



**SOUTHERN CROSS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
growing followers of Jesus



TODAY...

- Music
- Welcome & prayer
- Music
- Church family news
- Prayer
- Bible reading
- Bible talk
- Lord's Supper
- Music

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13th September 2020

Visionaries series



SPURGEON



BONHOEFFER



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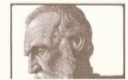
WARFIELD



PACKER



EDWARDS



20/20 *Clarity*

FOCUS FOR THE GOOD LIFE

VISIONARIES: SPURGEON

The Mind of Christ 1 Corinthians 2

Welcome, we're glad you're here! There's no such thing as an ordinary Sunday at SCPC because every day is an opportunity to share together in the greatness of God. Today we'll hear him speak to us in readings, songs and the preached word and we'll respond to him in prayer, singing and with our whole lives throughout the week as we point one another to the glorious good news of Jesus.

You'll find lots **more information** about our church on our website at **scpc.org.au**. Today's **Bible talk** can be listened to or downloaded from the website.

Pastors: Stewart Playsted, Matt Crosthwaite & Ian Coutts (Families Pastor),

Elders: Wayne Brooks, Scott Herd, David Kemsley & Jon Mison

Staff: Lyn Murphy (Kids Coordinator), Bronwyn Herd (Ministry Coordinator) Jillian Coutts (Admin Assistant)



Visionaries Preaching Series

On September 6, 13 & 20 Matt, Brad & Stew will bring us insights on the Christian life from Augustine, Spurgeon & Packer.



Lord's Supper

Today we will celebrate the Lord's Supper together. We will provide individually wrapped juice & bread for everyone meeting at each location. Folks sharing from home are welcome to drop in to the office to collect some.



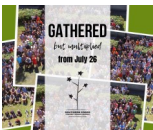
Celebration Someday, Celebration Week!

Someday we'll be able to celebrate together again as a whole church family but while we can't celebrate 'Celebration Sunday' together this year as we normally would, we will be celebrating in our Gospel Communities over the week of September 20-26.



2020 Photo Montage & Celebrating New Members on ZOOM

Next Sunday 20th September we will be showing our 2020 photo montage over ZOOM at 3pm using the normal Sunday login details. We'll also be celebrating the addition of a bunch of new members becoming part of our SCPC church family.



Gathered but Multiplied Update

While Covid restrictions limit gatherings to 100 people, we will continue meeting across 4 different locations.

Southern Cross Goonellabah: Invercauld House 9am.
 Coutts & Herd GCs: Scout & Guide halls 9:45am
 Griffiths & Maxwell GCs: Wyrallah Road PS 9:45am
 Kemsley & Playsted GCs: Park Avenue hall at 9:45am
 Night church: every week at Park Avenue at 6pm.

Please login for contact tracing before you arrive.



Term 4 Series

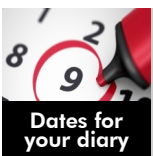
After the school holidays we'll be digging into the New Testament book of Galatians throughout term 4.

SCPC weekly giving at 5th August 2020

2020 budget
 \$8,340 per week
current giving
 \$7,946 week
deficit = \$393 a week
deficit = \$11,807 YTD

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 Account: **Southern Cross Presbyterian Church**
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TODAY	Lord's Supper	9am, 9:45am & 6pm
September 20-26	Celebration Week	
September 20	Photo Montage & Membership Celebration	3pm
October 3-5	Safari 'Up in Smoke'	

Prayer



	Loving God	Loving Each Other	Loving the World
Sunday	Praise God that understanding true wisdom comes from first knowing Jesus Christ.	Pray we can celebrate our unity in Christ Jesus.	Pray for R. She still does not have her visa. Pray she is able to use her time well and share Jesus with her friends.
Monday	Give thanks that God' has revealed his plans and thoughts to us in His Word and by His Spirit.	Ask God to sustain our elderly members by His Word & Spirit through Covid restrictions.	Pray that Christians worldwide will be able to practically share the love of God during these times.
Tuesday	Ask that we would see the great privilege and joy it is to be able to comprehend God's plans and thoughts.	Pray that our lives would be the evidence of knowing Jesus.	Pray with Linda that God might keep raising up prayer partners for Taiwan.
Wednesday	Pray we would take hold of the opportunity to grow in wisdom by delving into the depths of God's character.	Give thanks for our Committee of Management & pray for a kingdom perspective in their roles.	Continue to pray for heavily affected countries around the world. Pray for govt wisdom and Christ's love to shine.
Thursday	Pray that our view of the world would be shaped by our understanding of God's character.	Confess our inclination to depend on man's wisdom rather than God's.	Give thanks with M that her fractured elbow has healed. Pray for her searching friend May.
Friday	Pray that our faith would rest not on man's wisdom but on God's power.	Ask God to grow our Youth in wisdom as they delve into the depths of God's character.	Pray for Christians around the world facing hardship because of Covid and persecution.
Saturday	Give thanks that by God's Spirit, we may understand what He has freely given us.	Pray that we can freely pass on God's grace to others.	Pray with R for her single friends who face cultural and family pressure to marry.

Please use this table to inform your prayers throughout the week

Roster 20th Sept	Prayer	Bible Reading	M Tea/Supper
SCG	TBA	TBA	None this week
Morning Church	GCs	GCs	None this week
Night Church	No night church on 20th	No night church on 20th	None this week

Series	Date	Talk	Passage	Preacher
	TODAY	Visionaries: Spurgeon	1 Corinthians 2	Brad Herd
	20 Sept	Visionaries: Packer	Matthew 6	Stew Playsted
	27 Sept	Hard but Good	Mark 3: 20-35	Rohan Reeks
	4 Oct	Hard but Good	Luke 6	Matt Crosthwaite

Bible Talk

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Intro: Scientists and Engineers

1. The Beginning of Wisdom

2. Present

3. Employment Benefits



What's one thing that struck you from this week's passage?