WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

Morning Worship Service: 9.30am

Ph: Pastor: Rick Mumford -

0412 873 604

K4C (Kids for Christ) — (During Service)

Arabic Baptist Fellowship: 11.30am

Ph. Pastor Albert Haddad — 9679 9442

MONDAY

Boronia Seniors - (over 55's) 10.00-12.00 noon

(2nd Monday of each month) Ph: Cynthia Hale – 9635 5785

Study Hub: 4.15-5.00 pm

Ph: David Stroud - 0416 208 486

TUESDAY

Craft Group: 9.30-11.30am Ph: Marilyn Turner – 9631 9483

WEDNESDAY

KYB - (Know your Bible) Ladies' Bible Study

Ph: Glennis Mills - 9636 1723

Arabic Baptist Fellowship: 7.00pm Ph: Pastor Albert Haddad – 9679 9442

FRIDAY

Playtime: 10.00am-12.00 NOON

(Every Friday of school term for parents and

carers of pre-school children)
Ph: Lesley Warren – 9920 6030

Friday Night Hub Group:

7.30pm-9.30pm

Ph: Pastor: Rick Mumford - 0412 873 604

Pastoral Team

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or God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. — John 3:17



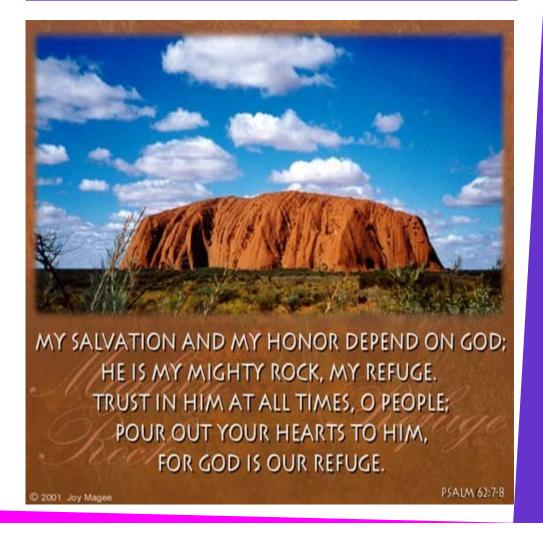
Sunday 21st August 2016

What matters?
Gratitude matters — Psalm 103

"Calling, Building, Challenging followers of Jesus"

Welcome to Wentworthville Baptist Church.

Please feel free to join everyone in the Hall after the Service for morning tea and fellowship.





The fellowship meal will be a chance for us to get together as a church family outside of 'church' and discuss the feedback from the pastoral and church reviews which will be made available later in August.

PRE-SERVICE PRAYER MEETING

Meeting for prayer in the Pastor's office every Sunday morning from 9:00am to 9:25am.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A BIBLE STYUDY?

There is a Ladies Bible Study held every second Wednesday night. See **Ann Kidd** for further information.

Also one will be held for Men. See Peter Smith regarding this.

PRAYER and PRAISE POINTS

OUR 'SHUT INS'

Johanna Boland, Bill Horswell, Elaine Bowey, & Val Williams.

Continue to pray for:

Maisie Horswell, Dot Blackman, Carmen Strudwick, Ivy Bornefeldt, Edna Norman, Lyn Davis, Marie Smith.

Julie Moore has had a fall which resulted in her breaking her arm.



PRAYER & PRAISE

- **K PEOPLE:** Pray with David and Eliza for wisdom in responding to their neighbour whom they have formed a friendship with. After helping him with a wounded hand, their neighbour regularly calls on them to drive him and his family around town and to the city. Give thanks for the way their neighbour has demonstrated his trust of them and pray that God would guide David and Eliza in how to respond to him with both wisdom and love. Praise God for the developing friendship of Eliza and her language nurturer. They are currently spending time learning through shared stories, including books of the Old Testament. Thank God for the way this has opened up conversations about the creation of the world, God's identity, salvation and the history their two faith groups share. Pray for these conversations to continue and deepen.
- YAO: Pray with Tobias and Heather for the difficult economic and political situation Mozambique is currently facing. With many facing famine, the price of food is rising dramatically and it is difficult for people to survive. Pray for peace amongst the situation and God's provision for the Yao's daily needs. Tobias has continued to travel around the area to research the necessity of a Bible translation for the Yao people of Mozambique. Pray for the process as he moves toward testing existing Bible materials from Malawi and staying in each village for a longer period of time. This will allow him the wonderful opportunity to have conversations with people about the content of the material. Pray that people will be receptive to him, and importantly, the biblical material he shares.
- YAO: Pray for Cam as he is recovering from Malaria. Thank God that through the sickness, there has been opportunity to further understand the culture they live in. Visiting people when they are sick is really important for the Yao people and it has been humbling for Cam to be the one visited this week. Pray for Cam's health, the health of the team and the people around them who don't have access to adequate health care and live with the threat of dying from Malaria.
- B PEOPLE: Thank God for the way He had the timing of Phil's return to South Asia in His control. Because of the delay in his return, he has now had the opportunity to begin an International Development course and undergo some necessary but previously deferred surgery. Pray that the project registrations needed before he can apply for a Visa will be approved soon with no complications. Praise God for the progress that has been made in publishing the translated Bible for B believers. Thank God for the solution found after prior challenges halted progress. Pray that this translation will bring the Word of God to life for many B people and many will come to know Jesus through it.

BORONIA SENIORS

MONDAY 12th SEPTEMBER — 10.00am -12 Noon

A representative from:



blindness and low vision services

Helping children and adults that have low vision with: Braille training — Seeing eye dogs.

Also bringing along one of their dogs!



Good news and great joy come in a gift-filled shoebox for kids in poor countries. Operation Christmas Child is often the first step in reaching out to kids, families and communities with help, hope and the Good News of Jesus Christ.

So it is time to start thinking about buying goods to place in the boxes for this year which are now available.

→ See CORAL for anymore information ←

ROSTERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY — 28th AUGUST

WELCOME: SMITH FAMILY

CLEANING: NICKI & DAVID GARLICK

MORNING TEA: VEGESANA FAMILY

MOWING: -



"The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness." Lamentations 3:22-23

NIGERIA | New video shows Chibok girls

This week a new video showing some of the kidnapped Chibok girls was released by Islamic extremist group Boko Haram. For the parents of these girls, it has been devastating not knowing if they will see their daughters again. This video will at least give some hope to parents who saw their daughters that they are still alive.

GOD AT WORK

Though Boko Haram's violence has been widespread, the group is losing territory and suffering from internal conflict. They are losing influence. Through local partners and churches, Open Doors is supporting Christians who have been displaced by the violence. Open Doors is committed to strengthening the church in northern Nigeria and will support Christians to remain for the sake of the gospel.

PRAY WITH US

- Praise God that many of these girls are still alive but pray too that they will be returned to their families.
- Pray for healing in the community between Christians and Muslims.
- Pray that more Boko Haram soldiers would give themselves up and voluntarily stop fighting. Pray that they would have a revelation of Jesus and turn to Him.