

26th November 2023



Chelsea Community
Church of Christ and
Careworks Inc.

3-5 Blantyre Ave
Chelsea. 3196.

GOD—OUR ANCHOR OF HOPE

Mondays:

Pastoral care by
appointment with Pastor
Judi

Prayer meeting: to be
advised

Wednesdays:

Food Pantry 7am to
11.30am;

Big Breakfast 7am to
10am and

Orange Sky Laundry
7am to 8.30am.

Pastoral care by
appointment with Pastor
Judi

Fridays:

Women's Bible Study
10:30–11:45am

Sundays:

Worship service 10am
followed by a cuppa and
a chat.

HEADS UP

Please stay after our service on 3rd Dec as we seek your ideas on what God's church in Chelsea should focus on, as we move forward. A light lunch will be provided as we each have a chance to present ideas/dreams/goals and how you will assist us in achieving these.

The Bible encourages us to consider 4 P's as we serve the Lord and these may help you in considering our future direction.

The Pastor Role: we are the Shepherd, caring for others.

Q. What kinds of things might we do "with" or "for" our community when we begin serving them?

The Priest Role: we are the intermediary, praying with and for others.

Q. What is the difference between "praying with" community members in their presence and "praying for" them in the presence of God?

The Prophet Role: we speak to people on behalf of God.

Q. How can we learn the difference between declaring and defending the gospel to others?

The Prince Role: we lead through serving others.

Q. How can we ensure we are serving the community and ensuring our identify is in Christ alone?

PASTOR PRIEST PROPHET PRINCE

Dec Series—Preparing for Jesus.

3rd Dec—Prepare for the Christ Child.

10th Dec—Hope is at the heart of Christmas.

17th Dec—Hope for small beginnings.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

Please note—no morning service on the 24th.

Instead you are invited to join us in a fun and festive service, with puppets, carols and light refreshments from 6-7.30pm.

CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE—Wishing our Lord a Happy birthday, join with us from 9.30—10am.

31st Dec—Getting Guidance.



Breakfast and Pantry will close over Christmas this year, as our hard-working and dedicated volunteers deserve a well-earned break. Final breakfast and pantry will be Wednesday Dec 20th. This will be a special Christmas breakfast. Breakfast and Pantry resume on Wed 10th January 2024.



In partnership with Chelsea Community Support Service, we will provide the Christmas hampers and they will provide toys/gifts for children.

If you are aware of anyone in need over the Christmas period, please chat to Pastor Judi.

Prayer Points: Please pray for those who may struggle being alone at Christmas.

**GOD ALWAYS HEARS
OUR PRAYERS AND
ALWAYS ANSWERS
THEM.**



Bible study Breakup.

The ladies bible study group will share in Devonshire tea at the Chelsea Market, Wells Road Chelsea Heights on **Friday 1st December at 10:30am.**

Our final session will be Friday 8th Dec when we complete our studies on Ephesians.

We will resume 2nd Feb in the Chapel.

Our first topic is Moses—Journey of faith. I am sure this study will open our eyes to this wonderful Prophet and leader.

All ladies are invited to join.

