

CHURCH THIS WEEK

Sun 9:30am:

Pentecost 8

Bible Readings:

Psalms 90

2 Peter 3:1-11

Revelation 1:8-18

John 17:1-19

(**Children's Church** is on today for children in K-Yr 3)

(**Kid's Time** is on today for kids from Years 4-9).

Jesus Talk 5pm House fellowship – contact John or Donna - 0401 615 819

NEXT WEEK

Sun 9:30am:

Pentecost 9

Bible Readings:

Psalms 145:1-13

1 Chronicles 29:10-13

Philippians 2:5-11

Matthew 8:23-27

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Sentence of the Day:

Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. (**Psalms 90:2**)

The Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God, protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: multiply your mercy upon us, that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we do not lose things eternal: Grant this, O heavenly Father, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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SUNDAY MEETINGS

Sundays at 9:30am – Prayer, Praise, Proclamation & Holy Communion

Sundays at 5pm - Jesus Talk

"the testimony of Jesus is the Spirit of prophecy" (Rev 19:10)

Jesus Talk seeks to be a "prophetic hub" where Christ- concentrated expressions of prayer, praise, and proclamation, can take place in the fullness of the Holy Spirit.

Church Council

Church Wardens:

Shirley Landon

Roger Wright

Councillors

Alan Hunt

Mary Lindsey

Barbara Mallett

Jennifer Murray

Marilyn Wright

Welcome to

ST MARK'S BASSENDEAN

*Discovering and demonstrating Jesus' love
in Bassendean and beyond.*

3 August 2025

Jesus Lord of Time

At the conclusion of the finale of the Bible, Jesus says: "Look, I am coming soon! My reward is with me, and I will give to each person according to what they have done. ¹³I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End." (Rev 22:12-13)

We often forget, in our unbelief and rush, that Jesus, for whom and through whom all things were made, including time, is the sovereign Lord of time (Col 1:16). Whilst philosophers, from the ancient Greeks through the medieval Moslems and Catholic Schoolmen, have often reflected on *The Timelessness of God*" (the title of my Ph. D publication), few have written on Jesus as Lord of time. This is however a topic of the most intense pastoral importance.

It was Christ who taught us with great poise, "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. ²⁹Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls." (Matt 11:28-29).

Time is a fallen creature now perfectly redeemed through the death and resurrection of Christ. The glorification of Jesus' humanity by death, resurrection and ascension into the realm of God has brought time into its God-ordained perfect rest. The first order of creation, "God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day....God had finished the work he had been doing; so on the seventh day he rested from all his work. ³Then God blessed the seventh day and made it holy" (Gen 1:31ff), finds its fulfilment, "in the fullness of time" (Gal 4:4) into which Jesus came to put to death all our broken temporality. The triumphant cry, "It is finished" (John 19:30) i.e. perfected, points to a resurrection where the man Jesus returns to the glory he had in eternity with his Father (John 17:1-5). In death the Holy Spirit preserved his body from all decay and freed it from the ongoing power of mortality (Ps 16:10: Acts 2:27), in resurrection-ascension the old age of fallenness was lifted up into the eternal order of divine life.

In Jesus, resurrected and glorified, a new aeon exists where the old time of mourning and sorrow has forever passed away (Rev 21:4). This new creation order (2 Cor 5:17) is an integral part of the Gospel message. A message, given that its centre and circumference is the Person of JESUS, that can be proclaimed by old and young alike all authority from the one who raised Jesus so emphatically from the dead, the blessed Holy Spirit (Acts 1:8; Rom 8:11).

John

WELCOME

Welcome to St Mark's. We are an active Anglican church of all ages and walks of life, seeking to grow in the likeness of Christ and welcome new members and visitors.

Please relax and enjoy the worship and fellowship. Are you **new to this church**? Please make yourself known to one of the ministers or service leaders. You may also like to complete and return the **Welcome Form**.

The **Order of Service** may be followed on the screen.

The **Holy Communion** is open to all believers. Visitors are welcome to receive Communion if they normally take it in their own church. Gluten free bread is available. Please ask the minister when you come to communion.

Coffee and Chat is on in the **Church Hall** from **10am – 12pm** on the following dates:
8 August. All welcome.

Donations for Capital Works

If you wish to make a donation for the work to be undertaken in the Church Hall, please make payment to the following Account:

Anglican Community Fund
BSB: 706-001
Account Number: 30001235
Account Name: Anglican Parish of Bassendean

Please identify the payment as "Hall Donation".

If you wish to make the donation in cash, please place it in an envelope marked Hall Donation.

More information from Jenny

LOST & FOUND: A SERIES OF CONVERSATIONS FOR OUR TIME: 7/8; 8/8; 9/8; 11/8

International speaker and author **Glen Scrivener** will be in Perth in **August** to help us see how the Christian story gives fresh meaning to values like equality, compassion, and love.

There are two public talks (north and south), a city-wide youth night, and a powerful Perth-wide gathering at the Convention Centre. Your friends need Jesus... and this gives them a chance to hear the gospel.

www.lostandfoundperth.com

Save the Dates - Women Together 2025:

20 September – Kate Grobicki 'A Conversation with Kate'

8 November – Cara Heng 'Going through hard times with God'

MISSION PROJECT UPDATE Information for your Prayers



CMS (The Church Missionary Society)

"CMS (the Church Missionary Society) is a fellowship of Christian people committed to cross-cultural mission. Praise God for Michael and Ashlynnne, who are new Missionaries in Training. Pray that their time of intensive preparation would be fruitful in equipping them with character, convictions, and competency that will have them serving in a cross-cultural context in a way that brings glory to the Lord Jesus.

Pray that the many changes and challenges they face over the coming months and years teach them to depend on Jesus, and that their struggles would point other people to the one who suffered for them.

People being sent out onto the mission field is a wonderful opportunity for each of us to consider how we might partner in the work of sending out workers, and how we might encourage not just the organisations but the people we partner with in mission work. Consider a missionary you know, or a CMS missionary you would like to partner with (such as Derek and Susan, who visited us recently), and commit to praying for them, supporting them, and sharing with them.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please speak to Anna or Lindsay Rhodes."

Junior Youth Group

For young people in **years 4-8**. Dinner provided (Donation welcome to cover cost).

Saturdays 5-7pm, at the Church Hall - all welcome.

Term 3 Dates: 2/8; 8/8; 16/8; 30/8; 13/9

Contact Andrew or Ros.

Senior Youth Group

For young people in **years 9-12**. Dinner provided (Donation welcome to cover cost).

Saturdays 5-7:30pm.

Term 3 Dates: 2/8; 8/8; 16/8; 23/8; 30/8; 6/9; 13/9; 20/9

Contact Lindsay or Charmaine.

Financial Information for June 2025

Total income: \$16,469.07 made up as follows:

Envelopes - \$2,285.00
Direct Giving - \$8,701.00
Open Plate - \$825.00
Other - \$3,728.07
Hall donations - \$930.00

Total Expenses: \$15,026.98

Bank Account Details:

Anglican Community Fund
BSB: 706 001 **A/c No:** 300070717
Name: Anglican Parish of Bassendean.
*Please identify payment, i.e., offering. No need to use your name if you prefer not to. **More info from Jenny***
We encourage people to use direct deposit or direct debit (forms available at the back of the church).

Bible Study Groups

Women's Bible Study:

Mondays 10am-12pm in Bassendean – Contact Donna – 0401 615 819

Men's Bible Studies:

Mondays 5pm in the Church - Contact John - 0405 640 740

Tuesdays 6:30pm in the Church Hall - Contact Roger – 0408 096 022

Men's & Women's Bible Studies:

Wednesdays 9-10am in the Church – Contact Mark – 0406 659 249

Thursdays 7:30pm in Bassendean - Contact Charmaine – 0421 868 321