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## TOO RELAXED?

There are times for relaxing, situations where we need to sit back wait. But there are other times where we need to do something. There are times when we need to take action.

In the Corinthian Church, there was an issue where they were too relaxed. They should have taken decisive action on a sexual purity issue; however, instead, they were happy to let it go on.

As we seek to be Jesus shaped and transformed, may God show us if there are any holiness issues that we are too relaxed about in our personal lives or as a community.

*Jason McPhail  
Assistant Minister*

## WELCOME!

Here for the first time? We're glad you came! We trust you'll get to know us and our Lord Jesus better.

Please stay around after the service and grab a cup of tea or coffee. If you wish, you may like to meet and chat with the service leader or the speaker. We'd love to get to know you!

*Bishop Peter Tasker  
Acting Rector*

# PRAYER

## Mission Focus

### RUTH HOUSE

- With only a third of the finances needed for March to cover the operational costs of 50 babies and mums (\$13,000), prayers were answered with anonymous donors providing the short fall. Praise God for his provision for this women's shelter that runs completely on the generosity of others.
- As the plans for 'Dreamland' continue to meet obstacles, Ruth House has been blessed by another generous donor who has some land to build a permanent residence on for their ministry. Pray that God would provide a permanent residence. Pray also for wisdom when dealing with the authorities in charge of allowing land to be purchased for non-profit organisations (difficult in Indonesia).
- Thank God that Ruth House continues to rescue young girls and teenagers from difficult situations. Pray for all those currently living at Ruth House, for healing from the trauma they have experienced in their lives and that they would come to know the Lord Jesus through this ministry.
- Pray for God to raise up more sponsors for babies needing support at Ruth House right now.

## Prayer Requests

### THOSE IN HOSPITAL

**Robin Braddock** in Wollongong Private Hospital, recovering from surgery. **Trevor Walker** in Wollongong hosp.

### CAFÉ CHURCH

**Helen Pogson's** son, Nick, home recovering.

### VILLAGES & NURSING HOMES

**Bruce Massey, Diana Mirrington, Kath Hobbs, Ella Harvey, Jean Dooley, Lorna Blisset-Walker, Helen Stephens, Glenys Noort and Barbara Bannister.**

### 8AM / 2PM SERVICE

**Lyn Ryan** continue to pray as still having issues with her foot. **Chris Gall** ongoing eye treatment. **Pat Wellbourn's** son, Antony and fiancé Sue King; Sue has cancer and is in hospital recovering from lung op. **Gail Robertson** please pray for ongoing recovery.

### 9.30AM SERVICE

**Michael Johnston (Mary's husband)** having more tests. **Deb Pritchard's** brothers: **John Hands** Lymphoma diagnosis, undergoing treatment and **Kevin Hands** has emphysema and recovering from an operation on his carotid artery. **Ron (Pat McKay's relative)** cancerous spots found, undergoing treatment. **Barry Grugan** recovering well. **Pat McKay** in rehab.

### 10AM SERVICE

**Annette Holmes** home from hospital. **Trevor Pearce's dad, Marlene Campbell's** husband (Gary), **Ronnie Van Kempen, Janelle Southwell (Warren's sister-in-law), Bruce Jones. Michael Eames** all ongoing. **Kaye Franks & Susan Starky's** cousin **Josh Day** recovering from lung transplant. **David Langley** recovering from surgery.

### 7PM SERVICE

**Dan Moran, Bill Harvey, Jamie Mackenzie** ongoing. **Shaina-lea Johnson** and her son **Roman** (6 month old) waiting for Spina Bifida Clinic appointment.

## PRAYER FOR TODAY

We beseech you, almighty God, look on the heartfelt desires of your servants, and stretch forth the right hand of your power to be our defense against all our enemies; through Jesus Christ our Lord  
**Amen.**

# GET INVOLVED

## This Week

**MON** 09<sup>TH</sup> THE CAFÉ *OPEN 9:00am - 2:30pm*  
FRONT OFFICE RECEPTION *CLOSED*

**TUE** 10<sup>TH</sup> THE CAFÉ *OPEN 9:00am - 2:30pm*

**WED** 11<sup>TH</sup> THE CAFÉ *OPEN 9:00am - 2:30pm*

**THU** 12<sup>TH</sup> THE CAFÉ *OPEN 9:00am - 4:30pm*  
PLAYPATCH *9:30am Youth Hall*  
2PM SERVICE *2pm @ St Luke's*  
CONNECT GUYS & GIRLS *4:30pm*

**FRI** 13<sup>TH</sup> CREATIVE CONNECTION *10am-2pm*  
*Main Hall, Café Foyer, Conf Rm 1*  
THE CAFÉ *OPEN 9:00am - 4:30pm*  
CONNECT FRIDAYS *4pm*  
CITY YOUTH *5:30pm - 10pm*

**SAT** 14<sup>TH</sup> MISSION PRAYER  
CONNECT MEN BUSHWALK

**SUN** 15<sup>TH</sup> SERVICES: *8am, 9.30am, 10am, 5pm & 7pm*

## The Café

*Mon - Wed: 9am to 2:30pm*

*Thurs - Fri: 9am to 4:30pm*

Catering, function and party booking available.

Email: [thecafe@daptoanglican.org.au](mailto:thecafe@daptoanglican.org.au)

## Connect Men Bushwalk

**Sat 14th Mar | 10:30am** Bush walk to the Falls starting at the bottom of Macquarie Pass or join us when we get back at 11:30am. BYO Lunch for picnic.

Chat to Rick Miller (8am), Greg Batten (9:30am or 7pm), or Warren Southwell and Vince Allon (at 10am).

## BCA Money Boxes

Throughout the month of March please bring in your BCA money boxes.

## Mission Prayer

**Saturday the 14th of March**

9am at 42 North Terrace

## Kids Sewing Workshop

For 7+ year old's,

**Wednesday April 15th** (*school holidays*).

**10am till 2pm** (*approx.*)

Project: Make your own pillow case.

\$15 each (BYO Lunch)

Book in with

Wendy Eagleton 0457 809 707

## SAFE MINISTRY

Dapto Anglican Church is committed to Safe Ministry Practices.



If you have a question or concern, we are here to help. Please contact:

- Julie Houghton, Parish Safe Ministry Representative, by confidential email [safeministry@daptoanglican.org.au](mailto:safeministry@daptoanglican.org.au) or through our church office on 42611001
- Anglican Abuse Report line on 1800 774945

## 1 Corinthians 5:1-13

<sup>1</sup> It is actually reported that there is sexual immorality among you, and of a kind that even pagans do not tolerate: A man is sleeping with his father's wife. <sup>2</sup> And you are proud! Shouldn't you rather have gone into mourning and have put out of your fellowship the man who has been doing this? <sup>3</sup> For my part, even though I am not physically present, I am with you in spirit. As one who is present with you in this way, I have already passed judgment in the name of our Lord Jesus on the one who has been doing this. <sup>4</sup> So when you are assembled and I am with you in spirit, and the power of our Lord Jesus is present, <sup>5</sup> hand this man over to Satan for the destruction of the flesh, so that his spirit may be saved on the day of the Lord.

<sup>6</sup> Your boasting is not good. Don't you know that a little yeast leavens the whole batch of dough? <sup>7</sup> Get rid of the old yeast, so that you may be a new unleavened batch—as you really are. For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed. <sup>8</sup> Therefore let us keep the Festival, not with the old bread leavened with malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

<sup>9</sup> I wrote to you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people— <sup>10</sup> not at all meaning the people of this world who are immoral, or the greedy and swindlers, or idolaters. In that case you would have to leave this world. <sup>11</sup> But now I am writing to you that you must not associate with anyone who claims to be a brother or sister but is sexually immoral or greedy, an idolater or slanderer, a drunkard or swindler. Do not even eat with such people.

<sup>12</sup> What business is it of mine to judge those outside the church? Are you not to judge those inside? <sup>13</sup> God will judge those outside. "Expel the wicked person from among you."

This is the Word of the Lord,  
**Thanks be to God**

## PSALM 34:1-7

<sup>1</sup> I will extol the LORD at all times;  
his praise will always be on my lips.

<sup>2</sup> I will glory in the LORD;  
let the afflicted hear and rejoice.

<sup>3</sup> Glorify the LORD with me;  
let us exalt his name together.

<sup>4</sup> I sought the LORD, and he answered me;  
he delivered me from all my fears.

<sup>5</sup> Those who look to him are radiant;  
their faces are never covered with shame

<sup>6</sup> This poor man called, and the LORD heard him;  
he saved him out of all his troubles.

<sup>7</sup> The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him,  
and he delivers them.