



# BASSO CHURCH

*fixing our eyes on Jesus*

8th May 2022

Sunday's Sermons

## THE CONTACT

Worship Service: Psalm 23 "Godly Relaxation"

Dave Powell

No Evening Service Tonight

*10 am service —livestream [bassochurch.org.au/church-online/](https://bassochurch.org.au/church-online/)*

### We Pray for Mothers

*"She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come. She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue. She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness. Her children arise and call her blessed." Proverbs 31:25-28*

Loving God, we ask your blessings on all mothers. May they be inspired with your mercy, wisdom, strength and selfless love.

*For new mothers with new responsibilities;*

*For expectant mothers, wondering and waiting;*

*For those who are tired, stressed or depressed;*

*For those who balance the tasks of work and family;*

*For those whose children have physical, mental or emotional disabilities;*

*For those who raise children on their own;*

*For those who have lost a child;*

*For those who care for the children of others;*

*For those whose children have left home;*

*For those whose desire to be a mother has not been fulfilled.*

Bless all mothers, that their love may be deep and tender, and that they may raise their children to know your ways, oh Lord.

### Prayer Points

- Praise God for the appointment of Dave Powell last Sunday to the position of part-time assistant pastor. Pray for Dave as he begins pastoral ministry, and pray also for Kate his wife.
- For all those who have been privileged to be mothers, grandmothers and great grandmothers, that God may help you to be godly and Christ-like, as you seek to point your precious children to Christ and to teach them of Him.

### Coming Events

**Sat 14 May 6pm**  
Women's  
Worship Night

**Fri 3-Mon 6 June**  
State Youth  
Games



## Prayer Points Continued...

- For our church fellowship that God would bring a time of growth, refreshment, and healing to us all, and that we would grow in love and unity for His glory and through His Spirit.
- For the State Youth Games that will be held during the June long weekend – in four weeks' time. Pray for Ethan B and Dawn H as they lead and organise it, and for all those who will attend, that many may come to personally know the Lord Jesus and be saved.
- For our home groups that began last week, and as we continue to study from God's word about Christ's Glorious Church and our part in it.
- For our two kids clubs. We're delighted that the Eden Hill Primary School kids club restarts this Tuesday, for the first time this year. And we are also thankful that we can continue the Anzac Terrace kids club on Tuesdays.
- For the Federal Election on the 21<sup>st</sup> May. Pray for God to raise up Christian parliamentarians, and for godly governance.
- For Stephen S, who will be getting his prosthetic legs shortly.
- For Marilyn McT, who is in hospital with a fractured shoulder.
- For Stuart MacD's mum, recovering from a heart attack.
- For those unwell and who struggle with ongoing sicknesses: Daryl Dw, David McK, Peter Sh, Tony F, Deb U and John H.
- For Isaac and Amy Str, who are expecting their second child in a few months.
- For pastor Ian Kirk, and Colleen, as they are on holidays over the next two weeks—pray that they may be refreshed through this break.

*Please note there is no evening service tonight—we hope you can enjoy the day with your family for Mother's Day.*

### **Commissioning Service for Dave Powell—Sunday 15th May**

Praise God for the appointment of Dave Powell last Sunday to the position of part-time assistant pastor.

Dave will be working part time at Basso church for 23 hours a week. This will be in the afternoons on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, as well as Friday night Youth Groups and Sunday services.

**Next Sunday 15th May**, we will be having a commissioning service for Dave, during our morning service, 10am at Basso.

Please continue to pray for our pastors, Ian Kirk and Dave Powell, and also for Alana Borgogno in her role at Basso through Ministry Support.

**Please note there is NO COMMUNITY CRAFT this Tuesday 10th May, due to a scheduled power outage.**

**Thank you!** Deb U would like to thank the church, and all those who have prayed for her and encouraged her through cards and calls through her cancer treatment. She's very happy to say that she is now in remission—praise God!

## **Women's Worship Night**

Saturday 14 May | 6pm | Basso Church

Ladies, please join us this Saturday, for our Worship Night—*Seeking God*. We will be coming together to worship our God, and celebrate God's goodness, glory and grace towards us. Flyers are available in the foyer—please feel free to invite family and friends. The night is free of charge, no tickets required.

## **State Youth Games (SYG) - Volunteers Needed!**

Friday 3 June—Monday 6 June | \$175 | Bunbury

SYG is on again this year, held in Bunbury over the June long weekend for 16 - 30 year olds. Registrations close 14th May!

***We are also in need of adult volunteers for the SYG weekend***— ideally, volunteers will need to assist the team with at least 3 of the 7 sporting sessions (in jobs like setting up/packing away/umpiring/scoring/first aid).

***How can we support our Basso SYG Team?***

- Bake snacks:** to help keep costs down (cookies/muffins etc, for 70 people)
  - Donate through the offering "SYG":** which will help the Northam kids attend.
  - Pray:** for safety, good conversations, that God will be glorified, and for the many kids on the Basso/Northam team who don't yet know Christ;
- Please see Dawn H or Ethan B if you can help.

**Visiting our brother Stephen S:** As you know, our brother, Stephen S is still at Fiona Stanley Rehabilitation Centre, following his accident in December. He is expecting to be fitted with prosthetic legs very soon, and will remain in hospital for rehab. If any men are wanting to volunteer to visit Stephen, please see Justin R or Dave P, who will help coordinate visitors.

## **Mission Murmurings**

**Hope India Mission:** Keep Jhansi A in prayer, as she is in Bangalore for four weeks, seeing family, and working among the poor and needy with Hope India Mission. If you want to support Hope India Mission, please put your donation in the Basso offering, clearly marked "Hope India Mission".

**Bible Society—Life Verses:** A life verse brings hope, comfort and peace as God assures you of His love. Bible Society tells the story of Ken— his childhood in Vietnam felt like hell on earth, with times of suicidal thoughts. Ken moved to Malaysia for a fresh start, however the language barrier caused more hopelessness. Alone, tearful, not sleeping, a friend took him to church. He heard the verse from Matthew 11:28: *"Come unto me, all who are weary, and burdened and I will give you rest."* That night, Ken prayed for rest, and he slept soundly. Today, Ken is a bible translator in Vietnam. He still faces hardships, but he has never forgotten his first life verse, and still knows God's peace. Ongoing support for the Bible Society enables foundational scriptures to change similar lives. What Bible verse has most impacted your faith journey?

**Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating birthdays this week**, including Joan C, Maylyn R and Matt W (all today!), Liam G and James M (both 11th), Fletcher M (12th) and Leilani Lebbos (both 13th). May God bless you all on your special 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

## SERVICE ROSTER

Church Services: Sundays 10 am and 6pm

Livestream 10am: [YouTube channel](#) or at [www.bassochurch.org.au/church-online/](http://www.bassochurch.org.au/church-online/)

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

Mon 1.00pm Ladies Home Group

Tue 7.00pm Home Groups  
(Adult Group via Zoom)

Wed 9.30am Basso Church Playgroup  
2.00pm Basso Creative Writers  
(2nd and 4th week of each month)

7.30pm Home Groups

Fri 6.00pm Junior Youth Group

7.30pm Teen Youth Group

*Note: The Tues teen & Thurs Zoom Home Groups are on break while Ian is on holidays.*

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

For next Sunday— 15th May

Leading: S Borgogno

Communion: Z Jacques

Reader: B Brand

Side Helpers: J Burnett, S Obourne,  
D Castaldini, B Obourne

Welcome Team: Team 3

Crèche: R & M Manton

Sound: M Mooy, C Bruce

Video: T Squire

Morning Tea: Coffee Team

Craft Set-Up: Volleyballers

Cleaners: Team 1

Evening: E Borgogno

## 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.)

Account Name: Church of Christ Bassendean

BSB: 016 255 Account: 424 705 151

***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."***

Finances as at Faith Promise Pledges (22) - \$29,070 Building Fund Total: \$195,318.87

1st May 2022: Faith Promise Received: \$22,710 Building Fund FYTD: \$70,060.95