







5 Solas Teaching Series FAITH ALONE

This Tuesday marked 500 years since the Protestant Reformation.

At the heart of the reformation were five declarations, often referred to as the 5 'solas' – sola being the Latin word for 'alone' or 'only'. Sola scriptura (the Scriptures alone), solus Christus, (Christ alone), sola gratia, (grace alone), sola fide (faith alone), and soli Deo gloria (to the glory of God alone).

These five statements summarize much of what the Reformation was about. They are the distinctive truths of the Scriptures; truths that were not being taught and were being twisted by the church at large, and truths which by God's grace at this time were rebirthed and awakened.

Over the next five weeks and starting this Sunday, we will be looking at these truths one by one, starting this week with **Sola Fide**, **Faith Alone**.

Please join with us this Sunday as we look at 'Faith Alone' together.

REGULAR MEETINGS

SUNDAY CHURCH	weekly at 9:30am
SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER8:15am 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 NIGHT7pm on 4	I th Sunday of the month



WOMEN OF WESTVIEW (WOW) Gingerbread Christmas Tree Making Event

Saturday 2nd December ~ Save the Date!

There will be a gingerbread tree making event held at the church property on **Saturday 2nd of December from 9:30am.**

This event **costs \$25** which includes everything you need to make your tree as well as a donation to our mission project for 2017 (the Beeks).

Please rsvp to Esme by Sunday 19th November.



Morning Prayer Time THIS Sunday 5 November @ 8:15am

This Sunday morning there will be a time of prayer at the church property from 8:15am for anyone who would like to come. During this time we praise and thank God for who He is. We commit ourselves and others to Him. We would love to have you along if you can make it.



WRAP Meeting Minutes and Church Affirmation

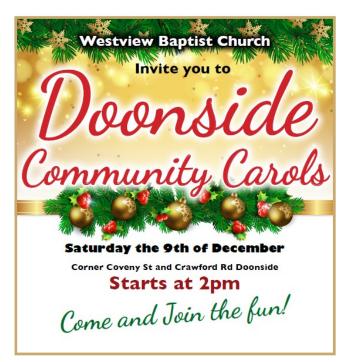
Last Sunday we affirmed as a church to reorient ourselves towards church planting. We agreed to commit this to God in leading us in this. Minutes are available online or from the back table.

Over the next few weeks we will have the opportunity to sign the church planting affirmation.

DOONSIDE CHRISTMAS CAROLS Saturday 9th December 2pm ~ Save the date!

The Wiggling Wombats Group will be joining with us on Saturday 9th December from 2pm for some Christmas items performed by them and some of our own Westview children and musicians.

We are really hoping it will create a bridge between this group and our church. It would be wonderful if you could attend and seek



to build relationships with those who come from the community.

More details to follow on afternoon tea, etc. But for now please save the date—it would be wonderful if you could come along.



CHURCH PROPERTY WORKING BEE Saturday 18th November from 9am

We will be having a working bee at the church property for anyone who is able to come and give us a hand with cleaning and

maintenance with the property. We will have a list of things that need to be done on the day and would appreciate anyone who is able to come—even for a short time to lend a hand.

Thank you!

Please speak to Tony Kenning for any further details, etc.



But whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. What is more, I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them rubbish, that I may gain Christ and be found in not having a righteousness of my that comes from the but that which is through faith in Christthe righteousness that comes from God and is by faith.

Philippians 3:7-9

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