



7 October 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 Rev. Dr. Bill Berends  
Message: TBA  
Reading: Matthew 28:19b-20

6:00 PM Rev Harry Berends  
Message: Keep Watch  
Readings: 1 Thes 4:13 - 5:11  
Mark 13:32-37

### WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

9:30 AM Rev. Henk de Waard  
6:00 PM Br Phillip Scheepers

### OFFERINGS

#### THIS WEEK

1 – Local Church  
2 – RCYA- Youth Connections

#### NEXT WEEK

1 – Local Church  
2 – Dandenong High School Chaplancy

#### LAST WEEK

Freewill/Pledges	\$2610.60
URY	\$498.40



### ROSTERS

#### COFFEE SERVING :

Today: J & M. Austrums, Y & A. Laverman,  
C & A. Span

Next Week: J & K. Esselbrugge,  
H & J. van der Jagt,  
N & M. Steunenberg

21<sup>st</sup> October G & M. Smedes, J. Schapendonk,  
C & H. van Garderen, J & L. Otto

28<sup>th</sup> October J. Gully, J & S. Iepema,  
M & N. Meenks, E. Oinionen

#### PA & VIDEO :

Today: David & Phillip Ellings

Next Week: Matthew Noorbergen, Ian Meenks

#### GREETERS

Today: Cory Blik

Next week: Rita Piening

### Our worship today

This morning **Rev. Dr Bill Berends**, will lead us in proclaiming God's Word, while this evening **Rev. Harry Berends** will lead us in worship at 6.pm. We are thankful to the **Berends brothers**, for their willingness to come and minister among us. May God's Word today, and our fellowship together, sustain us, and encourage us in our life of faith for the week ahead.

## Op Shop

Our Church Op Shop opens on Thursdays from 11:00am – 4:30pm and Fridays from 9:30am – 4:30pm. We raise money for various local mission projects. Donations can be dropped off on those days only. Why don't you drop in sometime. The Committee

## Pastoral and Prayer Points

**Audrey Kloppenburg** has been moved to Casey hospital. Pray that she will receive the treatment required to give her relief from her pain.

Dandenong Christian Reformed Church is seeking to appoint a part time

### Children's and Youth Ministry Worker

The worker will be responsible for leading our various children's, youth and outreach ministries, together with a team of dedicated volunteers. He/she will also be responsible for the support and training of emerging leaders.

This is a part time (0.4 equivalent to 2 days per week) position, commencing as soon as possible.

For further information, a job description, or to apply, contact: Mrs Helen Van Garderen  
5 Plymouth Crt, Dandenong; Tel. 9795 5999 email [coreyhelen@optusnet.com.au](mailto:coreyhelen@optusnet.com.au)

## Dinner-Auction Night

### Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> of October

Plan to come to this fund raising event for the ministry of the Shawlands Work Group as they undertake to provide

a large covered shelter to benefit the residents and to protect the church van from the elements. Invite your friends along to support this fun evening.

A flyer with more information is in your pigeon hole.

**Please place your envelope with attendance reply and money, in the box provided in the foyer on Sunday morning, or give to the office staff on Thursdays.**

If you need extra envelopes or flyers see Julie.

## Please Note:

**Ada Coe** has a new address.

It is 2300 Ballarto Rd, Cardinia, 3978

### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Dylan Hamilton	October 10
Geordie Zaphiris	October 11
Phillip Ellings	October 12
Nyomie Meenks	October 13

To feel joy deeply, to live love daily, to forever know God's presence in your life... these are our wishes for you.

## Request

In the past we have held a car boot sale in October.

Is anyone willing to organize one this year.

Would need to decide the date, cost and where the money raised would be used and gather a team to assist on the day.

**Christian Reformed Church of Dandenong**  
255 Outlook Drive, North Dandenong, Vic 3175  
Church Office Phone: 03 9795 0576

**Church office**

**Tel 9795 0576**

Email [admin@dcrc.org.au](mailto:admin@dcrc.org.au)

**Pastoral Care Worker**  
**Henni Burggraaf**  
**Church Office: 9795 2170**  
[Henni@dcrc.org.au](mailto:Henni@dcrc.org.au)

**CRCA Web site** [www.crca.org.au](http://www.crca.org.au)  
**Our Church Web site**  
[www.dcrc.org.au](http://www.dcrc.org.au)  
**Please visit our web site**  
**Your comments are welcome**

Please pray about this outreach opportunity to connect with the community once again.

Please let the Church office staff know if you are willing to organize or help. Julie, Jean, or Henni . Thank you.

### **URY Term 4**

Did you miss us??? We missed you!

URY will start again on Tuesday the **16<sup>th</sup> of October at 7PM** – we look forward to seeing you all there!

**Any questions?  
Please contact Lynette Pretorius**

**on 0423 889 912**



#### **Crossroad bible institute Newsletter:**

For those interested you will find copies of these on the table in the foyer.

If you want to hear **Jonno Burgraaf** present the weather on Monday at 8:00pm on the 8<sup>th</sup> October tune in on 97.1FM

### **Ride To Conquer Cancer Updates**

The ride is not too far away so now is the best time to make final donations. Also if you still have small change tins please start bringing them in. I am still collecting soft drink cans so keep bringing them in too. So far I have collected over 250 kg of cans, great job! Thank you for all your support.

**Matt**

### **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. This week we meet at Regina's unit 53 Outlook Gardens. 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 IN THE WORD SMALL GROUP**

Anyone who is not currently in a group is welcome to come along and join or just check us out. We have started to study Galatians. All welcome. Any questions can be directed to Harry and Jannette Vanderjagt on 9703 1613 or 0438 872000.

#### **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."

### **Leprosy saving boxes**

**The amount raised for the Leprosy Mission is \$764.00. Too all the contributors.**

**Thank you, Corry**

## Dear Members of the Christian Reformed Churches

You will have heard over the past fifteen years of the wonderful blessing of God on the Solomon Islands Mission.

When the Rev. Kevin and Mrs Machi Rietveld were sent out to establish a support base for helping Christians and churches in the islands, in “WORD and DEED” ministry, many opportunities were provided to do just that. From the sponsorship of school fees to the establishment of a Hospital School, from parcels of aid to a disabled person to the establishment of a Training Centre for the Disabled, from preaching locally to training programs in seminaries and colleges, from fellowship meetings to large scale conferences, from Bible lessons in the gaol to large scale Crossroads Bible Institute courses giving hope to prisoners who can trust in Jesus to set them truly free, and now with our full-time chaplain ( a Solomon minister) working in three prisons. The list could go on!

Earlier this year, the Mission Workgroup appointed another Solomon Islander, the Rev. **ERIC MAEFONEA** as the “Word Ministry Worker” to replace Kevin Rietveld in his retirement. We are thankful to God that yet another local man could be appointed, as it is our desire to progressively hand more and more responsibility to local Christians and churches.

Eric is well suited for this calling: he was a respected and loved pastor in the South Seas Evangelical Church, with which we work closely. Eric was set aside for further study, and leadership training, and with his family he spent six years in Australia, graduating with a Masters’ Degree from the Melbourne School of Theology. His wife Jemimah previously worked in women’s training, and now they have begun a fruitful ministry back in Solomon Islands, as missionaries to their own people! Their two daughters live with them on the SWIM base, while their two boys remain in Australia, finishing senior secondary studies in Nambour, Queensland.

Your church has been given some prayer cards, by which we ask you to remember Eric and Jemimah, their work and witness, in your prayers. Please place this card in an obvious spot in your home, and in your church, so that you can regularly pray for them, and their family.

Perhaps you would also like to support them financially- like all our missionaries they need sponsorship to meet their family costs. (Many of you have faithfully cared for Kevin and Machi in this way over the years, and it would be lovely if you would support the Maefoneas who are working in the same way on your behalf, in the name of Jesus.)

To either start sponsoring Eric, or to transfer your Rietveld support to this new, dedicated family, just write to

**Mrs. Sue Van Der Wal, SIW,** or email sue on [barryvanderwal@bigpond.com](mailto:barryvanderwal@bigpond.com)  
**270 Carella St.**  
**Tranmere, Tas, 7018**

God bless you for your care!

Peter van der Schoor  
Chairman, Solomon Islands Mission Workgroup

## College boxes.

October has arrived so it is time to collect the college boxes.

Please bring them to the church and hand them in to Janny Appel.

I thank you in advance.

## Notice is given that the

**AGM for the Reformed Church of Dandenong Inc will be held on Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> October 2012 at 7.30 pm in the Church**

## Thank you

A heartfelt thank you to Harry and Jannette van der Jagt for putting me up again.



I'm really sorry that a couple of days stay, eventuated into a couple weeks.



Ada Coe.



# Ladies Day

Saturday 20th October 2012

10am – 3pm

**Mt Evelyn Christian  
Reformed Church**

Speaker: **Glenda Mattingley**

Morning and afternoon tea will be provided, and a choice of soups for lunch – all free of charge.

Bring your own sandwich if you need extra.

You are also asked to bring something small used/unused from home that you no longer need, to donate for the trading table – these will be available for purchase during lunch, and proceeds will go to the SWIM Mission in the Solomon Islands.

## About the Speaker – **Glenda Mattingley**

*Glenda will be known to many of you as a former Infant teacher and Head of Primary at Maranatha Christian School. She was born in Lilydale and grew up in Silvan attending a rural school. She was 6 years old when her family moved to Dandenong complete with un-paved roads and a dairy farm next door. As a graduate of Frankston Teacher's College she taught at Tyers and Cranbourne Primary Schools. In 1973 after a six months of travelling through Europe she commenced 20 amazing years of service at Maranatha. On the completion of 4 years of study at Tabor Bible College teaching English in China, doing Aid work in the Philippines and taking CRE classes at Doveton Primary, she is now ministering as an Honorary Chaplain at Monash University, Berwick Campus. Glenda is a single lady and has for many years provided Home-stay accommodation (and loving Christian nurture) for young people from a variety of countries. She is recognized as the spiritual mum of numerous International students and delights in attending their weddings and baby christenings in their home countries.*



# The CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF CASEY

to invite you and your community to witness  
the

## Ordination and Installation of **Michael de Kretser**

as Minister of the Word and Sacraments.

We would also like to give you an opportunity to bring  
greetings and words of encouragement.

If you would choose to do so, please give us prior notice  
of your intentions. Please call the office at 8790 5288 or  
email at [office@caseycrc.com.au](mailto:office@caseycrc.com.au)

Afternoon tea will be served.

**Date:** Sunday, 14 October 2012 @ 2.30pm

**Venue:** The Christian Reformed Church of Casey  
350-352 Pound Road, Narre Warren South

