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Making, maturing, & multiplying disciples of Jesus Christ for God's glory

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FEATURED NEWS



Mission Partner

SU Chaplaincy at Middle Ridge State School



MISSION PARTNER LOCAL
**SU Australia Chaplaincy:
Tricia Quattromani,
Middle Ridge State
Primary School**



St Bart's Liaison
Geoff Bishop



GENERAL NEWS

LIFE TOGETHER: GIVE. Generously sharing our financial resources is one of the ways in which we share in our life together. If you're not yet a regular giver—and are interested in doing so—you can give by direct debit (details on the back of the NEWS), at St Bart's, or online. There is also a link from our webpage below, to download our booklet on stbarts.com.au/give

This Week on Your Frontline. *On ordinary days, what reminds you that you belong to Jesus?*

Giving Booklet. If you have any questions on why we give, how to give and how our giving is used, there is great information in the St Bart's booklet on Giving. You can download it from here: stbarts.com.au/give

Save the Date. St Bart's Public Lecture will be on Friday August 7, and will be in-person in Toowoomba and online. The lecture will be delivered by Stephen Driscoll, who works in university ministry in Canberra for the Australian Fellowship of Evangelical students. He wrote 'Made in Our Image: God, Artificial Intelligence and You,' which provides a Biblical way of thinking about AI. This book was the winner of the 2025 Australian Christian Book of the Year. Save the date for this exciting and informative lecture! Registrations to open soon.

COMING UP

Aug 7: Public Lecture
stbarts.com.au/events

NEWS HIGHLIGHT

As we seek to *make, mature, and multiply* disciples of Jesus, giving financially is a key rhythm that shapes and resources our life together. As we approach the end of the financial year, we thought it timely to provide a few updates and invitations.

General Tithes & Offerings Update

I'm so thankful for the generosity of our church and the sacrificial ways that people give. At the moment, we're lagging around 17% on budgeted giving, with an average of 165 households giving per month (There are 318 member households, currently). We've been able to cover the shortfall due to savings in staffing, however, this is only a temporary measure. Please pray that God would provide all that we need, and grow the number of households regularly giving, especially so that we can appoint needed roles and faithfully resource the mission of our church.

Church Planter Commencement Date

With great thanks to God, the Rev'd Michael Marklew will commence serving as an Associate Minister (at the Church Plant) on July 13. The church plant has been averaging 35 people per week (with 11 children!) which is a great start under God. *We're prayerfully looking forward to how God will continue to be at work and grow this ministry as part of our church.*

Building Fund

With our building fund being tax deductible and the end of financial year approaching, it's a great time to make a gift before June 30. Details for this separate fund are available on the back of the news, in the Give booklet, or at: stbarts.com.au/give.

Adam Lowe (Senior Minister)



PRAYER THIS WEEK

Workers for the Harvest.
Pray that God will raise up more workers for the harvest, that Pray for more givers towards the Training Fund, so that more church workers may be raised up. Pray for those responding to the call to ordination, for discernment. Give thanks that people are still giving towards the Training Fund.

Life Together - GIVE.
Please pray that God would provide—through his people—all of the resources that we need in order to fulfil our ministry and mission as a church. Please pray that there might be more people considering becoming regular givers.

SU Chaplaincy Middle Ridge. *Pray for teachers as they work to complete assessments and report cards for strength, perseverance, and encouragement; healing for all those unwell; families experiencing stress during the school holidays; those struggling with the financial burden of holiday care; good care for children over the holidays; for Chappy Tricia to have peace, clarity, and trust at this time. Give thanks for: a successful chaplaincy dinner.*

Those unwell/in need.
Charlotte, Morgan, Hannah, Robbie, Cheryl, Dell, Bill, Graham B, Reg, Josh, Alan, Tridiv, Amy F, John W.

GIVING Details

Giving in May **\$61,462**
 Budgeted Amount \$70,000

Giving 2026 (to date) **\$290,470**
 Budget (to date) \$350,000

Ways to financially support the ministry of St Bart's:

#1 Direct Deposit

Tithes & Offerings
 BSB: 704 901 Acc: 00009650

Church Building Fund
 BSB: 704 901 Acc: 00014729

#2 Scan the QR Code



BIBLE READINGS

If you don't have a Bible or a Bible app with you, you can collect one from the ushers. You're also very welcome to keep one and take it home!

SUNDAY SERVICES

TOOWOOMBA

7.30AM In-Person & Online*
9.30AM In-Person & Online*
6.00PM In-Person

* stbarts.online.church

BRISBANE

9.30AM In-Person

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SUNDAY SERMON NOTES

Series: ROMANS: Strengthened By the Gospel (8/18): A New Humanity in Christ (Romans 5:12-21)

by Rev'd Adam Lowe

1. The Origin of Sin (vv.12-14)

2. The Advent of Christ (vv.15-17)

3. The Reign of Grace (vv.18-21)

Sermon Series and Weekly Family Resources

Download a transcript of today's sermon by scanning the QR Code. Translation points in Korean, Dinka, Simplified Chinese and Tamil. For sermons (video, audio, transcripts), Small Group, St Bart's Kids, and Youth resources:

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