



13 May 2012

Welcome *A warm welcome to all who join us today in giving worship and praise to our great God and Saviour. May this be a time of growing in grace and strengthening our relationship with the Lord and with each other. Please join us for a cuppa after the service. If you are visiting today, please sign our visitor's Book. We have an information leaflet explaining our church's ministries and activities, feel free to take one or ask for one.*

WORSHIP TODAY

9:30 AM Pastor Jim de Witte
 Message: TBA
 Reading: TBA

6:00 PM Br Colin Pretorius Afrikaans Service
 Message: TBA
 Reading: Colossians 1:9-14

WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

9:30 AM TBA
 6:00 PM TBA

OFFERINGS

THIS WEEK
 1 – Local Church
 2 – RTC

NEXT WEEK
 1 – Local Church
 2 – Solomon Islands Workgroup

LAST WEEK

Freewill/Pledges	\$1,900.25
Leadership Training and Prof. Dev.	\$489.60



ROSTERS

COFFEE SERVING :

Today: J & L. Otto, G & R. Heerdink, P & J. Noorbergen, M. Kruizinga.

Next Week: C. de Haan, R. Painter, V. Steendam, M & C. van Rossen.

27th May G. Huinink, K. Knol, F & M. Piening, H & R. Piening

3rd June J & M. Austrums, Y & A. Laverman, C & A. Span

PA & VIDEO :

Today: Kevin & Glenn de Jong

Next Week: David & Phillip Ellings

GREETERS

Today: Martin & Coby van Rossen

Next week: Yke & Anneke Laverman

Pastoral and Prayer Points

- **Give thanks for Synod** and the sense of unity and harmonious working together that was possible. Thank you for your prayers.
- A progress report on **Ben Vandenberg**, the i tcpf uqp"qh"J cpp{ "Guj vku"cpf "Rgvt".....
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week and is hopeful of being able to move to Vic Rehab now. He still has a journey to go but the family are thankful for our prayers as they see Ben healing and making progress. We praise God for this good report!

- **Ida Ekkel** had a fall on Tuesday breaking a rib and suffering bruising. She is now in Caulfield Hospital, 260 Kooyong Road, to heal and recover.
- With enforced rest **Nyomie Meenks** has had a more stable week. Pray that God will sustain her and Mark, and the unborn foetus during these critical times so that the pregnancy can continue for more maturity of the baby's development.
- **Ada Coe** would value our prayers and support ,for her sister (Libby) who has been diagnosed with terminal lung cancer (aged 58) and who has been given a limited time to live.
- **Congratulations to Gerda and Leo Huinink** who celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary this past week, also to **Tom and Ria Raatjes** and **Atie and Peter Bruinewoud** celebrating 53 years, and **Klaas and Janny Appel** celebrating 56 years: we rejoice with you in God's care over you as couples.
- Several people have had losses within their families: **Wilma Tiley's** step son Peter, died; and **Doris Kreun and Katy de Jong's** brother in law Ben, died this week. Pray for all who grieve the loss of loved ones.
- Pray for safety for those travelling overseas at present: **Sophie Wang/Kimmer, Janny Mekking, Nel Steunenberg**
- **Pray** for Church Council and the Search Committee as they seek God's guidance and leading in looking for the right person to give leadership and teaching to our congregation.



Op Shop

Our Church Op Shop opens on Thursdays from 11.30am –4.30pm and Fridays from 10am-4.30pm. We raise money for various local mission projects. Donations can only be dropped off during opening times. Volunteers may contact Anneke Laverman (97005686)

National Day of Thanksgiving

The Dandenong Ministers' Fellowship is again hosting a National Day of Thanksgiving breakfast on Saturday 26th May 2012. At this function we invite city councillors and others who work within the local community to say thank you to them for their hard work. We also give thanks to God for his grace and goodness. It is a breakfast that runs from 8.30-11.30 at a cost of \$15 per person. This year the venue is again Lighthouse Community Hall, Keysborough, with a new catering team.

During the program we wish present to the council and community the wonderful multicultural nature of the church. There will be musical items from different ethnic Christian groups, like the Soul Salvation Assembly. As a local Dandenong Church it would be great if many of us could attend this breakfast as join together with the wider Christian body to give thanks to God for the provision of capable community leaders and display our unity in the Gospel to the wider community.

Seats are limited and bookings are essential. See Pastor Jim for tickets



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Victorian Youth Service May 27th Geelong

We hope you're looking forward to the next state youth service. To make the trip to Geelong even more worthwhile, we've organised for games at Eastern Beach from 3-5pm followed by Dinner at Potter St hall at 5pm prior to the youth service at 6pm. There will also be tea/coffee and light supper after the service. Hope you can make it and enjoy some fun and fellowship with us.
For further details contact Matt - 04318453737

Ascension Day Casey Church

Combined service:
Casey, Langwarrin and Dandenong
When: 17 May
Time: 7:30 pm
Pastor: La'Mont Ferreira

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Corrie de Haan	Today	May 13
Karl Hauke	Today	May 13
Ngangalang Kaka		May 15
Adri van Vliet		May 16
Krijna Knol		May 17
Jonathan Burggraaf		May 18
Martin van Rossen		May 18
Maggie Pretorius		May 19

May your day dawn bright with beauty, rich in the promise of good things to come.

Backyard Blitz

On the 19th of May Venture bible study will be doing a backyard blitz for a member of the community and we need your help. as there is a lot of rubbish and garden waste to be removed we need to hire a skip. if you able to donate to the hiring of the skip and other

costs involved it would be greatly appreciated. please see Matt Noorbergen (97900722), Henni Burggraaf (97952170) or Dave Barrot (59403546) if you could help in any way.

Thank You

Dear congregation

As a family we would like to thank you all for your love and support, shown to us during John's illness.

Especially the last few weeks, we felt carried by prayer.

We also want to express our thanks for all the cards and flowers we received.

We are grateful, that John is with his Lord and Saviour now, free from pain and sickness.

Love from Gerrie and the family

DeWitte Family Farewell Night

As you all know that on the 23rd of December we are having a farewell night for the DeWitte family, this is to be a night of fun, remembering and celebrating the DeWitte Family being part of Church family.

For a night like this to work we need entertainment and that is where you as a congregation come in, if you would like to present a speech, a song, a skit or something different on the night could you please let Gerry Smedes or David Barrot know.

You can do this 2 ways: 1- Talk to us after church or put something in our Pigeon Holes or 2- You can email us on gsmedes@mitre10.com.au or barrot01@hotmail.com

We hope to hear from you as soon as possible so we can enjoy a great night together.



FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

THE GRACE GROW GROUP (Triple G)

Meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 2.00-3.30 pm. Leader is John Nicholson. Everyone is welcome. Contact on 97956252

OASIS GROWTH GROUP

The **Oasis Growth Group** invites new members to attend. We meet the first and third Tuesday of each month but not during holidays. (if you are dropping off kids at URY and want to join us we conclude at 9 – 9.30) At the Burggraaf's, 17 Edgewood Road, Dandenong – Tel 9791 2601 Mob 0408 120 159

COFFEE BREAK LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Meets each Tuesday 10am, at the church, during the school terms.

Helen van Garderen.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT/ SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

For more information please call Mark Meenks on 0411953821.

VENTURE BIBLE STUDY

(Young Adults) is on a Monday on a fortnightly basis starting at 7:30 and meeting in the resource room at church. If you want to be part of this group let David Barrot know on 0401 073 954, it would be great to see you there.”

PAKENHAM CHURCH PLANT NEWS.

We have three families from our church community that are part of the Pakenham church plant team. We are part of a four church effort to establish a new community of believers in the Pakenham region. This team has been meeting with others from the four churches fortnightly at the Pakenham Baptist church hall at 2pm for Bible study and prayer. As part of the ongoing development of the group it was decided to meet for worship at 10am in people's homes once a month as part of the two week cycle of meeting. 14 people met for worship in a bush setting in the back

patio of the home of Chris and Michelle Span on Sunday 10th April. We praised God in song, came to Him in prayer and spend time in the open word of God. A celebratory BBQ lunch was also shared. God calls us to go out and make disciples and we pray for Gods kingdom to come when we pray the Lord 's Prayer. The Kingdoms “coming” is a continuing action as God works through his people. May Gods kingdom come to the Pakenham region as well. Please continue to pray for Gods leading as the team meets again on Sunday afternoon 20th May for worship at the home of Dave and Siska Barrot. We need at least 40 people to launch a new church so pray that God will move in the hearts of people in Pakenham and surrounding areas and so join with those who are being saved. Our calendar for the next month is:

- 20th May, 3pm for worship at the Barrots followed by basket tea
- 3 June, meeting at the Baptist church for bible study & prayer
- 17 June, 10am for worship at the Spans followed by BBQ lunch

Your reporter

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Opinion is ultimately determined by the feelings, and not by the intellect.

- *Herbert Spencer* -

The path of social advancement is strewn with broken friendships.

-*H.G. Wells* -

In orders to recognise new ideas, you must first have ideas at all.

- *Jean de Boisson* -

Free advice isn't as readily accepted as that for which we have paid.

Bureaucracy isn't choosy; it performs under any government.

A compromise is a deal in which two people get what neither of them wanted.

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE SERVICE
OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF
GLENN DEKKER

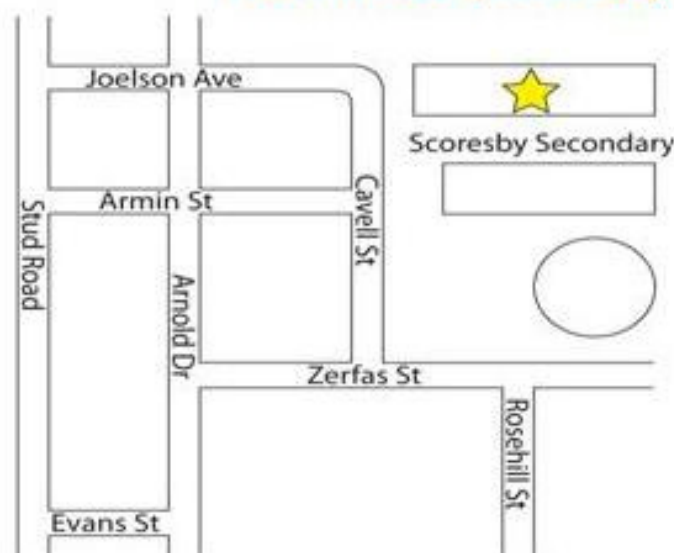
AS MINISTER OF THE WORD & SACRAMENTS

Wantirna Christian Community Church
would like to extend an invitation to you and your
community to witness the Installation & Ordination
of **Glenn Dekker** as Minister of the Word and
Sacraments. The Leadership would also like to
give you an opportunity to bring Greetings and
Words of Encouragement at this time however, we
would ask that you give us prior notice of your
intentions. Please call on **9759 9155** or email
admin@wccc.net.au

Afternoon tea will be served.

27th May, 2012 @ 2.30pm

Date: 27th May, 2012 @ 2.30pm
Venue: Student Centre, Scoresby Secondary College
Cavell Street, Scoresby



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