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MORNING SERVICE

Welcome Prayer Hymn (294)
The Church's One Foundation
Bible Reading: Ephesians 1:15-23
Memory Text: Isaiah 53:5
Announcements
Song
Faithful
Children's Talk Hymn (513)
What A Friend We Have In Jesus
[Tithes & Offering]
Pastoral Prayer
Bible Reading: Colossians 1:1-14
Ministry Of God's Word
'Never Stop Praying'
Song
My Worth Is Not In What I Own
Benediction

WMV ANNUAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

The WMV is running their annual women's conference on 24th March, themed 'Our Glorious God.' Sheryl Sarkoezy will be encouraging us to fix our eyes on the One who created all things for His glory as she witnesses to us about God's presence in this world. There will also be 10 very relevant and practical workshops offered, a hot topic panel, uplifting singing, and more. This conference is designed to teach and train women in order to have a flow on effect to local churches and be a blessing to many.

To register online or to find out more, head to wmv.org.au

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Welcome & Prayer Song / Hymn(51)

Chorus Of The Saved
Holy, Holy, Holy
Bible Reading: Zechariah 11:7-14
Memory Text: Isaiah 53:5
Announcements
Song / Hymn(211)
Only A Holy God
What Can Wash Away My Sin? [Tithes & Offering]
Prayer
Bible Reading: Matthew 27:1-10
Ministry of God's Word
'The King's Betraye'
Song
In Christ Alone
Benediction

ST STEPHENS SERMONS ONLINE

If you are interested in listening to the sermons during the week, each sermon can be downloaded from www.shp.org.au/#/sermons or as a podcast from iTunes. You can access sermons all the way back to July 2012.

CRY ROOM & PARENT ROOM

Parents of babies, please note that there is a crying/feeding room available for use at the rear of the church. Please see one of the members on duty, if you are unsure of where it is.

EVENING SERVICE



WORSHIP SERVICES

10.15AM & 6PM
2PM DEAF CHURCH

Our Purpose

By God's grace and for His glory, we exist to equip Christians to worship and serve God, develop them to Christ-like maturity, help them fulfil their life mission in the Church and the world, lead people to Jesus and membership in a caring and loving family, reach Surrey Hills and beyond for Christ.

Our Passion

We desire to be a church radiating the love, grace and power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ locally and globally.

IN MORNING SERVICE: Infants and Toddlers

Supervised play is available for infants and children under school aged during the service after the Children's Talk. Up the ramp and in the room straight ahead.

Kids' Church

For Primary School aged kids. After the Children's Talk. Up the ramp and in the room on the left.

Life @ St. Stephen's

www.shp.org.au

Lord's Day, Sunday 11th Mar 2018

WELCOME

We warmly welcome you all to our worship services today. Whether you're visiting, a member or a regular attender, it is great to have you with us. If you are a visitor, we thank you for taking the time to visit us and we encourage you to please fill in the visitor's card which will give us an opportunity to connect with you. If we can help you with anything, just ask one of the member of welcome team.

TODAY...

MORNING & EVENING SERVICE

Today: AM service: Colossians 1:9-14 'Never Stop Praying'
PM service: Matthew 27:1-10 - 'The King's Betraye' [Bryce Wiegandt].
Next week: : AM service: Colossians 1:15-23.
PM service: : Matthew 27:11-26 - 'The King's Substitute'

THANKYOU - OFFICER CHURCH PLANT

Below is an excerpt of a letter from Rev Dave Martin [Church planter] in response to a donation of \$ 10,000 from our church towards the new church plant in Officer: The Session and Board, St Stephen's Presbyterian Church

Dear Members,

Thank you very much for your generous and significant donation towards the planting of New Life Presbyterian Church in Officer. It is so encouraging to have your support and prayers. It has allowed us to go ahead with plans for converting the shed into some kind of ministry centre for youth and men's ministries plus improve the sun room that adjoins the lounge room thus creating a meeting room in the house that will comfortably seat 30 people. We also intend to create a play area directly outside to facilitate ministry to young mums and children. I have said that it takes a denomination to plant a church and I sense that support and encouragement.

CHURCH WORKING BEE - SATURDAY 17TH MARCH

The Board Of Management is organising a working bee to be held in our church on Saturday 17th March from 9.00 am to 12.00 noon. This is an opportunity for us to come along and help out in attending to some of the property matters. A list of jobs to be attended is available in the foyer of the hall for your information. Please make an effort to come along!

CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES

Thanks to all who packed interesting gifts for under-privileged children in the Asian region. St. Stephen's contributed 165 shoeboxes. Well Done! Special thanks to Andrew and Trish Collis for co-ordinating this project.

MEMORY TEXT

Isaiah 53:5

⁵ But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed.

[Isaiah 53:5]

YOSHI

Yoshi EVERY FRIDAY @ 7.30PM

Come along for some good fellowship, fun, and a chance to explore 2 Peter together

This week: 2 Peter 3:1-13
Creative Ministry: Year 9 girls
Supper: Year 9-10 girls

PTC - COMMENCEMENT & GRADUATION CEREMONY

The Presbyterian Theological College is delighted to invite you to the 2018 Commencement & Graduation Ceremony. Join us for a joyful evening of celebration as we acknowledge the academic achievements of our graduating students, and mark the beginning of the 2018 Academic Year.

When: Friday, March 16, 2018

Time: 7:00 PM 9:00 PM

Venue: Werner Brodbeck Hall, 156 Collins Street Melbourne, VIC, 3000

We are delighted to welcome Andrew Hastie MP MHR for Canning as our guest speaker, and look forward to hearing from him at the ceremony. All are welcome. Please RSVP to the College at info@ptc.edu.au or (03) 9898 93840.

REQUEST FOR CHILDMINDERS

Want to help mums spend time in their Bibles? You can help! We are looking for childminders for the mum's Bible study- Friday mornings 9.30am- 11.30.

Location TBC

Contact Anna if you think you can help on a rostered basis: 0434994191

MEALS FOR DEAKIN CU MINISTRY

Come and partner with the Gospel-ministry at Deakin Uni's Christian Union. The CU organises regular Tuesday Night Cross Culture events and would appreciate contribution of food for next Tuesday, 20 Mar. If you are able to help, please contact: Susan Khanna on 0402 901108

EVENING SUPPER ROSTER VOLUNTEERS

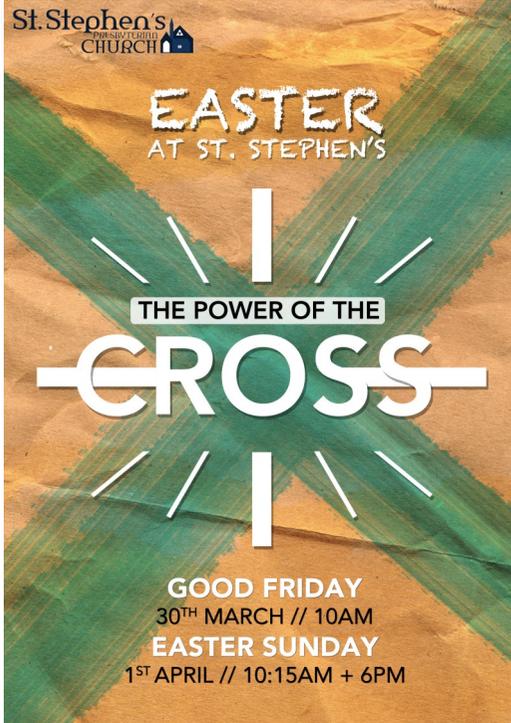
Do you want to encourage Christian fellowship after our evening services? Then you can help! We need 4 people each Sunday evening to provide supper and serve it up after the service. Please contact Wendy Geluk if you would like to be on the roster: 0423 316 484

SAVE THE DATES - CHURCH CAMP

Church camp will be held on the weekend of 7-9th September at the Adventure Resort, Philip Island. Save the dates on your diary!

FREE ENGLISH CLASSES AT CHURCH

Free English classes are held each Wednesday during school term from 10:00 am until 12:15. Students have opportunity to practice every day English through conversation, and reading from the bible. For more information contact: Jennie 0412 712 084.



LABOUR DAY PICNIC AT CANTERBURY GARDENS

Join us for a picnic at Canterbury Gardens on Monday 12 March at 12:30pm. Bring a plate and drinks to share. All welcome, young and old.

MAINLY MUSIC

Mainly Music for 2018 has commenced every Thursday at 10.30am. This is a programme for babies, toddlers and preschoolers. This is a delightful opportunity to share a time of musical fun with song, rhyme, rhythm and dance followed by a snack and play with opportunity of adults to chat and have a cuppa. Through Mainly Music we hope to build connections within our church family and into the community. Please come along and invite others.

Gold coin donation.

If you would like to help with the programme, please contact Dawn on 0407 046 491

GROWTH GROUPS

Growth group is up and running and in term one, we will be studying Matthew 26-28 "To Cross and Crown". It will follow our sermon series and we have produced a study booklet for everyone.

A growth group leader will be in touch with you if they haven't already about starting time and place. If you are not in one, it would be a good year to get involve in a group that we might grow together in Christian maturity.

The groups are below. If you haven't been contacted yet, feel free to make contact.

Time	Location	Leaders	Contact
Mon 7:30pm (weekly)	Surrey Hills	Josiah Moody Katherine Moody	josiahmddy@gmail.com katherinebmoody@gmail.com
Tue 10:30am (men's fortnightly)	Church	Barry Dimelow Keith Watson	dimelowbm@gmail.com keithwatson.shp@gmail.com
Tue 7:30pm (weekly)	Mitcham	Chris Shaw Tim Martin	chris.w.haw@gmail.com tim.maddi@outlook.com
Tue 7:30pm (weekly)	Blackburn	Owen Harris Anna Harris	owennharris@gmail.com ankharris@gmail.com
Wed 7:30pm (weekly)	Box Hill North	Pete Sorrenson	pete.deakinu@gmail.com
Wed 7:30pm (weekly)	Hawthorn	Winston Chong Grace Chong	winstoncwchong@gmail.com ms.gwong@gmail.com
Wed 8:00pm (1 st , 3 rd , 5 th week)	Glen Iris	Nalean Sen Greg Millsteed	nalean@gmail.com greg.millsteed@gmail.com
Wed 7:30pm (2 nd , 4 th , 5 th)	Burwood	Chris Siriweera	siriweer@bigpond.net.au
Thurs 1.30pm (women's, 2 nd and 4 th week)	Church	Michelle Gerungan	michelle.gerungan@gmail.com
Thurs 7:30pm (weekly)	Surrey Hills	John Huynh	john.huynh@shp.org.au
Fri 9:30am (fortnightly)	TBC	Anna Harris	ankharris@gmail.com
Fri 10:30am (weekly)	Church	Chris Siriweera	siriweer@bigpond.net.au
Fri 7:30pm (weekly)	Church	Stephen Moody Michael Geluk	stephnwen@gmail.com mwgeluk@optusnet.com.au

ROSTER: MAR 2018

Duty Elder: Russell Walley

	Sun, 11th Mar	Sun, 18th Mar
Managers AM	Barb Hinkins Anthony Blake	Shaun Siriweera John Gooding
Managers PM	Emad Nashed	Shirley Miskimmin
Doors AM	Amanda Wee	Malini Gunaratnam
Morning Tea	Lyn Walley Anne Verwoert Alex Song Lauren Walley	Natasha Wee Amanda Wee Shauna Wee Mak Wee
	Sat, 10th Mar	Sat, 17th Mar
Flowers	Lyndell Parker	Christine Salim/Gaby Wu

EMAIL PRAYER GROUP

The purpose of the email prayer group is to receive and relay prayer requests of both parishioners or others known to parishioners who would like a prayer. These may be prayers for people in difficult circumstances, illness, prayers of thanksgiving or any prayer of a personal or public nature where you would like the support of others. Prayer requests are treated with confidentiality and not for discussion with others except for encouraging the person/ persons asking for prayer.

If you would like to be on the email group, please email dawn.millsteed@gmail.com. Also if you no longer wish to be receiving emails contact me also. All prayer requests can be sent to the above address or call 98038776 or 0407046491.