

Dwelling in the Word

1 Corinthians 12

God 's various gifts are handed out everywhere, but they all originate in God's Spirit. God's various expressions of power are in action everywhere; but God himself is behind it all. Each person is given something to do that shows who God is: Everyone gets in on it, everyone benefits. All kinds of things are handed out by the Spirit, and to all kinds of people! The variety is wonderful...

You can easily enough see how this kind of thing works by looking no further than your own body. Your body has many parts - limbs, organs, cells - but no matter how many parts you can name, you're still one body. It's exactly the same with Christ. By means of His one Spirit, we all said good-bye to our partial and piecemeal lives. We each used to independently call our own shots, but then we entered into a large and integrated life in which He has the final say in everything. (This is what we proclaimed in word and action when we were baptized.) Each of us is now a part of his resurrection body, refreshed and sustained at one fountain - His Spirit - where we all come to drink. The old labels we once used to identify ourselves - labels like Jew or Greek, slave or free - are no longer useful. We need something larger, more comprehensive. I want you to think about how all this makes you more significant, not less. A body isn't just a single part blown up into something huge. It's all the different -but- similar parts arranged and functioning together...

The Pastor Is In.

I am available to chat about any issues. Please call me on **0423 375 714** for a suitable time to catch up. **Judi**



Prayer Meeting

Restarting Friday November 1st at 9am in the front room of the Annexe. All welcome. Please let Judi know if you require prayer for any area in your life.



Here's a quiz about the hymns, hymn writers and composers of the tunes we are singing today.

- 1. Which hymn originally appeared in a novel as a poem read to a dying child?
- 2. Which hymn comes from an Irish poem written 1300 years ago?
- 3. Which hymn comes from the Swedish, translated into Russian and heard by an English missionary in Romania who translated it and then added some extra verses?
- 4. Which hymn was one of over 8000 written by Charles Wesley?
- 5. Which hymn tune means "cheerful" in Welsh?
- 6. Which hymn was written in the nineteenth century but did not become popular until it was sung at Billy Graham Crusades in 1954?

Bring your answers next week.

Chelsea Church of Christ Services

CHURCH SERVICES 10 am Sunday

Sunday 10 November

Speaker Colin Duggan

Scripture 2 Thess 2:1-5 & 13-17

(*Prayer & farewell for Chris, Sara & Charlie family.)

Sunday 17 November

Speaker Judi Turnham **Scripture** 2 Thess 3:6-13

Sunday 24 November

Speaker Victor Siong Scripture Col 1:11-20



CHILDREN'S SERVICES 10 am Sunday

Sunday 10 November

God chooses us to be on His Team.

Sunday 17 November

Learn from the ants.





Sunday 24 November

Where did music come from?



REGULAR WHAT'S ON at Chelsea Church of Christ

Pastoral Care and Support:

available from the Minister Judi.

Call church or Mobile number shown below...

Tuesday: <u>Kankama</u> facilities of the Men's Shed 9-12

Wednesday: Community Breakfast 8-10 am,

Men's Shed 9am-12

Women's Group 2nd Wed of month

Thursday: Men's shed 9-12

AA Meeting in Chapel 11am

Community Lunch 11am—1.00pm

Friday: Prayer Meeting 9am front room—all welcome

Connecting Skills Australia @ the Men's Shed 9-12

Sunday: Worship & Kid's Sunday School 10 am each week

One on One Prayer time 11.30-12noon Front room with Judi

Discussions group 12 noon, Last Sunday each month

Church & Men's Shed 3-5 Blantyre Ave Chelsea

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Minister: Judi Turnham 0423 375 714

Shed Ministry: Keith Holt

Breakfast & Brunch Ministry:

Visiting Ministry: Val Arnold, Keith Holt, Syd & Lesley Jackson

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