

This Week's Diary Dates ...

Mon	6/11	9.30 am	JAM
			HSC Exams continue here at church facilities (last day Tuesday)
		4.00 pm	Freedom Prayer
Tues	7/11	4 pm - 5 pm	Prayer Meeting - all are invited to come along and Pray for the Nation
		7.00 pm	Leadership Team Meeting
Wed	8/11	9.30 am - 2 pm	Gingerbread man making day
		10.30 am	KYB
Thur	9/11	9.30 am	Ladies Home Group
Sat	11/11	9.00 am	Israel Prayer

Dates Coming Up

Tues	14/11	7 - 9 pm	Family Forum/Mission Celebration
Fri	17/11	9.30 am	MOPS
		6.30 - 9.00 pm	YCONE "The Body" - Lismore High Hall - \$5 for dinner

LADIES - SAVE THE DATE

Gingerbread House - Guest Speaker Emily Cobb
Friday 24 November at 6:15 pm
RSVP 12 November 2017
Cost \$30.00



WONDER **A.R.E.A. FundRaiser - AREA** is encouraging your support in attending the premiere of the movie "Wonder" at Ballina Fair Cinemas, on **Thursday 30 November**

☞ the adult price for tickets are \$20 (regular entry is \$14)
☞ nibbles and drinks at 6.30pm
☞ movie to start at 7pm

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OFFICE HOURS
Tuesday - Friday
9am - 1pm
Closed Public Holidays

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PRAYER
Sunday Morning
Pre service prayer at ABCh 9.00am in the Conference Room. All are welcome.
Men's Prayer Time
Each Wednesday morning at 6.30 – 8am. Come when you can and leave when you like.
Prayer Chain
Please contact Graham Hellyar 66280190 or 0459769631
Freedom Prayer
Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 4pm in the Conference Room.
[Pray for revival, our community and nation](#)
Each Tuesday 4pm-5pm in the church



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5 November 2017

A very warm welcome to visitors and friends to church today
All are invited to stay for a cuppa following the Service. Thanks to Ian Southwell as he shares with us from God's word.

Dear Church,

I pray the Reformation series was a blessing to you and you marked Reformation Day (Tues 31 Oct) in some way.

Today, we move from the Glory of God Alone (Soli Deo Gloria) to Moses, who claimed Yahweh as "awesome in glory" (Exodus 15:11) and caught a glimpse of God's glory (Ex 33:18).



Moses was called by our glorious God to a mission. He was the "sent one" to take a word to Pharaoh. The Lord reminds Moses that it is "I who have sent you" (Ex 3:12).

As we have been studying and reflecting on "mission" in 2017, from now until Christmas, we will turn to the Old Testament to continue to consider (reform and reshape) our mission understanding and practise.

God's people has always been a persecuted people and we also give thought and prayers to the "persecuted church" around the globe. We have seen some of this persecution in China and Laos, where our mission partners labour and live.

I commend you to pray for the persecuted church today!



Pastor Trent

OUR PURPOSE AT ABCh
"To love God, love others, and help others love God, and love others".

TODAY 5 November 2017 - Ian Southwell
Moses' Mission - Exodus 3

NEXT SUNDAY 12 November 2017 - Pastor Trent

Jonah's Mission - Jonah 1-2

Prayer & Praise

Praise God for:

- ✦ His daily provisions that we so often take for granted.
- ✦ Alf and Jill Clark celebrating 60 years of marriage next week

Continued Prayer:

- ✦ Our HSC students as they enter their last week of exams and for future direction in life.
- ✦ Christmas in the Park December 8th and the committee as they prepare and the sponsors who are generously donating.

Prayer for:

- ✦ Monica Jackson following the loss of her Mum in Sydney last Sunday.
- ✦ The persecuted Church.
- ✦ The Gingerbread House November 24th – those organising the event, those whom we should invite and for Emily Cobb as she speaks.
- ✦ Honesty as the plebiscite voting papers are counted.
- ✦ Theo Galjaardt on team at Men's Emmaus 16th to 19th November – pray for others on team and those participating.
- ✦ Delma Galjaardt on team at Ladies Emmaus 23rd to 26th November – pray for others on team and those participating.



Best wishes to Kathryn Legg and Simon who are getting married next Saturday 11 November.

Pastoral Care Freezer

We **urgently** need to restock the freezer. Family size or smaller gluten free or ordinary meals along with slices would be appreciated.



LEADERSHIP TEAM

Lead Pastor
Ps Trent Minton
Brendan Gray
Wendy McClenaghan
Mary Nunn
Greg Hay

KEY MINISTRY LEADERS

AREA (currently no rep)

Merlene Hellyar

Catering

Community/Welcoming

Bryce McClenaghan

Chief Steward

Treasurer

Meg Binks

Connect Group &

Mission Partnership

Overseer

Mark Quilligan

LinC Board Rep.

Annelies Weeks

MOPS Co-ordinator

Theo Galjaardt

Men's Ministry

Ian Nunn

MM & PA Coordinator

Josh Nunn

Music Coordinator

John Ashton

Property Maintenance

Jodie Nunn

Resource Centre

Warren Cox

Safety Officer

Prayer Overseer - (currently no rep)

Emily Cobb

Public Relations

Joan & Peter Jansz

SEACers



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to:

May God bless and encourage you as you experience the love of family and friends.

7/11 Peter Niven

9/11 Bailey Weeks

CREATING SAFE SPACES

The workshop is intended to provide you training on Safe church principles and practices. If you are a ministry leader, SRE teacher or minister to any vulnerable people you are required to attend a Safe Church training Course.

Cost \$25 pp (cash on the day)

Venue Tweed Coast Community Baptist Church

Workshop - 2 pm - 5 pm;

Compliance Consultation 5.00 pm - 5.30 pm

Local church contact: Dennis Verner - 0438151631 or **email** families@tweedccc.com.au



EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Short-term mission trip to Pakse, Lao to support Lao Vida staff (and the Moerkerkens) with their Summer School. Share your gifts and talents, whatever they are.

Age: over Year 10 and beyond

Dates: Sat 7 July - Sat 21 July 2018

Please see Meg Binks, Trent Minton, or Mary Nunn if you are interested.



Christmas in the Park

There are still plenty of opportunities to volunteer - check out the board in the foyer and add your name.

Donations are still being welcomed and accepted

Sympathy



Our love and sympathy is extended to Monica Jackson, following the death of her mum in Sydney last Sunday 29 October after a long illness. Her funeral will be Monday 6 November in Sydney



Gingerbread man making day for Christmas in the Park

Date: Wednesday 8 November

Time: 9.30 - 2.00 pm

Come along and volunteer.

Help is required with ingredients and packaging them up for the freezer for the day.

See Jodie Nunn for more information