

Connect with us Sundays @ 9:30am

21st / 28th December 2025

WELCOME



COMING UP AT CONNECT

**TRIBE YOUTH
IS NOW ON HOLIDAYS
BACK IN TERM 1**
Years 6-12 welcome.
Contact Connor Stokes
on 0418591215

Christmas Day Service

Time: 9am

We will gather earlier on Christmas Day for a short but meaningful message.
With morning tea served afterwards.

Sunday 28th December

9.30am

We will close off 2025 in a special Prayer service

Attention Village Kids!

Sunday 28th is

HOLIDAY CLUB time – a combined fun morning.
Invite your friends along!

Bible Reading Plan

DECEMBER-

*Mon 22nd – Col 3:16
Tue 23rd – 1 Jhn 5:20
Wed 24th – 2 Pet 1:3-4
Thu 25th – Mth 4:4
Fri 26th – Ps 19:7
Sat 27th – Joshua 1:8
Sun 28th – 2 Cor 4:16
Mon 29th – Prov 3:5-6
Tue 30th – Ps 119:105
Wed 31st – 1 Cor 14:20*

**Young Adult Retreat
*SELAH- before we run, we rest.***
16-18th January 2026
Where: Grevillea
@TheTops
Who: Young parents with children, Singles, Married couples
Peter Sargent is your contact!

**SAVE THE DATE
SUNDAY 11th January
FAMILY PICNIC SERVICE**
More info to come!

THE WELL
Sunday 28th December
Youth & Young Adults
Monthly Night Church
5.30 – 7.00PM
6PM start

No meeting in January

For more information and updates, be sure to check out our website and follow us on Social Media:

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Connect Breakfast Services

On the first Sunday of each month we join together to share breakfast during our Sunday morning service. If you are yet to attend a breakfast service, we cannot recommend them more highly. The food is yummy, the company is AMAZING and we worship and hear from our God in new and fun ways. It's the best way to enjoy the presence of our church family and our Heavenly Father. **Hope to see you on Sunday 1st February 2026.**

Village Kids and Epic in 2025

Village Kids is our kids' program for kids aged 3 years to Year 6 in Primary School. Epic is for kids in years 7 to 12 at High School. In the interest of keeping our kids involved in our church life and our services, Village Kids and EPIC run on Sunday mornings during school terms except during Breakfast Services. Please encourage our kids (and their parents) to enjoy all aspects of our church services. Dates for each term will be located under "Resources" on the website. For more information, please contact us on office@connectchurch.org.au

WELCOME TO CONNECT!

It's great that you're able to connect with us today! We hope you feel welcome and that your experience is both inspiring and challenging. If you haven't already, we'd love you to join us for our Church Online services, which go live every Sunday morning at 9.40am! If you have any questions or would like to connect with us, feel free to check out our 'Contact Us' tab on our website. There, you'll find our social media links, and a form to fill out to send us a message. We look forward to hearing from you!

OUR SERVICES THIS WEEK & NEXT WEEK

SUNDAY MORNING

21st December - 9.30am

Guest Speaker

David Palmer

CHRISTMAS DAY

25th December - **9am**

Mike McGarrity

Divine Humanity

SUNDAY MORNING

29th December – 9.30am

Vanessa Stokes

Special Prayer Service

A MESSAGE FROM THE LEADERSHIP - Vanessa

Hi Connect Family!

Wow! It's Christmas! I love all things Christmas (well, almost) I love Christmas Carols any time of year.

I love decorating Christmas trees, putting out my nativity scene, making gingerbread houses and getting together with friends and family.

But not this year! This year I need to do Christmas differently. I still love the trimmings, but I need to revisit Immanuel- God with us. I need to take time to sit and ponder the miracle of Jesus: The Creator in human flesh. I need to regain some of the wonder that surrounded that first Christmas and the marvel of Jesus (the Way, the Truth and the Life) as a small helpless child, born in a backwater but bringing with him the HOPE to a weary world.

If you, too, are needing something different this Christmas, join me in revisiting the wonder of the Good News of Jesus Christ found in the Bible.

Merry Christmas Connect!

Vanessa

PRAYER + PRAISE

If you have any prayer or praise points you would like to share, email John Duggan on john@connectchurch.org.au

FINANCES

If you have any questions about the finances of Connect Church, please contact our treasurer Laurie - treasurer@connectchurch.org.au or 0412 386 235 - who can discuss the details with you

WAYS TO GIVE

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