

We are delighted to have you with us at this time, and pray that you will experience the deep love of God the Father as you share in the life of his church.

**PM Services**

In recent PM services there have been some very encouraging testimonies shared by Natalie Page, David Pascoe and Paul Thompson. Others will be sharing in the future, so listen out for when they are on in the PM service and come along to hear amazing stories of faith.



**Silvie Paladino**

Following a wonderful concert with The Idea of North at the end of May, we are pleased to announce that Silvie Paladino will be returning to MPBC on 2 September, once again accompanied by the renowned music of the Western Australian Brass conducted by Ken Waterworth. Arts Review wrote "Silvie Paladino has one of the greatest female voices in Australia. Her remarkable vocal range enables her to sing a vast repertoire including jazz, contemporary, musical theatre and light opera." Those who attended last year's concert at MPBC would no doubt strongly agree. This time there will be two concerts – a matinee at 2.00pm and an evening show at 7.30pm. Tickets available now at: [www.mounties.org.au/silviepaladino](http://www.mounties.org.au/silviepaladino)

**Follower 4x4 Report**

Over the four weeks in May, 150 people from our church gathered to interact on "what it means to be a disciple and follower of Jesus Christ". Each week a different component of discipleship was addressed, namely, "what is discipleship and how does it affect me?", then "the relationship between spirituality and stewardship", followed by "the relationship between discipleship and the community of love". Teaching was done on each of these topics followed by delicious supper and fantastic small group discussion. We realised that we are all called to discipleship and we are to practice it in our lives on a daily basis. We look forward to the next exciting occasion of the "church gathered before being scattered".

**Family News:**

**CONGRATULATIONS to:**

Harry Mitchell on being awarded The Bells Jazz Awards' "Young Australian Jazz Artist of the Year" in Melbourne recently, and also the prize for the "West Australian Song of the Year" in Fremantle.

**BAPTISMS**

Eve McCarthy and Michael Christofides at Coolbellup Campus on 28 May.

*If you have items of family news that you would like included in this section in future months, forward details to the Church office.*

**Membership Class**

If you are interested in becoming a member at MPBC, please come along to a Membership Class on Sunday 18 June at 10.30am in the Boardroom at Booragoon Campus, where the Membership Booklet and application process will be explained and your questions answered. The Membership Booklet is available on the Info Wall by the front doors.

**PIE Nights**

On 22 June, we are having a "PIE Night with a difference" - spouses and partners are invited to come and listen to Henry Olonga speak on the subject of commitment "Real Men Swear!!" Henry is a former professional Zimbabwean cricketer, who played both Test and domestic first class cricket. He made his Test debut in January 1995 - the first black cricketer – and the youngest person – to play for Zimbabwe. His international career came to an end in 2003 after he and team mate Andy Flower wore black armbands during a match in the Cricket World Cup to "mourn the death of democracy" in Zimbabwe. Death threats forced him to live in exile in England, and he is now pursuing a career as a cricket commentator and singer. Head online to [www.mounties.org.au/pienight](http://www.mounties.org.au/pienight) to register.



**FINANCES**

*Our financial reporting is based on a calendar year (January to December)*

**Giving to the Church Operating and Missional Links account**

BUDGET	YEAR TO DATE BUDGET (30 APRIL 2017)	\$552,803
	YTD ACTUAL:	\$567,546
ACTUAL	YTD SURPLUS:	\$14,743

**Giving to the Building Fund as at 30 April 2017**

YTD ACTUAL:	ANNUAL TARGET:
\$92,524	\$400,000

For all giving enquiries: [finance@mounties.org.au](mailto:finance@mounties.org.au) or 9329 1777.

You can pay for church related events including camps via our EFTPOS machine at the Info Point each Sunday morning, or online any time at: [www.mounties.org.au/payment](http://www.mounties.org.au/payment)

For Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) of offerings and donations visit our website at [www.mounties.org.au/giving](http://www.mounties.org.au/giving), or use the Commonwealth Bank details adjacent:

**Church Offerings: (No tax receipt)**

Mount Pleasant Baptist Church  
BSB 066-124  
Acc No. 0090 3735

**College Donations: (No tax receipt)**

Mount Pleasant Baptist Community College  
BSB 066-163  
Acc No. 1036 7831

**Building Fund Donations: (Tax receipt)**

Mount Pleasant Baptist Community College  
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Acc No. 1036 7858  
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**Book of the Month:** *Revolution in World Missions* by K.P. Yohannan. One man's journey to change a generation and how they think about the mission field. A story that will walk you right into the book of Acts and help you hear the very heart of God beating for His creation.

**OPENING TIMES:**

**Sunday:** 9.45am-10.30am  
11.45am-12.30pm

**Wednesday:** 9.00am-1.30pm  
*(during school terms)*

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[mounties.org.au/bookshop](http://mounties.org.au/bookshop)

**CARE Ministry**

If you have any pastoral or prayer needs, please fill out a **Request CARE Card** at the Info Point. This will give us the opportunity to care for you.

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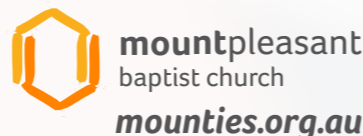
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Our preaching series for the month of June is based around a book by Scott Higgins called "The Single Thing That Can Change the World." It's a book about generosity, not just with money, but also with our thoughts, our words and our time. The book title is an ambitious one, but Scott is convinced that it is only as we encounter the generous love of God and then share it with others that our communities will be the life-giving places that God intends them to be. As a complement to the preaching series, let me encourage you to purchase this helpful book from our Book Shop, or online. And as we look into God's Word together, may we increasingly be vehicles of his generous love in the world. – Nick Scott

**Bible readings for the month:** 4 June Matthew 7:7-12 18 June Mark 10:46-52  
11 June John 13:1-15 25 June Matthew 19:16-30

## Kids Holiday Club

It will be school holidays soon and MPBC will host its second Kids Holiday Club at Booragoon Campus. It will run daily from Monday 10 July to Friday 14 July, 9.00am to 12noon, with registrations from 8.30am. Children in school years 1 to 6 are invited to join in singing songs, playing games, doing crafts and learning Bible lessons. They can attend on any day or every day. Morning tea and water will be provided. It is free, so invite friends along



and let them hear the good news about Jesus! To make this outreach successful, volunteers are needed to help in various roles. Please contact Liezl Breytenbach for more information. We're also asking the church family to donate crackers, biscuits, sliced cheese and fruit for the daily morning tea. Please bring these to the colourful collection point in the foyer. Thank you for your support and prayers for this exciting outreach.

## "The Single Thing" by Scott Higgins

During June many Connect Groups have decided to follow this preaching series and will take time to discuss and pray what "the single thing that can change the world – generosity" might look like in their everyday life. It will be best for each participant to have a book, available for purchase via [www.mounties.org.au/thesinglething](http://www.mounties.org.au/thesinglething)

or through our Book Shop. Study Guides and 4 short video presentations [one for each week] can be viewed and downloaded free from the link above, or leaders can collect a Study Guide from the Info Point. Any queries please contact [sue.ford@mounties.org.au](mailto:sue.ford@mounties.org.au)



## Café Update

Since 2013 the Café has been a great place for people to meet before and after the first service, and occasionally when we have special events. The plan has always been that in the future the Café will be open during the week and for events, and as we serve the general public, for it to become a place of connection with the community [along with the College and ministries such as Tumble Tots, Craft, etc.].

The Café is the last place in our Booragoon Campus Facility to be fitted out. Donations have enabled us to begin to furnish the space and make it more useable. Financial and business planning is under way and consultation will follow to ensure current ministries can work alongside the Café. Please be praying about the future of the Café and particularly for finding the right person for the Café Manager position, as this will be an important factor in how and when we proceed further.

## College Open Day 2017

College Open Day is on Sunday 16 July. Live entertainment will be starting in the foyer after the 10.30am service, together with a variety of activities and displays to promote our courses to potential students in 2018. Congregational members are welcome to enjoy the music, join in the festivities, visit the teaching spaces, and talk with our teachers and trainers. We are expecting quite a number of prospective students and their parents to attend Open Day as they check out our facilities and courses. We take great pride in the standard of our facilities and the range of courses in the creative arts, with a particular focus upon film and screen, media, graphic design, music, and sound production. Please join us and help promote the safe, family-friendly, community ethos of Mount Pleasant College.

## Coolbellup Campus Update

Over the last few weeks a lot of activity has taken place at the Cooby Campus. The playground is complete and the kids are enjoying it. It has become a great source of outreach as the Cooby Tumble Tots ministry, which meets each Wednesday morning (9.30-11.00am), reaches out into the Coolbellup community. Each week around 18 children between the ages of 1-4 years, who are from the local area rather than the Church, join in the fun programme. We had our first 'on-campus' water baptisms on 27 May with Eve McCarthy and Michael Christofides being baptised. Our retic system is now up and running and God has been with us. To God be the glory.

– Peter Christofides



More details and registration [where required] for these events are available at the Info Point, through the Church Office, or online at [www.mounties.org.au](http://www.mounties.org.au) or [www.facebook.com/mpbcperth](http://www.facebook.com/mpbcperth)

## Celebration Service Café

**WHEN:** Sundays 7.45-8.45am, 10.00-10.40am  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus Café

## Hymnfest

**WHEN:** Saturday 10 June, 6.00-8.00pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus Auditorium

The Bible Society, celebrating 200 years, and the Perth Adventist orchestra and choir invite you to a free evening of song with "The Great Hymns of the Faith". More info on the Bible Society website.

## Fresh Conference 2017: Freedom

**WHEN:** Friday 18 & Saturday 19 August  
**WHERE:** HBF Stadium Theatre, Mt Claremont

All women are invited to be part of the 'fresh' movement which mobilises women to bring change to their local and global communities. Register at [www.freshconference.net](http://www.freshconference.net)

## Community Ministries

### Flourish

**WHEN:** Saturday 10 June, 10.00am-12.00pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus Function Room

A support group for people with disability, chronic illness or disorder and their families.

### Men's PIE Night [Purpose, Inspiration, Encouragement]

**WHEN:** Thursday 22 June, 7.00pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus Function Room

Guest speaker is former Zimbabwean Test Cricketer **Henry Olonga** – see accompanying article for more details.

### Connect Lunch

**WHEN:** Sunday 23 July, 12.15pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus Function Room

For those who are new or 'newish' to MPBC. Register at the Connect Point on a Sunday.

### Essence

**WHEN:** Saturday 5 August, 2.00pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus

Ladies - save the date - **Ethical Fashion Event** – including a ladies clothes swap and children's second hand clothing sale. Start sorting – more details coming soon.

**Singles Alive** – Details of events for this active singles group coordinated by Elsie and Neil Murray are available at the Info Point and on the noticeboard.

## A Month in the life of MPBC

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
7.45am - Café open	Office closed	7.00am - Call To Prayer (13 June Booragoon)	9.15am - Craft Connection	9.30am - Tumble Tots Playgroup	6.45am - Marketplace98% (2 & 16 June)	9.00am - Auskick
8.45am - International/ESL Bible Study Group		9.30am - Women in the Word Together	9.30am - Tumble Tots Playgroup (Booragoon)	9.30am - Men's Bible Study	7.30am - Coolbellup Prayer Group	10.00am - Flourish (10 June)
8.45am - Booragoon AM Service		6.00pm - Call To Prayer (27 June Coolbellup)	9.30am - Cooby Tumble Tots Playgroup (Coolbellup)	11.30am - Seniors Communion & Lunch (15 June)	6.30pm - AMP Youth - Amplified (school years 7-12)	10.00am - Saturday Craft Group (24 June)
9.00am - Coolbellup Service		6.00pm - Prayer and Healing	10.00am - Coolbellup Ladies Bible Study (H2H)	7.00pm - Men's PIE Night (22 June)		
10.30am - Booragoon AM Service		7.30pm - Alpha Course	6.00pm - Revival Prayer (14 & 28 June)	7.30pm - Ladies Book Club (15 June)		
5.30pm - Booragoon PM Service		7.30pm - Creative Ministries	7.30pm - Salt - Young Adults (14 & 28 June)			



**GOT A QUESTION?**  
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## Missional Links

### Missional Links Lunch

**WHEN:** Sunday 25 June, 12.30pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus Function Room

Come and hear from Garth Eichhorn and his work with Street Chaplaincy.

## Children & Families

### Good News Club

**WHEN:** Thursdays (during school terms), 4.00pm  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus

Games, Bible stories, activities, craft and afternoon tea – open to all children in school years 1-6. Register via the church website.

### Kids Holiday Club

**WHEN:** Monday 10 - Friday 14 July, 9.00am-12noon  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus

See accompanying article for details.

### Baby Dedications

**WHEN:** Sunday 30 July, 8.45 & 10.30am  
**WHERE:** Booragoon Campus

If you are interested in having your child dedicated, please contact the Church Office.

## AMP Youth

### Winter Camp 2017: Radiate

**WHEN:** Saturday 1 – Tuesday 4 July  
**WHERE:** Nanga Bush Camp, Dwellingup

AMP Youth's 2017 Winter Camp 'Radiate' will be held at Nanga Bush Camp in Dwellingup from the morning of Saturday 1 July to Tuesday afternoon, 4 July. All children in school years 7-12 are welcome for an amazing time away, filled with fun, fellowship, worship, teaching and activities. Full details and registrations online at [www.mounties.org.au/radiate](http://www.mounties.org.au/radiate) Registrations close Sunday 11 June.

We're still looking for a couple more volunteers who can help on camp in the kitchen. If you're interested, contact the Church Office for more details.

