

A SMALL CHURCH WITH A BIG HEART

CHELSEA NEWSLETTER

19th June 2016



THE WINNING STRATEGY OF LOVE

Jesus founded His Kingdom on love. The Bible says that love never fails. Mother Teresa once said:

“to have world peace we all need to go home and love our families.”

But we can't love and keep all our options open. To truly love we must give ourselves unreservedly in such a way that we can be hurt and even rejected.

The love talked about in Scripture is about compassion, caring and concern for the well-being of another. It is based on commitment, not convenience. It's an act of our will, not a reflex of emotions.

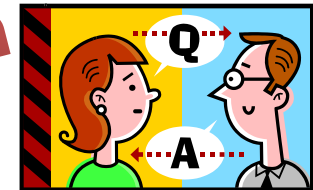
Jesus asks the question – if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you. (Luke 6:32)

Loving is the hardest thing we will ever do requiring all of God's grace. The greatest commandment is to love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul and mind. (Matt 22:36). Another is to have no other gods before me (Exodus 20:3) and when we give into ego we are in big danger.

Thanks and praise are great providing we don't let it “go to our heads”. Respect and honour should be how we treat everyone.



The Pastor Is In



You can catch me at the Church
Mondays, Wednesdays and also
Fridays from 9.00 to 1pm.
OR phone my mobile on 0423 375 714

Latest News

Pastoral Prayer Please pray for God's healing presence upon: Andrea, Jordan, Jean, Lesley I, Eva and Aniko. If you would like to join the prayer chain please speak to Judi.

Tale a Dip On Friday 24th June at 5.00pm join our member for parliament Sonya Kilkenny for the Winter Solstice Dip in the Sea. So if your feeling brave put ya skinnies on and come on down to the Carrum Life Saving Club.

Justice Meeting Small progress after meeting with Tim Richardson. Baby steps to bring everyone together in the Community and local services. A meeting will be held later in the year between all local services and members of parliament, this will be to voice any concerns and how we can improvement community services and hopefully change parliamentary policies.

Working Bee The tiles have been laid in the office and looking good after a coat of paint on the Pantry doors. We still have a lot to do to brighten up our little church. A fresh coat of paint means new beginnings.

Invitations for Testimony Anyone who would like to share their testimony please let Judi know. You are not alone and will be supported.

Chelsea Community Church of Christ Services

CHURCH SERVICES

10 am Sunday

19 June 2016

Speaker: Guest speaker - Marisa - Prison Network

Reading: As chosen by the speaker

Communion: Noel / Noel

26 June 2016

Speaker: Judy

Reading:

Communion: Bob / Janice



Due to the children becoming older Children's Church will no longer be held unless more families come into the Church.

Country Gospellaires

The 4th Sunday of every month dust off those vocal chords and come along and enjoy some good old-fashioned Gospels in a warm and friendly environment.

Some old time favorites like Amazing Grace or How Great Thou Art and many many more.

WHAT'S ON

MONDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ladies in the shed Music with Mummies 	9.30-12.30pm 9.30-10.30 chapel
TUESDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CS Mornington in the Mens Shed Music for Mommies 	Men's Shed 9-12 noon 9-12noon chapel
WEDNESDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Breakfast Men's Shed 	8-10am—hall 9-2pm—backyard
THURSDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Men's Shed AA in the Chapel 	9-2pm—backyard 11am—chapel
FRIDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bible Study for Women CS Aust Afternoon Games 	11-12am Annexe Men's Shed 9-12noon Chapel 12.30-3.30pm
SATURDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ladies in the shed 	10-1pm
SUNDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Worship Service Childrens Program 	10-11am—chapel Followed by cuppa—hall

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