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Tue – Fri 8.00am - 2.30pm
Sat 8.00am - 2.00pm
BOORAGOON CAMPUS

Cafe

Sunday Morning

7.45-8.45am, 10.00-10.40am
WHERE: Infuse Cafe, Booragoon Campus

Infuse News

Thursday 5 September launches our new all day Spring Menu!

Pop in Tuesday – Friday 8am-2.30pm or Saturdays 8am -2pm. Bring a friend, enjoy some delicious food and great conversation.



Community Ministries

Be connected with Church family news

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

Marketplace98% Special Event

WHEN: Friday 13 Sept 6.45am
WHERE: Food Monkey Café, 101 Lake St, Northbridge
Come and hear Garth Eichhorn speak on 'What's your Mission?'
Seats are limited - register your interest to john.nicholls@jnicholls.com.au

PIE Night

WHEN: Thursday 19 Sept 7pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Function Room
PIE Nights are aimed at bringing men from across the generations together for the purpose of creating community, inspiring and encouraging one another. \$10 for PIE and soft drink. **Sign up at the Info Point.**

Singles Alive

Details of events for the singles group coordinated by Elsie & Neil Murray are available at the Info Point.

Children & Families

Baby Dedications

Our next Baby Dedication service will be on **Sunday 13 Oct**. If you are interested in having your child dedicated, please contact the Church Office 9329 1777

General

House of Prayer

WHEN: Thursday 12 Sept 6-8pm, Fridays 6 & 20 Sept 6-9am
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Auditorium
Come and join the Church in prayer in a flexible environment and for as long as you wish.

Cooby Prayer Meetings

WHEN: Every Tuesday 6.00-7.00pm & Friday 7.30-8.30am
WHERE: Coolbellup Campus

Context Cafe

WHEN: Sunday 8 Sept 3pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Function Room
A chance to hear Kevin Vigus from Friends of Israel present on the various aspects of the inter-relationships between Christian, Jews and Israel. Flyers at the Info Point or contact Norman Gare n.gare@westnet.com.au

Perth Women's Convention 2019 'Uncrowded: Cherished Conversations with Jesus'

WHEN: Saturday 14 Sept 9.00am-3.30pm
WHERE: Perth Convention & Exhibition Centre
Women are invited to day of encouragement, music, interviews and Bible teaching, exploring the truth of God's word, responding to him and thinking through how to live for Jesus. Register online pwc.ccowa.org by 8 Sept.

Baptist World Aid Advocacy Meeting

WHEN: Wednesday 18 Sept 6.30-9.00pm
WHERE: Mosaic, South Perth Baptist Church, 2 Lawler Street, South Perth
Susy Lee from BWA Head Office is in Perth to update catalyst groups on all things advocacy, focusing on the issues of consumption and domestic violence. Cost is \$5, please RSVP by 11 Sept to Kathy Sinclair kathy.sinclair@baptistworldaid.org.au

Living, Dying and the Power of Presence

WHEN: Wednesday 4 Sept 7.30pm
WHERE: Booragoon Campus Auditorium
All welcome to a dynamic presentation from 'Fatal Flaws' filmmaker Kevin Dunn, around the topic of physician assisted suicide. The movie will be screened on Thursday 5 Sept at 7.00pm at Victory Life Centre in Osborne Park.

Emily's Voice 'Glorious Life' Gala Dinner

WHEN: Saturday 14 Sept 6.30 for 7.00pm
WHERE: Hyatt Regency, 99 Adelaide Terrace
A night to celebrate the uniqueness, beauty, dignity and value of every life with dinner, entertainment, presentations and auction, and an opportunity to financially support Emily's Voice life and love media campaign. Tickets www.trybooking.com/BCLSL or see Gladys Burgess.

FINANCES

YEAR TO DATE BUDGET:

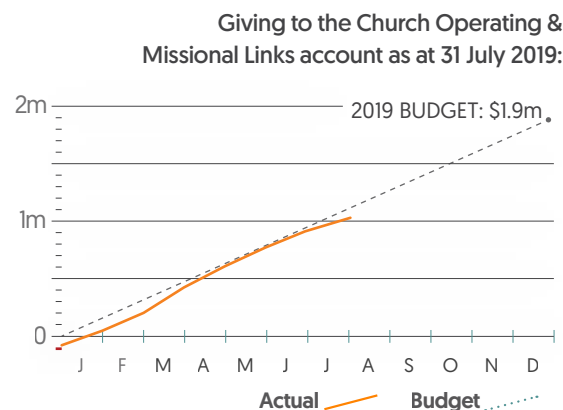
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YTD ACTUAL:

\$1,074,169

YTD DEFICIT:

\$-39,343



Giving to the Building Fund as at 31 July 2019:

YTD ACTUAL:

\$235,990

ANNUAL TARGET:

\$360,000

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

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



BOOK OF THE MONTH

'Goliath must Fall:

Winning the Battle Against Your Giants' by Louis Giglio

We all have giants in our lives that creep in and take over. Giants like rejection, anxiety, fear, anger, and addiction. These adversaries establish a foothold, and before we know it we are tolerating something that is diminishing the glory of God in our lives and holding us back from the freedom that Jesus intends for us. So how do we break out of these patterns once and for all?

The Book Shop

Spring has arrived! It's time to do something new, something fresh! Let go of everything bad and celebrate this new season. The Book Shop has lots of books on prayer, healing and restoration. These are powerful tools to discover God's provision of peace and strength that heals your soul, so you can celebrate this new season with a renewed joy in your heart.

Ladies' Book Club:

Ladies, our September book is 'The Hiding Place' by Corrie ten Boom. We now meet on the third Thursday of the month – 19 September. For further information, please contact Tracy on tracybeasley@gmail.com

OPENING TIMES:

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

Tuesday & Wednesday 9am-12pm

(during school terms)

Order online:
mounties.org.au/bookshop

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday - Friday: 9.00am-4.30pm

Office Email: contact@mounties.org.au

College Email: contact@mpc.wa.edu.au

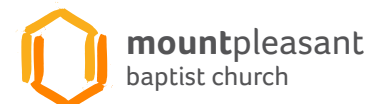
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CHURCH SERVICES:

BOORAGOON CAMPUS
8.45 & 10.30 **AM SUNDAY**
5.30 **PM SUNDAY**

COOLBELLUP CAMPUS
5.30 **PM SATURDAY**
9.00 **AM SUNDAY**

SEPTEMBER 2019

THIS MONTH

At a funeral service there are usually a lot of nice words expressed in an attempt to sum up a person's life. If you had to pick a word that summarized your character, a word that accurately described your nature, what would that word be? What word would others use to describe you? We like the idea of being thought of as kind, generous, courageous or successful. But as we honestly examine our own hearts, perhaps some other, less complimentary words come to mind: fearful, stubborn, insecure, bossy! All such words are descriptive of what flows from the heart of a person. The Bible has a lot to say about the human heart. "Above all else, guard your heart, for everything you do flows from it." (Proverbs 4:23) And Jesus himself reminds us that out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks. (Matthew 12:34) Through the months of September and October we'll be looking at some of the great kings of the Old Testament in our series "Heart of Kings." How did these kings lead their lives, and what do their hearts reveal? Come with us on the journey and see what the Lord reveals about your own heart. – Nick Scott

Bible Readings:

1 September: Father's Day

8 September: 1 Samuel 15:10-26

15 September: 2 Samuel 9:1-13

22 September: 1 Kings 3:4-28

29 September: Guest speaker



Coolbellup Update

We have enjoyed a wonderful time of celebration and thanksgiving at our Coolbellup Campus as we acknowledged God's favour and faithfulness to us over the past 4 years. How time flies! We have recently held our first ever Saturday Night Service and are so grateful for the way the Lord continues to bless us with His presence. Our Saturday night services are a wonderful opportunity to serve our community in simplicity and hospitality as we enjoy the Lord together through worship, His word, and great fellowship over a meal after the service. We are also excited about participating in a new initiative being launched by the City of Cockburn called Cooby Community Soup. On the last Friday of each month, different community groups join together to produce a meal for anyone in the local area as a way of building deeper relationships with one another. It is our turn to cook on 29 November! To God be the glory! – Michael Christie

Silent Retreat

A smaller than usual group made the trek up through the beautiful green rolling hills and canola fields to this year's Silent Retreat at New Norcia. A time of reflective worship, prayer and briefing followed dinner on Friday evening and there was a real sense of excitement and anticipation. The Retreat is largely unstructured and participants are free to pursue their own leadings over the Saturday - many take to walking in the beautiful environs, others sit quietly in the courtyard or library. On Sunday the group shares a moving liturgical communion, followed by a seemingly cacophonous lunch together, especially after all the quiet! Participants leave refreshed and renewed in their spirit ready for the journey ahead. Join us next year as we celebrate our 10th annual Silent Retreat to New Norcia.

Youth Baptismal Service

On Friday 9 August, AMP Youth held a baptismal service where 19 of our young people committed their lives to God. It was a celebration of what the Lord is doing in our midst, especially in the lives of our young people. We were blessed as we heard testimony after testimony of what the Lord had done in their lives, to bring them to Him. Thank you to all who came and celebrated, welcomed and embraced our young people to the church family. Soli Deo Gloria.



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.



RED WALL MUSIC FESTIVAL

There is an exciting weekend of activities planned for 20-21 Sept.

Friday 20 Sept will showcase the best work by our 2019 Cert II and III students. The evening features creative performances and displays by the music, media, design and film students – 6.30pm for a 7.00pm start at Booragoon Campus, **cost \$5**, register on the College website or pay at the door. The festival continues on **Saturday from 2pm with Open Day** at MPC. There will be live music provided by our own students and those from auspice schools, along with several masterclasses by professionals working within the music industry. After Open Day, an evening Alumni Showcase will feature Dulcie, Chelsea Cullen, Lucas Jones, and Chidgzy **performing from 6:00pm** – a free event. **All are welcome** to come and see the College working to build a creative arts community.

Update from Graham



Our faithful God continues to bless our existing community links through...

Mondo Community Warriors Lifeline Brunch, Lifeline Black Diamond Gala Dinner where Ian Thorpe was the guest speaker, Heart Foundation and Donatelife WA memorial services, a Community Funding programme for Federal MP Ben Morton, and many others.

He is also providing new opportunities, which have included...

Launching a collection of creative writing by City of Rockingham residents, representing the Australian of the Year Alumni as guest speaker for the Australia Day Council, addressing Lifeline, Crisis Support Volunteers and the Fairhaven Rebuilding Centre in Volunteers Week. I was also privileged to be sent by one of three committees on which I serve, to the Animal Ethics Conference in Hobart, a great opportunity to hear from and interact with leading researchers across Australia and New Zealand. I've now been invited to join a second human research ethics committee as the law requires a "person who performs a pastoral care role in a community" to be present. A pastor being given the opportunity to speak into the international work of two leading university research centres is an exciting honour. Recently I attended the 98five Foundation Supporters function and spoke on "The Power of Radio". Having seen the first test transmission of Sonshine FM and officially launched the station, I was delighted to learn it now has 163,000 regular listeners.

For all this we are truly thankful.

We thank God for a blessed time with Allan and Helen Meyer. I was so impacted by their energy and passion to share what they have learnt over many years, to help others and to help us as a church to help others. We are aware that much of what was shared raised further conversations so we are praying, "What next Lord?" I think we probably all particularly resonated with Allan's Sunday AM message about the Good Samaritan. If you were not there or couldn't attend the other sessions, I would encourage you to listen to them online **mounties.org.au/restoration** - The question is "How do we together not just pass by the hidden pain in our neighbourhood, but explore ways to care for our neighbour?" Please pray for God's unfolding wisdom and leading in these things as we seek to follow Him. – Sue Ford



Infuse Cafe in the Community

All the tips that are given to Infuse Cafe are used to bless people in the local community. So far we have blessed the Women's Refuge Centre with a lovely morning tea, and recently we had the privilege of taking a special morning tea from Infuse Cafe to Blue Gum Recreation Centre to bless a group of adults

who are living with a disability and meet regularly for cooking classes called 'Master Chef'. This is run through Uniting Care West and supported by the City of Melville. Thank you so much for your ongoing support of Infuse Cafe as TOGETHER we INFUSE into the community to shine God's love and light.

Infuse Cafe - Supporting Cancer Research

On **Saturday 7 Sept, Infuse Cafe** will be supporting Cancer Research.

We all know someone who has been touched in some way by Cancer. It might have been a friend, a family member or you personally. Our very own Graphic Designer - Kellie Parsons is participating in the Cancer200 Ride for Research in October. Kellie and around 1000 other West Australians will ride 200km to raise much needed funds for the Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research. If you wish to support Kellie we will have a donations box in the cafe, also tax deductible donations can be made online via **<http://bit.ly/kellierides>**

In addition to supporting Kellie we will also be selling Daffodils and donating **\$1 for every cupcake sold in support of the Cancer Council**. Invite your Friends, shout your parents brunch, grab a coffee for yourself and don't forget for every coffee ordered you can get a babyccino for your child. Join us from 8am - 2pm!



Alpha Update

Alpha is an opportunity to explore what life is about. It's a course designed primarily for people who wouldn't go to Church, or who wouldn't call themselves a Christian. It's also suited to Christians who may be struggling with questions of faith, or wishing to review the basics. The 2019 Alpha course at Mounties has just concluded. It was well attended and we thank the many volunteers who helped in the running of it. It's encouraging to see how God takes all of this and changes lives. We have had a number of first time commitments, people who started the course with doubts but who now know they have a personal relationship with Jesus, and many receiving prayer to be filled with the Holy Spirit. God is wonderful and we give him all the glory for the changes we have seen in the hearts and lives of those participating. Praise God!

Good News Club



Good News Club proudly presents new leaders Natalie Walchshofer (Co-ordinator) and Rebecca Flint (Administrator). These leaders, together with their own children and a few committed teachers, have a heart for children to learn about God and to accept the gift of salvation. Club meets most Thursdays during school term, at MPBC Booragoon Campus from 4:00 to 5:30pm. Please pray for this ministry reaching out to primary school children in our community, who may never hear about Jesus. Want to know how you can support this team? Contact us at **gnc@mounties.org.au**

Family News:

SYMPATHY TO FAMILY & FRIENDS OF

Ruby Patterson who passed away 16 August

Lyn Murtha, whose mother Valda Bramston passed away recently

BAPTISMS

Ilke Alberts, Eliana Ash, Jeremy Ash, Belinda Lewis, Tom Carter, Marvin Chan, Joshua Finney, Harry Laycock, Simon McAdam, Thomas Nicholls, Sean Nienaber, Wendy Rackham, Jason Scott, Ethan Silva, Luis Silva, Thomas Vickridge, Dart Vost, Colt Vost, and Lara Wilsnach were all baptised on 9 August at the AMP Youth Baptismal Service.

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Val Scrimgeour who celebrated her 100th birthday at Seniors on 15 August



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