



BASSO CHURCH

fixing our eyes on Jesus

18th July 2021

THE CONTACT

Sunday's Sermons

Worship Service: Revelation 19:7-16 "The War and the Wedding" Ian Kirk

Evening Service: Psalm 103:1-14 "Bless the Lord" Ian Kirk

10 am Service —livestream bassochurch.org.au/church-online/

A Significant Time!

There are significant times in our life. For me recently, it has been the passing of my dad's brother, and then my own dad, two weeks afterwards. My dad's brother was like a second dad to me, and my own dad was a great father who encouraged me and spent time with me. I will miss them very much. But their time to leave this earth was not unexpected. Both had prostate cancer that had metastasised. We are grateful for the time we had to see them before they died, and to express our love for them. Growing up, they were great sportsmen, and always competitive; not just with outsiders, but especially with each other. It seems that their final competition was to see who would get to heaven first! Or perhaps it was to see who would last the longest on earth! If that was the case, my dad won! But whoever "won", I am grateful that both have gone to heaven, because in this life, they came to personally trust in and believe in God's Son, Jesus Christ. I am so thankful that Jesus died so that we could be forgiven, and that through His resurrection we can live eternally, when we put our faith in Him. Jesus said in John 11:25-26 "I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in Me shall live even if he dies, and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

Ian Kirk-for Echo Community Newspaper

Prayer Points

- For the Men's Camp/Retreat this weekend. Pray for the men as they have fellowship with each other and encourage one another in God's Word.
- For the memorial service for Hazel Perkins after our morning service today.
- For Neville H and his family (including Neville's mum Mary H), after the passing of Neville's wife Kathy during the week. The funeral for Kathy was held last Friday at Narembeen.

Coming Events

Today
Luncheon and
Memorial Service
for Hazel Perkins

Sat 24 July
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Prayer Points continued...

- For our building committee and our builders, Castle Projects, as things about the contract are finalised.
- For the salvation of those about us who have not come to Christ yet.
- For all our ministry leaders and helpers as they begin their various outreaches and activities for third term.
- For those unwell and who struggle with ongoing sicknesses: Kerry M, Deb U, Reg F, Nikki O dad, Trish M, Ken B, Margaret B, John H, Heide W and Peter S.
- For Juan and Vicki in Sydney as they settle in and begin a new ministry there to refugees.
- For Amy & Josh S, as Amy nears the time for the birth of their baby.
- For all our church families that have been blessed recently with the birth of a precious little life.

Memorial Service for Hazel P - will be held TODAY Sunday 18th July at 12:30pm. Please stay for a light luncheon followed by a memorial service in the chapel celebrating the life of this wonderful Christian lady.

Memorial Service for Errol K - Due to the closing of state and territory borders in parts of Australia which prevent Errol's family coming to Perth, the memorial service will be postponed until further notice.

Thank you John, Jackie, Shannon and David along with Ian, Colleen, Amy, Melanie and Heidi (and families) would like to express their appreciation and thanks for the prayers, cards, phone calls and flowers received following the passing of our much loved Dad and Grandad. (Carl K). We are so blessed to belong to such a supportive and loving church community.

Young Adult Hangout

Saturday 24 July | 9:30am | the Manse. The mornings may be chilly but the fellowship will be warm at our next Young Adult Hangout! Join us for morning tea. Please bring some food to share - open to those aged 15-35!

Hospitality Sunday Sunday 1 August is Hospitality Sunday, where we join each other at various homes over lunch, after the morning service. We would encourage you all to be part of this, as it's a great way of getting to know each other better. Please see Annette E or Judy B if you are interested in hosting or attending.

Operation Christmas Child—we are privileged to again participate in this wonderful initiative with Samaritan's Purse where we collect various small items (crafts, toys, clothing etc) and fill shoeboxes to be delivered to children in need of hope around the world at Christmas time. Shoeboxes and flyers are available in the breezeway. When returning, please remember to include \$10 to cover project costs. See Colleen K and Sam T for more information.

Keswick Autumn Convention - Theme based on Genesis “A Jacob Journey”
23-25 July | Camp Wattle Grove | Free see flyer in breezeway.

Perth Men’s Convention - Theme based on Ezekiel -“Crossing the Distance”
Saturday 14 August | 8.30am - 3pm | \$60 | Register at pmc.ccowa.org

Perth Women’s Convention - Theme based on Ecclesiastes -“Live Life Well”
Saturday 28 August | 9am - 3.30pm | \$78 | Register at pwc.ccowa.org

The Way of the Master—Intermediate Training Course - 8 week course commencing Wednesday 28th July 6:30-8:00pm | \$20 | Edith Cowan University Joondalup. This is a follow on from the basic course to further equip you for effective witnessing. Please see Jennifer Y for more details.

Fundraising events—we are blessed to be able to partner with some generous members of our community who are keen to support our fundraising efforts.

Gourmet honey fundraiser—local WA honey producer “Honey in the Garden” will be supplying us with some of their amazing, premium quality natural honey to purchase. Products will be available for tasting next Sunday 25th July in the back hall while you enjoy your cuppa. Orders will be taken over the next few weeks and delivered late August. Don’t miss out—this is seriously good stuff!!

Movie Night—“the Least of These” Wednesday 18th August (tbc) 7:00pm | \$10 with special guest Andrew M—the co-producer and screenwriter of the film. Andrew will be available for Q&A after the screening. “The Least of These” is based on the true story of Australian missionary Graham Staines in India. This evening will be in lieu of our regular Wednesday night home groups meeting and we would encourage you to come along to support Missions Month, Andrew M (who is generously donating his time), and the church build fundraising efforts. Tickets for the event will be on sale soon. Thank you for your support of these fundraising initiatives. Steve and Alana

Mission Murmurings - Vicki & Juan, Sydney, Juan has shared the huge impact and void he is feeling settling into Sydney culture. He is missing familiar faces, friends and his routine from Akaba, Jordan. This adjustment to living in Australian culture is very new for him. It takes time to nurture and grow new support partners, so please pray for them all, especially that the Lord will bring caring men into Juan’s circle of life.

Challenge, The Good News Newspaper continues to be used in prisons around the world. These papers are tailored to engage prisoners with relevant stories. Malawai is now onboard as well with prison editions. Carl and Kevin continue to promote the paper around local churches and schools here in Perth.

A new winter **Leprosy Mission** catalogue can be accessed on line at www.leprosymission.org.au. Varied prices to suit all budgets are available, well worth a look, you will be surprised!

Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating birthdays this week, including Joshua E (20th), Callum B and Jemimah J (both on 23rd). We hope you enjoy your day!



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Let us know if you want to join our group emails and text messaging system

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Church Services: Sundays 10 am and 6pm

Livestream 9am: [YouTube channel](#) or at www.bassochurch.org.au/church-online/

Sun 9.00am Basso Kids Sunday Schools (ages 3-15)

Mon 1.00pm Ladies Home Group

Tue 9.00am Community Craft Group
1.00pm The Carpenter's Workshop
7.00pm Home Groups (Teens from Yr9-Uni; Adult Group)

Wed 9.30am Little Ones Playgroup
2.30pm Home Group
7.30pm Home Groups

Thurs 8.00pm Home Group via Zoom

Fri 6.00pm Junior Youth Group
7.30pm Teen Youth Group

Sat 9.00am The Carpenter's Workshop (First Saturday of each month)

Keep up to date with what's going on via our website: www.bassochurch.org.au/whats-on/

SERVICE ROSTER

For next Sunday— 25th July

Leading: S Borgogno
Communion: tbc
Reader: E Borgogno
Side Helpers: S Obourne, J Barrett
J Jacques, K Farrar
Welcome Team: Team 3
Crèche: L Jacques, M Jacques
Sound: M Mooy, C Bruce
Video: S Errington
Morning Tea: J & N Kasdorf
Craft Set-Up: Board
Cleaners: Team 1
Evening Leader: K Bruce

OFFERINGS

Online: Set up a direct debit order directly with your bank, or a one-off gift. If your gift is for a specific purpose, *please use the reference to note* (e.g. "Faith Promise" etc,)

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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."

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