 21 March 2021

Worshipping Christ Jesus and sharing Him with others
Today's Sermon is titled "Paul, I appeal to you"
based on Philemon, teaching provided by David Coburn



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



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Financials March:

Inwards \$15770
 Outwards \$15122
 Net Surplus \$ 648

March

Sunday 21 st	Philemon, "Paul, I appeal to you"
Wednesday 24 th	Session
Thursday 25 th	Joy+ Movie morning at church
Friday 26 th	Youth 7:00pm at ChristLife
Saturday 27 th	Ladies Devonshire Tea 9:00am
Sunday 28 th	2 Timothy 2:1-13 "The Lord will give you insight"
	F.I.S.H. lunch
Wednesday 31 st	Mops 9:15am

April

Good Friday 2 nd	9:30am "Rms 5:1-11 "Christ Died for our Salvation"
Easter Sunday 4 th	9:30am Romans 6:1-14 "Since Christ Was Raised"
Saturday 10 th	2:-00 - 4:00pm Itchin'4 Stitching
Sunday 11 th	Lord's Supper "Stop doubting and believe"
Sunday 18 th	John 20:30-31 "That you may believe"
Wednesday 21 st	Session
Friday 23 rd	Youth 7:00pm
Sunday 25 th	Deuteronomy 28 "Nations will come against you"
Wednesday 28 th	Mops 9:15 am
Thursday 29 th	J.O.Y. +
Friday 30 th	Youth 7:00pm

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

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.



Your Invitation

Ladies within the body of Christlife we invite you to gather -

Where: At the Coburn's Cosy Camp for Devonshire Tea

When: Saturday 27th March, meet at church at 9am to car pool

Why: This is an opportunity to share

RSVP: Wednesday 24 March, or sign your name on the form available in the foyer

Want to know more speak to Tamara, Di, Jenny C or Jenny H

FISH (Fellowship in Someone's Home) *Sunday 28 March*, after church

Place your preference in the fish bowl in the foyer by TODAY

Chat to Lorraine Clark with any queries

Pres Aid Appeal, Good Friday Offering

Update: People's generosity enabled the Presbyterian Church to send \$20,000 to Vanuatu for much needed repairs at the Talua Ministry Training Institute after Cyclone Harold

Looking forward ...

Books and online resources are needed to stimulate the minds and hearts of the students, and also protective dehumidifiers for the library of Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Dehradun, India

The call for help from Zambia is for the university registration fee of Chasefu Theological College, to raise a new generation of Presbyterian pastors

What is the "Hippo" About? (near the offering bags)

This is to support our Compassion Children for Kings Kids

Every week could you drop any loose change into Hippo to enable our support to continue. This is open to all of us to contribute



“Paul, I appeal to you.”

Paul the Apostle

Philemon-A personal friend, labourer & leader

Onesimus- The runaway slave

Love & Forgiveness

Sharing our faith. A connection to the Lords prayer

Romans 1:5 **GRACE:** Gods Riches At Christs Expense

John 13:35 Love. How are we known?

Command- Appeal

Useless to useful

A slave - to a brother in Christ

“Salvation is a gift to be received, not a goal to be achieved”

Kind & Tender hearted

Eph.4:32 Kindness

Cancel the debt

Forgiveness restores relationships

The account has been paid

2 Cor.5:21 Righteousness of God

I Peter 2:24 He took our sin

Don't run away- come back to the Father's house

A letter of pardon-complete forgiveness

2021 Easter Appeal

PresAID - making a difference



The 2020 PresAID Easter Appeal was impacted by COVID, but your generosity enabled us to send \$20,000 to Vanuatu for much needed repairs at the Talua Ministry Training Institute after Cyclone Harold hit in April. Thank you for blessing Talua!

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The call for help from **Zambia** is for the university registration fee of **Chasefu Theological College**, to raise a new generation of Presbyterian pastors.

Urgent security fencing and water supply is needed for the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian (CCAP), to provide better working facilities for the **Zambian church headquarters.**



Funds are needed to send our ministers for annual intensive **training of Christian workers** of our partner church, the **Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Timor Leste (EPCTL).**



Your congregation is invited to participate by giving generously and donating your Good Friday Offering to the PresAID 2021 Easter Appeal

To date PresAID has been able to provide almost \$1,500,000 to overseas aid projects of a practical nature as well as those with a theological focus.

THANK YOU for enabling PresAID to bless others in this way.

Remittance Form for 2021 PresAID Easter Appeal

To:
The General Manager,
Presbyterian Church of Victoria,
156 Collins Street,
MELBOURNE VIC 3000

DIRECT DEBIT DETAILS:
Presbyterian Church of Victoria
BSB: 083-004
Acc: 015016531
Transaction description:
"PresAID - <name of church>"

Dear Sir,

Notification by email to:
accountant@pcv.org.au
would be appreciated.

Please find enclosed a cheque for \$

Being the donation from

*NB: Cheque should be made out to: 'Presbyterian Church of Victoria'

Name of Church Treasurer

Please forward receipt to me at:

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Any funds received beyond what's needed for these three projects will become the seed of an ongoing short-term overseas disaster fund which would be administered in emergency circumstances under instruction from the PresAID committee.

For all enquiries about PresAID contact the convener:
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