

Rosters

27 December, 2015

3 January, 2016

Preacher:	Ian Bryon	Kevin Harkness
Elder:	Niuselu Uesi	Norm Johnson
Reader:	Glynis Nash	
Stewards/ Welcomers:	Norm Johnson Trevor Smith	Norm Johnson Dennis Kunder
Morning Tea:	Glynis/Roria	Hood/Dunnage
Cleaning:	Reynolds/Murphy	
Audio/Video:	John Cameron	John Cameron
Kids' Church Leader:	Julie	Julie

Regular Activities

Silver Threads	Weekly Tuesday	9.30am
Craft Group	1 st Tuesday of each month	9.30am

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Newsletter contributions to Church Office by Wednesday morning

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MISSION STATEMENT
"We are called to be evidence of God's love, active in our community"

9.30am Service



Ian Bryon



PRAYER CHAIN

If you are in need of prayer please ring Ian Bryon on 9624 6197. People on the prayer chain will pray for you.

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR 03.01.16

Jeremiah 31:7-14
 Psalm 147:12-20
 Ephesians 1:3-14
 John 1: (1-9), 10-18

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday to Valerie Lee for 2nd January. We hope you have a great day with family and friends and may God bless you throughout the year ahead.

OFFERINGS

20.12.15 \$813.45

JANUARY SERVICES

Our services in January will be led by the following people:

Jan 3 - Kevin Harkness

Jan 10 – Rev Shin Goo Lee

Jan 17 – David Mitchell

Jan 24 – Rev Shin Goo Lee

Jan 31 – Graham Smith

This newsletter is for Sundays 27th December, and 3rd January.

READINGS AND ROSTERS for 10 January, 2016

Lectionary:

Isaiah 43:1-7

Psalms 29

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Acts 8:14-17

Rosters for 10 January

Preacher: Rev Shin Goo Lee

Musician: Tracey

Elder:

Reader: Norm

Steward: Trevor

Morning Tea: Alan & Robyn

Cleaning:

Jones/Edwards/Johnson

ROSTERS

Thank you to those who have volunteered for the tasks on the new roster. There are still a few vacancies, if you are able to help, please fill in your name.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

We are planning to update the Church Directory early in February. If your details have changed, please advise Shin Goo or Sue in the office so we can make the relevant changes.

CHRISTMAS THOUGHTS

Anonymous

"It's sharing your gifts, not purchasing gifts; It's not wrapping presents, it's being present and wrapping your arms around the ones you love; It's not getting Christmas cards out on time, It's sending any card, anytime, at the right time; It's not having the biggest and best Christmas light display, It's displaying the Christ light that comes from your heart; It's not Santa coming down the chimney, It's Jesus coming down from heaven, and giving us the gift of eternal life."

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2015 CHRISTMAS BOWL

Collection envelopes for the 2015 Christmas Bowl Appeal are still available. Money raised in the Appeal goes to support the work of Act for Peace, which is the International Aid Agency of the National Council of Churches in Australia. This year the particular focus of the Appeal will be on helping families who have fled terrible fighting in Southern Sudan and who are now forced to live in refugee camps in Ethiopia without access to clean water and sanitation facilities.

If you would like to contribute to the Christmas Bowl Appeal please place the envelope containing your donation in the offering bag on any Sunday up to and including 7 February, 2016. Donations of \$2 or more are tax deductible and a receipt can be provided.

If you have any queries regarding the Christmas Bowl Appeal please just ask Trevor Smith.