



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



### This Sunday ...

Songs  
Welcome & prayer  
Kids Talk  
Kids Song  
Church family news  
Prayer  
Bible reading  
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Prayer  
Song

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**Goonellabah**  
**Sunday Gatherings:**  
9:00am at Invercauld  
House, Goonellabah

**East Lismore**  
**Sunday Gatherings:**  
9:45am at Lismore  
High School  
6:00pm at Lismore  
High School

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# Sunday 16th January 2022



## REST IN THE PROMISED LAND

### Joshua 14 & Joshua 17:12-18

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](http://scpc.org.au). Today's Bible talk can be listened to or downloaded from the website.

**Pastors:** Stewart Playsted, Matt Crosthwaite and James Ritchie

**Elders:** Wayne Brooks, Ian Coutts, Scott Herd, David Kemsley, and Jon Mison

**Staff:** Peita Patch & Ian Coutts (Kids Coordinators), Bronwyn Herd (Ministry Coordinator), Jillian Coutts (Admin Assist.), Eliza Faulkner (Ministry Trainee) and Gabby Allen (Youth Admin).



## Sunday Gatherings

Please join us this Sunday following current health guidelines...  
 9am Southern Cross Goonellabah will meet at Invercauld House, Goonellabah.  
 9:45am SCPC will meet at Lismore High School.  
 6:00pm SCPC will meet at Lismore High School.



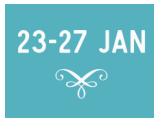
## Sunday Gathering on Zoom

If you're unable to meet in person this Sunday, please join us on Zoom from 9:45am. Go to our SCPC website and click on the link for our gathering from Lismore High School.



## Homegrown Lite

On Friday 21st January from 6-8pm, our Gospel Community Leadership teams will gather together at GSAC for some training and fun as we approach the new year at SCPC.



## Missionary Visit

From January 23 to 27, our Global Mission Partner, M, will join us for a brief visit while in Australia. M will be sharing a presentation with us at each of our gatherings on Sunday 23rd January.



## The Speed of Love Long Lunch

To help contemplate the speed of love, we're having a long lunch at Woodview, 12pm on 29th January. The Secret Chef is providing a slow three course meal for \$60 per person. There are 6 seats remaining so jump onto our SCPC website to secure your place around the table.



## Meditate

7 "Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. 8 Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it." Joshua 1:7-8

### SCPC weekly giving

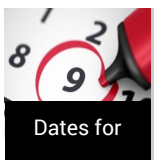
at 27th October 2021  
 2021 budget  
 \$8,275 per week  
 current giving  
 \$8,739 week  
 deficit = \$12 a week  
 deficit = \$67 YTD

### SCPC EFT

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

### SCG EFT

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**Goonellabah**  
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|-----------|------------------------|-------------------|
| 21 Jan    | Homegrown Lite         | 5pm               |
| 23-27 Jan | Missionary Visit       |                   |
| 29 Jan    | Long Lunch at Woodview | 12pm              |
| 30 Jan    | Go! Sunday             | 9am, 9:45am & 6pm |





Dates for


# Prayer



|           | Loving God  | Loving Each Other  | Loving the World   |
|-----------|---|--|--|
| Sunday    | Give thanks that the Lord provides the victory.                                   | Pray for our church family members caring for friends or family with Covid.  | Pray for Presbyterian Inland Mission as they take the gospel to the isolated regions of Australia.                               |
| Monday    | Praise God that in his wisdom he is the only one where we find true rest.         | Pray for Henk & Courtney-Anne Breugem as they begin married life together.   | Give thanks for 'New Dunesk', the gospel training facility that PIM has established in central western NSW.                      |
| Tuesday   | Confess that we can doubt our Father God's ability to provide.                    | Pray for Peita as she begins the Ministry Coordinator role this week.  | Pray that church elders from isolated regions will be able to attend the preaching training at 'New Dunesk' this year.           |
| Wednesday | Admit that we are tempted to find provision and rest outside of him.              | Pray for Eliza as she commences the Kids Church coordinator role this week.  | Give thanks that R's witness in her uni class has stimulated questions from her overseas teacher and classmates about her faith. |
| Thursday  | Rejoice that God is faithful, steadfast and reliable.                             | Pray for James as he adjusts to his Families Pastor role at SCPC.  | Pray that R and her classmates will continue to get to know each other better and will have more conversations about faith.      |
| Friday    | Give thanks we can trust God's promises and the certain hope they bring.          | Pray for Homegrown Lite, that our Gospel Community leadership groups can be encouraged to live for Jesus at the speed of love. | Ask that God will use R and all her failings for His glory and especially for her classmates and teachers to come to know Him.   |
| Saturday  | Ask that we would hold onto the promises of God and move forward with confidence. | Pray for Gabby as she begins the Sunday coordinator role tomorrow.   | Pray for our link missionary M as she visits Lismore next week.  |

Please use this table to inform your prayers throughout the week

| Roster 16 January | Rostered GC | Welcoming  | Prayer  | Bible Reading  | Morning Tea Supper  |
|-------------------|-------------|---|--|---|--|
| 9am at SCG        |             | Brent F   | Marianne T   | Dan C   | tbc  |
| 9:45am            | Kemsley     | Bill & Jen D  | Amanda K   | Bill D  | John & Delma O & Peter & Eden C  |
| 6pm               | Kemsley     | Grace B   | Jen D  | Julian T  | Grace B & Jen D  |

| Series   | Date   | Talk             | Passage       | Preacher                         |
|--|--------|------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
|  | 16 Jan | Joshua Series #4 | Joshua 12-21  | Cameron Bryant                   |
|  | 23 Jan | Joshua Series #5 | Joshua 22-24  | Steve Tilley                     |
|  | 30 Jan | Love Builds Up   | 1 Corinthians | Stew Playsted & Matt Crosthwaite |
|  | 6 Feb  | Love Builds Up   | 1 Corinthians | Stew Playsted & Matt Crosthwaite |

# Bible Talk

## REST IN THE PROMISED LAND

Joshua 14 & Joshua 17:12-18



In: How to have true rest

1. Trusting God

2. But they are scary

3. Rest in the Land



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

Out: Leave the rest to Jesus