



BASSO CHURCH

22nd Sept 2024

fixing our eyes on Jesus

THE CONTACT

Worship Service: 1 Samuel 1:8-18 “Hannah’s Prayer”

Stuart M

Due to our Stirling Ranges Camp there will be no evening service tonight and our morning service will not be livestreamed this Sunday.

Rest for the Weary

Come to Me....and I will give you rest. Matthew 11:28

We forget that Jesus was human as well as divine. He had calluses on His hands. If the chisel slipped and cut His finger, his blood was red and warm like ours. He knew what it meant to work long hours, to come in at night tired and weary.

That is one of the reasons Jesus could say with such appeal, “Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest” (Matt 11:28)

When we are exhausted and hurting, we can take comfort from the fact that Jesus knows what it is to be exhausted and hurting also.

But the greatest work Jesus did was not in the carpenter’s shop, nor at the marriage feast in Cana where he turned water into wine. The greatest work Jesus did was not when He made the blind to see, the deaf to hear, nor even the dead to rise. His greatest work was what he accomplished through the cross and resurrection. There the burden of our sins was placed on Him and there he won our salvation. And that is why we can come by faith to Him and He will give us rest.

Billy Graham—*Hope for Each Day* (edited for length)

Prayer Points

- For our church camp this weekend down at the Stirling Ranges. Pray for safety and for the Spirit’s moving as we consider God’s word and have fellowship together.
- For Stuart M as he preaches this morning.
- For our kids clubs at Anzac Terrace and Eden Hill primary schools.
- For Alana B rest and renewal as she takes a week off from her ministry work at Basso.

Coming Events

Wed Sept 25
Youth Music Jam

Wed Oct 16
Seniors Big
Day In

Sun Oct 20
AGM



Prayer Points continued

- For the upcoming election for our deacons and elders. Pray for discernment as we consider those who will lead and serve our church community.
- For our involvement in “Operation Christmas Child” as we seek to put boxes together to help under privileged children feel loved, and for them to have the opportunity to hear about Jesus.
- For Rob & Shelley C and their ongoing recover after being unwell.
- For Mitch M as he recovers from surgery.

This Sunday at Basso—We look forward to Stuart M bringing us the message from 1 Samuel. Due to the Stirling Ranges Camp, there will be no livestream today and also no evening service tonight.

Youth Music Jam Wed 25th September | 6pm | Ages 14—25 | Basso Church

We’ve got another Youth Music Jam session planned for our young adults. These nights are all about having fun, and having a go at an instrument or vocals, whether you’re musical or not. We’ll provide dinner at 6pm, then have some fun on the instruments. Let Kerry J know if you want to come!

Raise the Roof Sunday 6th October | 3pm | Basso Church

Basso will be hosting another “Raise the Roof” event, organised by Graham Carslake. These events are advertised through the Church of Christ network, and are a time of worship, with hymns and songs. We hope you can join us.

Seniors Big Day In Wed 16th October | The Chapel | 10am—3pm | \$5

Seniors of Basso are invited for a special day of hymn singing, trivia, artistic pursuits, lunch and fellowship. Please see Alana if you would like to be a part of an enjoyable time of celebration and connection.

Perth Women’s Convention

Sat 19th October | Faith Community Church | 9am—1pm

Come and experience a day of inspiration and connection with hundreds of women from Perth at this year’s Perth Women’s Convention. Helen Bell will be speaking on “Extravagant Grace: God’s heart to save in the book of Jonah. To register, visit pwc.ccowa.org. Car pooling is required due to limited parking.

Basso Church Annual General Meeting

Sun 20th October | 12:30 The Church Board will be serving us up a sausage sizzle after the morning service, with the AGM starting at 12.30pm.

Voting for Elders and Deacons

Nominations have closed and voting will be commencing next week for all active members 18 years of age and over.

Voting for Elders will take place on 29th September and 6th October.

Bros. Steve B and Colin C have been nominated for re-election for a 3 year term.

Voting for Deacons will take place on the 6th October and 13th October – those nominated being Bros. Ian H, Brendan J and Zalman J seeking re-election and Bro. Ethan B being nominated for the first time.

Operation Christmas Child—we are privileged to again participate in this wonderful initiative with Samaritan's Purse where shoeboxes are filled with toys, clothing and crafts, to be delivered to children in need of hope around the world at Christmas time. Collection will begin October 6th. Please see the display in the foyer for more information or Colleen K for more information.

Basso Women to Women will be holding a bring and buy early 2025. For those who are currently spring cleaning or decluttering, please consider donating worthwhile items for our stalls, to raise funds to support the Artin people in the Philippines and our missionary women. Please see Sue W for details

Rosters — Our music and service rosters for the next quarter are available to collect in the foyer. Thank you to everyone who serves Basso church each week! If you are able to assist on the creche roster please contact Annette E.

Staff Leave — Alana B will be on leave until Oct 1st. For any ministry issues that Alana typically handles, please contact church administration.

Kerry J will be going on long service leave for all of October and November. For any matters that you would usually see Kerry for, please contact Alana or Ngaire.

Family Room—Over the school holidays, creche is on hold. Children are more than welcome to stay in the church service, and parents also have the option of using our Lesser Hall as a 'family room', or our Parent's Lounge.

Mission Murmuring: Scripture Union runs camp programs that continue to transform young lives with the Gospel message. During a small group session, Jake shared his testimony, sparking curiosity about God's love among his peers. This inspired another 20 young people to join, eager to learn about the new relationship they could have with God.

Recognising the profound impact of Jake's story, the school chaplain arranged for the SU team to provide ongoing support through discipleship sessions and Bible study opportunities, with bibles available upon request. Jake's sharing revealed to him that God's plans for him were far greater than he had imagined. Did you know that internships are available through Scripture Union? For more information, visit <https://su.org.au/internship/#wainternship>

Also, check out the new SU Australia magazine on the church notice board!

Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating birthdays this week—including: Brayden B (22nd), Rose R(23rd) Anne H, Lucas E (both 24th), Wendy F, David P (both 25th), Andrew C (27th). May God bless you all on your special day!

Happy Birthday!



BASSO CHURCH—CONTACT US

Pastor: Ian Kirk (Days off, Mon | Sat) **Ministry Support:** Alana Borgogno

Ministry Intern: Ethan Borgogno

Administration: Kerry Jacques and Ngaire Kasdorf



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

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

Mon 1.30pm Ladies Home Group

Tue 9.00am Community Craft and Coffee
7.00pm Home Groups:
Teen Group yrs 9-uni
Adult Group via Zoom

Wed 9.30am Basso Church Playgroup
7.30pm Home Groups

Thur 8.00pm Home Group via Zoom

Fri 6.00pm Junior Youth Group
7.30pm Teen Youth Group

Monthly Prayer Meetings:

Sundays: First Sunday of the month, 9am
Tuesdays: Last Tuesday of the month, 6pm
Thursdays: Second Thurs of the month 6pm

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

SERVICE ROSTER

For next Sunday— 29th September

Leading: I Kirk
Communion: M Wendel
Reader: N Wheat
Side Helpers: J Shanks J Barrett
T Catterall K Chiffing
R Owens J Brenton
Welcome Team: Team 5
Crèche: (Family Room)
Sound: M Mooy S Errington
Slides: J Borgogno
Video: I Masuli
Morning Tea: I & T Hopkins
Cleaning: Team 1
Evening: S Borgogno

Attendance last Sunday Morning: 214

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."

Offerings as of 15th September Faith Promises pledged :

Faith Promises received:

Building Fund FYTD: