



Church of Christ Bassendean Inc.

The Contact

*We warmly welcome you as you
worship with us today.*

24th Feb 2019

TODAY'S MESSAGES

Worship Service: Philippians 4: 10 – 23 Ian Kirk
10am Contentment and Caring
Evening Service: Genesis 1: 1-5; John 1: 1-5 Ian Kirk
6pm In the Beginning

Looking for Lasting Joy

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy." Romans 15:13
 How often have you found what you were looking for in life, only to realise it didn't bring you the satisfaction you thought it would? It is life's ultimate frustration -thinking we will find fulfilment in the things of this world. But they can never bring lasting happiness. As one bumper sticker I saw expressed it, "All I want is a little more than I have now."
 We look for love, security and happiness through our jobs,

our possessions, our relationships—but if they really brought lasting joy, wouldn't we have testimonies to that effect from millions of people all over the world? Instead, we find emptiness, discontent, and hopelessness.

Try putting Christ first and watch how your life is turned around. You will discover that He alone is the source of the love, peace, and joy you have been searching for. Billy Graham—Hope for Today

Prayer Points

- For the teenage youth group camp next weekend in Albany – please pray and support this camp and uphold Rod Manton and the leaders in prayer.
- For the Board meeting this Monday night. Pray that God would lead our elders and deacons to know and do His will.
- Praise to God for the start of the Little One's Play Group last Friday morning. Pray for Annette Errington as she heads up this group.
- Praise to God for Peter Burnett recovering sufficiently to come home from hospital. Pray that his body would strengthen enough for him to have chemotherapy.
- For those grieving over the passing of loved ones.
- Praise God that Shaun has now found additional chaplaincy work (a new position of two days at Mundaring Primary School, complimenting the two days chaplaincy he does at Northam).

Dates to Remember

Fri 1 March
 World Day of Prayer

Fri 1—Mon 4 March
 Teen Youth Camp

Sat 9 March
 Women to Women

Sun 24 March
 Hospitality Sunday

Sat 30 March
 Hope India
 Curry Night

Prayer Points continued...

- For those unwell and/or recovering: John Blitvich, Rod Vladich, Bryce Wells, Bobby Hall and Douglas McQue.
- For Graeme Jacques and Carl Carmody as they travel through the UK in regard to Challenge Newspapers.
- For the Bible School and Sunday Schools that meet each Sunday morning.
- For the Monday morning mother's Bible study group – please uphold Donna in prayer as she runs this group.
- For the Building Committee as they progress with plans and costings to increase seating capacity.
- For N, as her lawyer progresses her application for a protection visa.
- For pastor Ian and Colleen, who will be leaving this Friday for their trip to Israel. Pray that they will be blessed spiritually, as they travel through the land of the Bible.

Sermon series on Philippians

As our sermon series on Philippians draws to a close this morning, we trust you have been blessed, as we seek to live out this highly practical book of Holy Scripture. Today we will be handing out the ten verses in Philippians from this sermon series—we encourage each of you to commit these verses to memory. You can also catch up on any missed sermons online.

World Day of Prayer

Friday 1st March • 10.30am • Basso Church

This event is held annually in over 170 countries, where women come together in prayer for a particular nation (this year is for Slovenia). There will be a light luncheon after the prayer time. Please see Dot Fox for more information.

Basso Teen Youth Camp

Fri 1st—Mon 4th March • Years 7-12 • \$60 • Albany Happy Days Caravan Park

The teen youth group is going camping down in Albany very soon! The cost of \$60 covers food, travel, and accommodation. If you can help out or would like more information please contact Rod Manton on 0401 031 282 or rman-ton@bassochurch.org.au

Women to Women Morning Tea

Saturday 9th March • 9.30am • \$5 • Basso Church

Ladies, our first event for the year will be a morning tea at our church—a 'simulated flight' from Earth to Heaven. "Boarding passes" are on sale in the church foyer after morning services.

Creation Ministries International

Sunday 10th March • 6pm • Basso Church

CMI will be joining us for our evening service on Sunday 10th March, to share on *The Scientific Credibility of Creation*. We would encourage everyone to come along, and to invite others along too, to affirm that we really can trust the Bible from the very first verse.

Church Morning Teas: We will need someone to prepare the church morning tea/evening supper areas for next Sunday 3rd March, and Sunday 10th March. If you are able to help, please see Dawn House today, who will show you what needs to be done. Thank you!

A new Playgroup—"Little One's"

The church has started up a new ministry, a Playgroup for mums and bubs on Friday mornings from 9.30am-11.30am. Annette Errington will be running the Playgroup, so please keep this ministry and Annette in prayer. Flyers with more information will be made available in the foyer.

"Around the World Curry Night" - Fundraiser for Hope India Mission

Sat 30th March • 6pm • \$23 (Adults) \$12 (Child) • Basso Church

For tickets, please see Anthony & Liina (0407 440 640) or Ian & Tracy Hopkins

The Church Calendar for Mar '19-Feb '20 is now available for collection in the foyer.

Church Directories

We are currently updating the Church Directory. To help us accurately update this, please see the draft copy in the foyer and check if the details are correct (including birthdays at the back of the book). If you would like to be included in the Directory, there is a notebook there to provide your details.

Rod Manton's Graduation: Pastor Rod Manton is having his graduation ceremony from Trinity College this coming Wednesday evening, 27 Feb, 7.30pm, at North Beach Baptist Church. If you would like to attend, you can book tickets (which are free) at www.trybooking.com/ZENE Dress code is smart formal wear. Rod, we want to lift you and your family up before the Lord!

Eden Hill Kids Club: If anyone is interested in helping this kids club team from Term 2 onwards, please see Ian Kirk or Lea Sokolowski.

Mission Murmuring

Continue in prayer for **Heather Miller**, Philippines, as she prepares to leave for England in April. Heather is retiring, and will be leaving her adopted family and children in the Philippines. Heather says, "It is hard to imagine leaving, although I am looking forward to all that God has in store for my future".

Continue to pray for **Elise**, Philippines, following the tragic car accident she was involved in. Elise remains very jumpy and nervous in the driver seat, but is hoping this will improve. Elise hopes to visit Michael's mother and family, and spend time sharing with them. She had only seen them from a distance at Michael's funeral. Elise values our church prayers, as she must now try to resume her missionary role once more.

Happy Birthday to those celebrating this week, including Amy Shanks (25th), Heather Miller and James Sharp (both on 26th), Lily Jacques (1st) and Reden Utting (2nd).

Service Plan - 3rd March

Leading:	P Errington
Communion:	S Borgogno
Reader:	J Fabry
Helpers:	E Holmes D Polglaze E Manglicmot
Ushers:	A & L Pittaway
Crèche:	B & L Jacques
Chapel Cleaners:	P Green & N Zoghi
Hall Cleaners:	L & L Sokolowski
Flowers:	J Burnett
Sound Desk:	M Mooy
Evening Service:	R Manton (Communion Service)
Craft Set-up:	L Whisson & D Oorschot

What's Happening This Week

24th February

Mon	9.30am Young Mother's Bible study 1.15 pm Home Group @ Hazel's
Tue	9.00am Community Craft 1.00pm The Carpenter's Workshop 6.00pm Home Group (Yr 9 - Uni)
Wed	7pm and 7.30pm Home Groups
Fri	9.30am Little One's Playgroup 6.00pm Junior Youth Group 7.30pm Teen Youth Group

Last Week's Attendance: 217

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Church Finances as at 17 Feb:

Faith Promise for this Year:

Pledged: Received:

Building Fund :

Total Received: Received FYTD:

If you wish to deposit directly into our bank account, please use the reference to note "Building Fund", "Faith Promise" etc, if it is for a specific gift.

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Deut 16:17 "Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God that He has given you."