

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.

PIE Nights

Our guest speaker at the last PIE Night was Catholic Church Scholar, snake-catcher and Krav Maga (Israeli self-defence) expert, Prof. Matthew Ogilvie who shared our similarities and differences with the Catholic faith. It was well presented and humorous allowing great interaction between speaker and audience.

Our next PIE Night event will be a **Dads & Kids Breakfast with Mark Purser on Saturday 23 June at 8.00am** – the topic is “Investing in Lives”. Mark has been a Baptist pastor in Victoria for many years, and is now the Baptist World Aid State Representative for Victoria and Tasmania. He is also Chaplain to the Essendon Football Club, having previously served 5 years with the Adelaide Crows. All guys welcome; fathers, bring the kids along.

Candid Conversations About Sexuality

In a highly sexualised culture, the Biblical pattern for relationships and sexuality is being challenged on many fronts. How do we bring God’s view of gender, relationships and marriage to a world which screams out the message that every desire must be met? What does it mean for Christians to live their whole lives, including their sexuality, to the glory of God?

The leadership at MPBC have felt the need to better equip the Church to think and live in healthy, life-giving ways regarding their sexual lives, hence the upcoming week of events “Candid Conversations About Sexuality” from 25-30 July, with guest speaker Patricia Weerakoon.

There will be events for youth, young adults, men, women, couples, parents – flyers and the website have specific details for all events. *The event for engaged and married couples on Saturday 28 July, 9.30am-12.00pm has limited places – so please register ASAP.*

Patricia will also be speaking at all three services at Booragoon on Sunday 29 July.

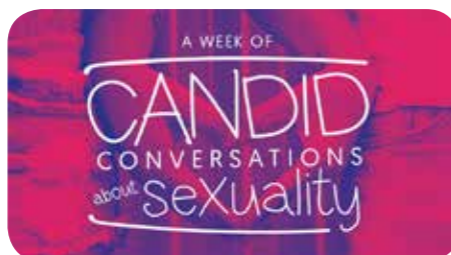
Family News:

Our **prayers and sympathy** go out to the family and friends of **Angela Pascoe** who went to be with the Lord on Sunday 13 May – Mother’s Day. Around 800 people in our facility celebrated Angela’s life on 24 May, and the thoughts and prayers of the Church family go out to Andrew, the children and the extended family.



WEDDING – congratulations to **Clarrisa Tjeuw and Joshua Ashwood** who were married on 12 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.



Wednesday 25 July, 7.30pm - 9.30pm: **Young Adults (free event)**

Thursday 26 July, 9.30am - 12.00pm: **Pastors / Ministry Leaders Morning (\$20)**

Thursday 26 July, 7.00pm - 9.00pm: **Men’s PIE Night (\$10)**

Friday 27 July, 6.00pm - 9.00pm: **Youth & Parent Night (free event)**

Saturday 28 July, 9.30am - 12.00pm: **Couples Morning (\$30 per couple)**

Saturday 28 July, 7.30pm - 9.30pm: **Essence Women’s Event (\$15)**

Sunday 29 July, 4.00pm - 5.00pm: **Parents of Young Children (free event)**

Monday 30 July, 7.30pm - 9.00pm: **Community Event on Sex Education (\$15)**

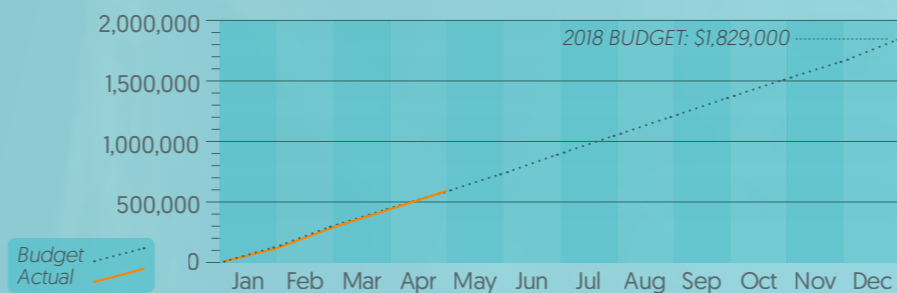
Full details and registrations for all events: www.mounties.org.au/sexuality

FINANCES

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

Giving to the **Church Operating & Missional Links** account as at 30 April 2018:

YEAR TO DATE BUDGET:	YTD ACTUAL:	YTD SURPLUS:
\$591,157	\$594,781	\$3,624



Giving to the Building Fund as at 30 April 2018:	YTD ACTUAL:	ANNUAL TARGET:
	\$104,269	\$380,000

For all giving enquiries: 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

For Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) of offerings and donations visit our website at 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
BSB 066-163
Acc No. 1036 7858
Please include your full name

THE Book SHOP

As we approach the winter months, the Book Shop is a warm and welcoming spot to find a great book. Please come and visit, even if it just to browse and chat with someone.

Ladies Book Club on Thursday 14 June at 7.30pm, discussing the book: *‘J. Hudson Taylor: A Man In Christ’* by R. Steer. For further information, please contact Tracy: tracyobeasley@gmail.com

BOOK SHOP OPENING TIMES:

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

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

Order online now at mounties.org.au/bookshop

CARE Ministry

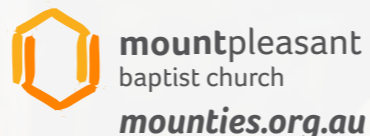
*If you have any pastoral or prayer needs, please fill out a **Request CARE Card** at the Info Point. This will give us the opportunity to care for you.*

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JUNE 2018



In Old Testament times, issues of injustice among the people of Israel were resolved by strict adherence to the laws of God. There were hundreds of them, covering just about every scenario imaginable! By Jesus' time, religious leaders had turned the laws into a confusing mass of rules. In Matthew 5:17 Jesus makes it clear that he has come not to abolish the Law or the prophets, but to fulfil them. The coming of Jesus ushers in a whole new era for God's people, an era in which the whole of life must now be viewed through the lens of a living relationship with Jesus himself. When it comes to understanding and seeking to resolve issues of injustice, it's not a matter of simply following rules, but of gaining God's perspective on these issues through our relationship with Jesus. Through the month of June we will consider God's perspective on issues to do with legalism, sexual purity, money and social status. – Nick Scott

Bible readings for June:
 3 June Matthew 23:23-24
 10 June John 8:1-11
 17 June Matthew 22:15-22
 24 June (AM) Mark 5:24-34
 24 June (PM) Luke 10:25-37

Coolbellup Campus Update

With the changing of the seasons we appreciate the many blessings that come with it. At our last Cooby Crowd, over a shared meal, we heard from Gary Allen from 'Cooby Cares' as to how our urban mission endeavours in Coolbellup can be more effective, both physically



and spiritually, in partnership. God has truly blessed the Cooby Tumble Tots Playgroup outreach into the community with 35 kids and carers attending each week. A morning tea for the mums will now be held once a month to deepen friendships. Exciting times! – Peter Christofides

Urban Mission: Fruitful Christianity

Our local Urban Mission series, held on four Wednesday nights during May, and supported by the Sunday preaching series "The Church in the City" has been most encouraging and equipping. Mission is for all the Lord's people and there are some amazing ministries operating across our city where churches are working together. We live in one of the worlds most livable cities and yet just below the surface is an enormous amount of pain and suffering. To see 200 people each week gathering with hearts of love and compassion for the people of our city is wonderful evidence the Lord is at work among us. Principal speaker Garth Eichhorn covered four topics; how power works in the city, understanding culture, effective mission and bearing fruit. Garth was supported by a visiting speaker each week, along with Graham Mabury's wise and insightful learnings gained over many years of urban mission experience. The Urban Mission EXPO on the final evening brought the foyer alive as 16 different ministry groups showcased what they do and how we can get involved.



AMP Youth Winter Camp



AMP Youth's 2018 Winter Camp will be held at Nanga Bush Camp in Dwellingup from **Saturday 30 June to Tuesday 3 July**. All children in school years 7-12 are welcome for an amazing time of worship, fellowship, teaching and activities. Full details and online registration available at:

www.mounties.org.au/pluggedin
 Registrations close Sunday 10 June.

How can you help? The leaders would appreciate a home-cooked casserole or lasagne for the first night before the kids arrive. To be dropped off for 27/28 June at the Church Office. Foil trays will be available for collection the week before. Please contact Pauline Hough if you can assist: pauline.hough@mounties.org.au

Church History Short Course

There are many important figures and events from history that have shaped the Christian church through the 2,000 years of its existence. Some of those influences were positive and encouraging while others were troubling events that seemingly hindered the spread of Christianity. Through all of these circumstances however God has been at work in our world. It may be true to say that the events of history have impacted the growth of the Christian church, but the church itself has also helped to shape the world. You are welcome to join us for a 5 week short course, beginning 7 June, to learn about some of the key events, movements and people who feature in Christian history. Register at the Info Point or online: www.mpc.wa.edu.au/churchhistory



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 or www.facebook.com/mpbcperth

Church Café

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

Hymnfest 2018

WHEN: Saturday 9 June, 6.30pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Auditorium

Come celebrate well-known hymns and contemporary Christian music with an orchestra, choir and other special guests, including our own MPBC choir. Free event but reserve a seat at: www.perthhymnfest.eventbrite.com.au
 A love offering will be taken to support Bible Society Australia's literacy work in Egypt.

Fresh Conference 2018

WHEN: Saturday 21 July, 9.00am-4.00pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus

An opportunity for women to gather together in the presence of God to be encouraged, equipped and mobilised to bring change to their local and global communities. Registrations: www.freshconference.net

Children & Families

Baby Dedications – If you are interested in having your child dedicated, please contact the Church Office 9329 1777

Youth

Winter Camp 2018 "Plugged In"

WHEN: Saturday 30 June – Tuesday 3 July
WHERE: Nanga Bush Camp, Dwellingup

Open to all high-schoolers – a time of fun, fellowship and getting plugged in to Jesus. Registrations close Sunday 10 June:

www.mounties.org.au/pluggedin

Coolbellup Campus

Cooby Crowd

WHEN: Saturday 9 June, 5.30pm-7.30pm
WHERE: Coolbellup Campus

Italian themed night! Bring some Italian food to share. Brett Monteath will be sharing what God has been doing in his life. There will also be a time for a chat as well as games and activities to keep the kids entertained.

Cooby Family Camp – Registration forms will be available on Sunday 10 June for Coolbellup Campus's church family camp, to be held January 19 to 26 in Busselton.

coming events

Community Ministries

Be connected with Church Family news

We would encourage everyone to complete a HUB card, so that you can receive the Weekly Communication email and stay linked in with regular church family news.

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

Mounties Golf – All welcome to join the group of golfers that meet on the first Saturday of each month around 3.00pm for fellowship and a social 9-hole game. Details from Bertus de Villiers: bertusdev@gmail.com

PM Eats

WHEN: Sunday 17 June, 6.45pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Café

All welcome to join us for fine food and live music after the PM Youth service.

Seniors' Communion Service & Lunch

WHEN: Thursday 21 June, 11.30am
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Function Room

Preacher: Alastair Bain. Lunchtime speaker: Michael Christie, intern pastor at MPBC.

Men's PIE Night Breakfast

WHEN: Saturday 23 June, 8.00am
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Function Room

Come for a "Dads & Kids" breakfast and hear Mark Purser from Baptist World Aid speak on the topic of 'Investing in Lives'.

Upcoming Short Courses

Introduction to Church History

WHEN: Thursdays 7 Jun – 5 Jul, 6.30pm-8.30pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Room 5

Come and learn about some of the key events, movements and people who have shaped Christian history. Facilitator is Mick Stringer, cost \$50, register at: mpc.wa.edu.au/churchhistory

Creative Digital Photography

WHEN: Thursdays 7-28 June, 7.00pm-9.00pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Hall & Room 10

This is an **intermediate level** course designed to inspire creativity in your journey as a photographer. Attendees should know how to use their camera in manual mode. Facilitator is Lawrence Roycroft, cost \$50, register at: mpc.wa.edu.au/creativephoto

A Month in the life of MPBC

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
7.45am - Café open	Office closed	9.30am - Women in the Word Together	9.15am - Craft Connection	9.30am - Tumble Tots Playgroup	6.00am - 9.00 am House of Prayer (1 & 15 June)	8.00am - Men's PIE Night Breakfast (23 June)
8.45am - International/ESL Bible Study and Culture Group		9.30am - Tumble Tots Playgroup	9.30am - Tumble Tots Playgroup	9.30am - Men's Bible Study	6.45am - Marketplace98% (1 & 15 May)	10.00am - Flourish (9 June)
8.45am - Booragoon AM Service		4.45pm, 5.30pm, 6.00pm - Soul to Sole dance groups	9.30am - Cooby Tumble Tots Playgroup	11.30am - Seniors Communion & Lunch (21 June)	7.30am - Coolbellup Prayer Group	10.00am - Saturday Craft Group (30 June)
9.00am - Coolbellup Service		6.00pm - Prayer and Healing	7.30pm - Salt - Young Adults (13 & 27 June)	4.00pm - Good News Club (school years 1-6)	6.30pm - Amplified (school years 7-12)	3.00pm - Mounties Golf (2 June)
10.30am - Booragoon AM Service		6.00pm - Reflective Prayer at Coolbellup		6.30pm - Introduction to Church History (from 7 June)		
5.30pm - Booragoon PM Service		7.30pm - Alpha course		7.00pm Creative Digital Photography (from 7 June)		
6.45pm - PM Eats (17 June)		7.30pm - Creative Ministries rehearsal		7.30pm - Ladies' Book Club (14 June)		



GOT A QUESTION?

Email us: contact@mounties.org.au
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