

"A SMALL CHURCH WITH A BIG HEART"

CHELSEA NEWSLETTER

29 March 2015



**Chelsea
Community
Church of
Christ**

HAPPINESS

**Happiness is something we create in our mind
It's not something you search for and so seldom find
Its just waking up and beginning the day
By counting our blessings and kneeling to pray
It's giving up thoughts that breed discontent
And accepting what comes as a "gift heaven-sent"
It's giving up wishing for things we have not
And making the best of whatever we've got
It's knowing that life is determined for us
And pursuing our tasks without fret or fuss
For it's by completing what God gives us to do
That we find real contentment and happiness too.
(Helen Steiner-Rice)**

**As Christians we listen to the beat of a different drum—
we walk a path that God has planned, which can at
times include twists and turns, ups and downs.
But always with us is the loving hand of God. He walks
beside us, we are never, ever alone.
His compassion and care knows no bounds. And it was
through His love that Jesus sacrificed His life for us so
that our sins are now forgiven and we walk along
earth's journey with our home, Heaven in our mind.**

The Pastor Is In

**You can catch me at the Church most
mornings from 9-12.30pm.
OR phone my mobile on 0423 375 714
to make a suitable time to get together.**



Latest News

Prayer Points: Please pray for God's healing presence upon:
Jan and her family, Lesley I, Syd and Lesley J.

Easter Services

Good Friday service will be with the Baptist Church at 9.00am followed by our Interchurch service at Beeson Reserve, Edithvale from 10:30—11:30am.

Easter Sunday service we will join with the other churches at dawn at the Chelsea Pier—just down from The Strand in Chelsea for a short 1/2 hour service with Hot Cross Buns offered at the Baptist afterwards. At 10am our usual service will be conducted.

Events Coming Up.

Interfaith Public Tour.

Wednesday 8th April 2015. Cost \$25 covers transport and "Many Faiths, One People" book.

Tour includes visits to: A Hindu Temple; A Sikh Gurdwara; A Mosque; A Buddhist Temple; A Christian Church; Indigenous sacred sites or Spiritual traditions.

Starts from Springvale Council Officers at 8.30am.

Bookings required early.

Do you know of someone who wants to help with our Holiday Kids Programs?

It might be a friend or relative who may be studying Childcare or Teaching that would benefit from some Work Placement. Maybe you are interested. Judi really needs your help. Working With Childrens Permit essential. First Aid qualifications desirable.

Chelsea Church of Christ Services

CHURCH SERVICES 10 am Sunday

29 March 2015

Speaker: Judi

Reading: John 11:17-46

Theme: Be generous with your faith.



EASTER SUNDAY

5 April 2015

Speaker: Judi

Reading: John 19:28-37

He is Risen

12 April 2015

Speaker: Colin

Reading: Acts 4:32-35

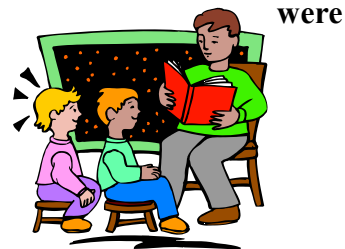
Theme: Be generous with sharing

CHILDREN'S SERVICES 10 am Sunday

We continue creating a Time Line as we explore the stories throughout the Bible starting from the Old Testament and working through the 66 books of the Bible.

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How many brothers did Joseph have? Why were they jealous?



Easter Sunday

The children will be assisting with the Service.

12 April 2015

After Joseph was sold—where was he taken? We will explore how God still

REGULAR WHAT'S ON

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

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