



This Sunday

No Other Way: Freedom in Christ Speaker: Pastor Sam 14 March



STAMPS REPORT

Thanks to everyone collecting stamps for BMA over the past twelve months. BMA has raised a very pleasing amount of \$9,091.17.

The stamp sales for the twelve months were a record in both volume and value for the last many years. Overall, the prices obtained for stamps have declined but our volume of sales has increased, largely by reducing stock.

Please continue to collect as many stamps as possible. You might try sources such as doctors' surgeries and other professional offices.

Thanks again for your interest and participation in this NSW and ACT stamps ministry that supports cross cultural work.

Trevor Bridges, Baptist Mission Australia

Please continue to bring your stamps to CBC and either give to Faye & George Wilkinson or leave on the Pathways desk.

Can you help?
Good Friday Picnic following the church service.

If you are able to help out in any capacity please contact Annie Hewetson

NEW LIFE GROUP

A new women's life group for seniors has started on Tuesday morning in Sutherland. If you are interested in joining please contact Ron Cameron (0431418558) or Cathy Reynolds (0401908303).

Alternatively please click <u>here</u> and fill in your details.



"Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us."







Ladies its time for a cuppa!

Please join us on Thursday 20th March at HAZEL Cafe at Hazelhurst on The Kingsway at Gymea 10-11.30am

RSVP's ARE ESSENTIAL PLEASE USE THE SIGN UP SHEET IN THE FOYER BY SUNDAY 16TH

Looking forward to catching up Beverley & Penny 0414 954 487 / 0413 599 678



Sunday Prayer Meetings

Prayer is on every Sunday morning before the service in the Staff Room at the end of the corridor. We will be praying for children's ministry from

8.30am – 9.15am and Sunday evening from 4pm Everyone is welcome

Please contact Rosa Pasquale (0410 583300) for more information

**There is also weekly Wednesday morning prayer time from 9am-9.45am in the Mother's Room at the Church.

If you have anything to be included in the weekly newsletter please email it to office@ecbc.org.au by Wednesday afternoon.

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PRAISE:

- 1. That God showed up and moved in so many people's lives last Sunday!
- 2. For the successful operation on Heather Briguglio's neck/back and that she is now walking pain-free and is home from hospital.
- 3. That the infection has gone from Mavis Randle's knee after her surgery. Continue to pray for the swelling to go down and the pain to be removed.
- 4. For the three new families from Adventure that came to Church on Sunday morning.
- 5. For another scripture teacher from CBC in Rosa Pasquale. Pray for both Rosa & Kate Ford and all the SRE teachers around the State as they teach each week.

PRAY:

- 1. For George Capsis and his extended family after his brother's grandson was killed in a car accident on the weekend he was only 23.
- 2. For Rick Fowle and his three adult children (used to come to CBC & living in Denmark) after his wife Britta lost her battle with mental illness. Pray for Brod & Sheridan as they support them remotely.
- 3. For Faye Wilkinson after having the new batteries put in her pacemaker as it has taken its toll on her. Pray she will be back at church on Sunday. Pray also for Ray Earl that he will have the energy to also attend church on Sunday.
- 4. For Margaret Ryper as her auto-immune disease has flared up again.
- 5. For Carolyn Altman, Ed & Emma Ramirez and Sam Walker as they lead people through Christianity Explored/Hope Explored with individuals.
- 6. Continue to pray for Jasmin Don & Joshua Punnett leading Youth on Friday nights. The new difficult kids were better behaved last Friday night, but they have asked for continued prayer for wisdom in dealing with them & that they will settle down.
- 7. Jana & Christian have asked for prayer for their new Sunday afternoon discipleship program called Engage for the High Schoolers. Please pray that the youth keep showing up, showing interest, and that they would be able to speak clearly to them that they might come to know God better or take a step to repent and believe in God for the first time.
- 8. For our Church Family Picnic being held on Good Friday. Pray that people from the Church will fill the positions needed for volunteers eg BBQ, drinks, cakes etc. Pray that God will bring many non-Church people to it and they will find community.
- 9. For the 7 kids considering baptism. Pray for Annie as she meets with them individually with their parents over the next two weeks.
- 10. For the Junior Leaders at Adventure that are learning to run games and help, so pray for an encouraging time for them. Pray for Adventure on Friday afternoons, for good conversations that lead to Jesus, and for the talk to trigger kids to want to know more about God.
- 11. For a second leader for Adventure on Friday afternoons that is still needed. Pray that God will provide the right person to do this role soon.
- 12. Pray for the kids on Sundays to hear the truth about God and discover Jesus.

Summer at CBC

Messages Jan - March 2025

29th Dec	Leverage - Life without regret
Jan	
5th Jan	With Christ in the School of Prayer – John 17:1-5
12th Jan	With Christ in the School of Prayer – John 17:6-19
19th Jan	With Christ in the School of Prayer - John 17:20-23
26th Jan	With Christ in the School of Prayer – John 17:24-26
Feb	
2nd Feb	Vision Sunday - Matthew 9
9th Feb	Plenty Series - Hope
16th Feb	Plenty Series - Meaning
23rd Feb	Plenty Series - Purpose
March	
2nd Mar	Galatians 1:1-10 No Other Gospel
9th Mar	Galatians 2:11-3:14Justified by faith
16th Mar	Galatians 5:1-12 - Freedom in Christ
23rd Mar	Galatians 5: Life in the spirit
30th Mar	Galatians 6: 1-18 Living the good life

Dates for your Diary

16 Mar: Southern Sydney Creation Group

19 Mar: Men's Cuppa

20 Mar: Ladies Cuppa & Chat

17 April: Tenebrae Service

18 April: Good Friday (morning service followed by picnic)

20 April: Easter Sunday

16-18 May: Men's Retreat