



WESTVIEW
BAPTIST CHURCH
Making Passionate Disciples of Jesus

2 April 2017

*I wonder which group
you identify with better?*

Dodgy Tax collectors and Prostitutes or the **Religious Elite?**

The Tax collectors and Prostitutes knew they needed repentance; they were sure they didn't deserve God's free gift of grace and forgiveness in Christ.

The Religious Elite didn't see that inside their hearts, their attitudes were just as bad. They thought, 'How could I need the same thing as the prostitute and sinner does? Surely I'm not that bad!'

How do you see yourself? Which group do you relate to better?

And will you agree with God about your sin and live out of His grace, or refuse to go the same way as the 'sinner' and cheat.

This Sunday we will focus on Matthew 21:23-46 where Jesus will highlight the Pharisees' response to God's offer of mercy.



REGULAR MEETINGS

SUNDAY CHURCH.....weekly at 9:30am
SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER.....8:15am on 1st Sunday of the month
WEDNESDAY FRIENDSHIP GROUP.....weekly at 9:45am
WIGGLING WOMBAT PLAYGROUP.....Thursday from 10am
THURSDAY CHURCH.....weekly at 6:30pm
COMMUNITY PRAYER NIGHT.....7pm on 4th Sunday of the month

A THANKYOU FROM THE CALMANS - Foster Care



Dear Family & Friends,

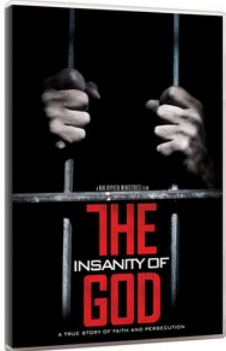
We want to express our thanks to all of you who've played a part in our family's journey of providing Respite & Emergency Foster Care now for over the past 15 years. We feel with regret that it is time to finish this chapter. We've been honoured to share in the lives of innumerable children & we've been glad to be involved in this area for so long and will miss serving in this way.

This has been a great journey for our family, one which our girls have grown up with most of their lives through which they have learnt so much in so many ways and one which lots of you have enriched to the great benefit of vulnerable children in need.

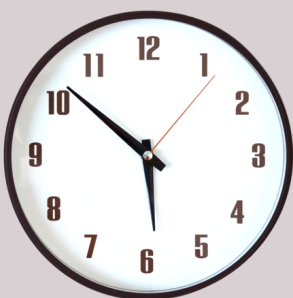
We wish to acknowledge and thank Anglicare for their wonderful ongoing support of their Carers and again thank you to all of you.

-Tony & Wendy, Bethany & Hayley Calman

DVD: Insanity of God



If anyone has not yet watched the 'Insanity of God' DVD we have purchased a copy for the church and would like to encourage everyone to borrow it and watch it. It is a very helpful and impacting movie and would be a great encouragement towards our desire to be and make passionate disciples of Jesus for God's glory. Please see JJ to borrow the DVD.



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS FINISHES THIS WEEK

*Don't forget to turn your clocks
back one hour this Saturday night!*

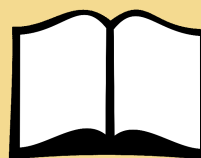
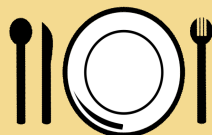
THURSDAY CHURCH & How to Catch Up With Tony Calman

With Tony's role over the next 6 months at St Mary's Baptist his main link back into Westview will be through him coming along weekly to the Thursday Church meetings as he will not be able to make Sunday morning services. This is where we will have the opportunity to see him and catch up on what is happening as well as to pray for him and with him.

...But what is Thursday Church?

We meet for a time of food, fellowship, prayer, singing and meditating on the Scriptures. We meet from 6:30pm for dinner where we ask people to bring a dish to share. It is a wonderful opportunity to get to know each other better and to encourage one another in our aim to be passionate disciples of Jesus who make passionate disciples of Jesus for God's glory. All are most welcome. Speak to JJ or Lee for further details.

THURSDAY CHURCH



Men's Group

This coming Tuesday night there is a Men's Group on at Doonside Cottage. It is a community event that encourages men to come together over some free dinner and get to know one another.

Starts at **6pm**. Speak to David Rollason or JJ for more details.



THIS SUNDAY:

Morning Prayer from 8:15am

All are welcome to join us in the Sunday School room this coming Sunday morning as we gather to thank and praise God and ask Him to work in us, in our community and in our world. Please see Lee if you have any questions.



TRANSFORMED FLIERS: Help Needed!

For our upcoming 'Transformed' preaching series we have 500 fliers that we want to put around in our neighbours' mailboxes surrounding the church property. If you would like to help to distribute these please speak to JJ. **We hope to do this**

in the next 2-3 weeks in time for the series which starts on Sunday 30th April.

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