



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



TODAY...

Songs
Welcome & prayer
Kids Spot & song
Church family news
Prayer
Song
Bible reading
Bible talk
Song

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Sunday Gatherings:

9am at Invercauld
House

East Lismore

Sunday Gatherings:

9:45am & 6:00pm
at Lismore High,
East Lismore

Church office:

8 Park Ave,
East Lismore

27th June 2021

A KING LIKE THE OTHER NATIONS

in the book of 1 Samuel



ACROSS

THE WORLD | THE NATION | THE ROAD

2021

THE KINGDOM OF WAR

1 Samuel 11

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, music 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 & Tim McDonald (Families Pastor)
- Elders:** Wayne Brooks, Ian Coutts, Scott Herd, David Kemsley & Jon Mison
- Staff:** Peita Patch & Ian Coutts (Kids Coordinators), Bronwyn Herd (Ministry Coordinator) Jillian Coutts (Admin Assist.) and Eliza Faulkner (Ministry Trainee)



Send in your photos



It's time to update our collection of church family photos. Send your best photos of any church family events to bronwyn@scpc.org.au.



SAFARI

Safari is coming up in the July school holidays for all high schoolers. Its on from 3rd to 7th July at Old Bonalbo & Lennox Head with Bible teaching from 1 Thessalonians that will encourage our youth to stand firm as followers of Jesus. And a daytrip to the Gold Coast's Bounce Trampoline Park is on the program too. See Tim or Eliza for more info.



Safari Sunday

Our Youth will be taking over all our Sunday gatherings on 11th July to serve us and encourage us with all they have learned at Safari.



Term 3 Series

'What Must I Do to be Saved' will be our Term 3 series looking at God's big picture across the Bible from beginning to end. Term booklets will be available on Sunday 11th July.



Term 3 Christianity Explored

The Playsted, Henderson & Kemsley Gospel Communities will be hosting Christianity Explored in Term 3 at Lismore High on Thursday nights from July 22nd at 5:30-7:30pm with dinner provided for a gold coin donation. Please be praying for and inviting anyone who would benefit from being a part of it.

SCPC weekly giving

at 16th June 2021
2021 budget
\$8,275 per week
current giving
\$7,956 week
deficit = \$318 a week
deficit = \$7,297 YTD

SCPC EFT

CBA, Lismore
Account: **Southern Cross Presbyterian Church**
BSB: **06 2674**
Acc no: **28009463**

SCG EFT

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Morning tea and supper are served in the hall after the gathering, we'd love you to join us...



Dates for your diary

3-7 July
11 July
11 July
15 July

Safari @ Old Bonalbo & Lennox Head
Safari Sunday!
Term 3 Booklets available
GCLC Meeting

9am, 9:45am & 6pm
9am, 9:45am & 6pm
7:30pm

Prayer



	Loving God	Loving Each Other	Loving the World
Sunday	Praise God that his rescuing love protects us.	Give thanks for holiday helpers at Kids Church who give our regular leaders a rest.	Ask that Jotham would return to life back in Munich smoothly. That he could adjust to the cultural changes.
Monday	Thank Jesus for his care for us, rescuing us from the allure of the world to live for His glory.	Pray that the change of routine in the school holidays will bring opportunities to share the gospel with different people.	Pray that Jotham's new role would be a helpful transition for him back to ministry in the local church in Germany.
Tuesday	Confess that when we choose to follow the attractions of the world, it costs us dearly.	Pray for our Music Team leaders as they prepare music, train our music teams and lead music at church.	Pray that the Henderson and Playsted GC's would remember Jotham in their prayers and reach out to him.
Wednesday	Ask God to protect us from the temptation of making a covenant with the world.	Pray for Angela Smith during her unwellness, ask that Angela will be assured that God will never leave her or forsake her.	Ask God to be with the Henderson, Kemsley and Playsted GCs as they host 'Christianity Explored' in term 3 at LHS.
Thursday	Pray we can be assured daily, that Jesus is strong enough to rescue us from our sin.	Pray for our agricultural workers that they can point each other to Christ and be a witness among the farming community.	Ask that God would be with the directors and teams of SU camps across the winter and spring breaks.
Friday	Pray we can rely on God's strength in the battles between our flesh & the kingdom.	Give thanks that many Youth can spend time together in Christian community at Safari from tomorrow, pray for safety & fun.	Be with our GMP's that they would know they are not alone in the world, but that you are near.
Saturday	Praise God that we can put our trust in Jesus, our rescuer.	Ask for God's Holy Spirit to be at work in the hearts of our Youth & Leaders as they open up God's word at Safari.	Pray for the persecuted church that would hear and believe Jesus promise; he will never leave them or forsake them.

Please use this table to inform your prayers throughout the week

Roster 4th July	Rostered GC	Prayer 	Bible Reading 	M Tea/Supper 
9am SCG Gathering		Rachel J	Dan C	
9:45am Gathering	Coutts	Stacey C	Jill C	Jill C & Marinda D
6pm Gathering	Coutts	Sarah McC	Hamish W	Hamish W & Zander R

Series	Date	Talk	Passage	Preacher
 <p>A KING LIKE THE OTHER NATIONS <i>In the Realm of the Damned</i></p>	27 June	The Kingdom of War	1 Samuel 11	Andrew Jones
	4 July	The Renewal of the Kingdom	1 Samuel 12	Jason Faulkner
	11 July	Safari Sunday	1 Thessalonians	Tim McDonald
	18 July	SOS	Genesis 3	Stew Playsted & Matt Crosthwaite

Bible Talk

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THE KINGDOM OF WAR 1 Samuel 11



In: War is Hell

1: Treaty with the world

2: HELP!

3: Saul the Rescuer

Out: Who is your King?



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