New or Visiting? We're delighted you've been able to join us today. If you're new to St Bart's, we'd love to connect with you and hear more of your story. Please complete a next steps card in-person or online at: <a href="stbarts.com.au/nextsteps">stbarts.com.au/nextsteps</a>



#### **FEATURED** NEWS





## **MISSION PARTNER**

The Langmeads serving with BCA in Lightning Ridge.

For prayer points, see the back of the news.



Bush Church Aid: The Langmeads at Lightning Ridge





#### **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 (using the box at the back of the auditorium), or online. stbarts.com.au/give

Help Needed. We would love help with baking, and also with serving, at our Friendship Morning Tea. Contact Robyn on 0422 769

Subscribe to St Bart's Kids Socials. If you're looking for resources to equip you in discipling your children or grandchildren, subscribe to the St Bart's Kids Facebook and Instagram page.

New Music Night Sep 10. Come along to a night of singing praise to God. 7PM-8PM. Sign up on a clipboard or online.

Asian Connection Sep 13.

All are welcome! Bring a dish to share, and RSVP on a clipboard or online.

CHARGE Youth Camp Oct 10-12. This year, participants will 'LEVEL UP' and explore growing in faith and maturity. Yrs 7-12. stbarts.com.au/events

#### Week on Your Frontline.

Who needs to hear the good news in your everyday context? How will you witness to them this week?

#### **COMING UP**

Sep 10: New Music Night Sep 13: Working Bee Sep 13: Asian Connection Sep 17: Friendship Morn. Tea Sep 23: Holiday Kids Club

#### **NEWS** HIGHLIGHT

Music at St Bart's. God has given us the gift of music, and it is a blessing that we can use this gift to praise God, let his Word dwell in us richly, encourage each other, and be moved emotionally by the truths of the Gospel. It is a great joy that we can express our unity in Christ as we sing together, as one.

**Music Teams.** We have music teams for our three church services at 7:30, 9:30, and 6pm, and the CHARGE youth band.

Music And Digital Training. We seek to be stewarding the gifts that God has given us, and so we undertake joint training with the digital team once a term. We explore different aspects of playing music in a worship space, and share a meal together.

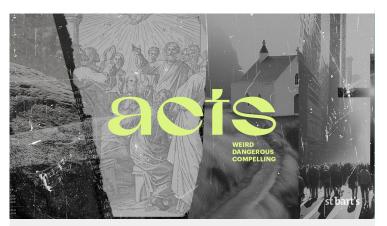
Music Corner. Once a fortnight, we have Music Corner on a Sunday, at 11-11:30am. This is a safe and relaxed space, where all ages are welcome to join and have a go playing in a band context.

Strumming Circle. Once a month, we also have
Strumming Circle on Sunday
11-11:30am, which is a fun group for guitars and ukeleles, and all are welcome to come along and strum along!

New Music Night. We will soon have our first New Music Night (Sept 10 7-8pm), where we praise God together whilst trialling some new songs. All are welcome!

Music ministries at St Bart's would not be able to happen without faithful volunteers. Thank you to everyone who serves so generously in this way.

Diana Wong (Music Co-ordinator)



#### **SUNDAY SERMON NOTES**

Series: Acts (and the Early Church) (7/8) Worshipped without Blood or Smoke (Acts Acts 17:16-34)

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By Rev'd Adam Lowe

#### The Need for Sacrifice

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## The Ultimate Sacrifice

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#### **The Living Sacrifice**

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# Sermon Series and Weekly Family Resources

Download a transcript of today's sermon by scanning the QR Code. Translation points appear in Korean, Dinka, and Simplified Chinese. For sermon catch-up (video, audio, transcripts), along with small group, St Bart's Kids, and youth resources stbarts.com.au/sermons
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#### **PRAYER** THIS WEEK

#### Workers for the Harvest.

Pray for all the preparations for the church plant, that there would be no barriers, that the planning would go according to God's will, and that all involved will be in perfect unity as they work together. Pray for protection and persistence for all involved. Continue to pray for an Asst. Minister, Youth Minister, Church Planter; for more workers for the harvest.

Life Together - GIVE. Please pray that God would provide—through his people—all that we need in order to fulfil our ministry and mission as a church, and that more people consider becoming regular givers.

BCA. Give thanks that the Langmeads are on leave. Pray that they will have great rest and times of refreshment, and return to Lightning Ridge with a renewed sense of purpose. Pray for the monthly Gospel Gatherings at Goodooga (3rd Saturdays) and Lightning Ridge (4th Saturdays), and especially for ministry with and to the Indigenous community.

#### Those unwell/in need.

Charlotte, Morgan, Hannah, Robbie, Cheryl, Dell, Bill, Graham B, Reg, Josh, Alan, Tridiv, Amy F.

## **GIVING** Details

Giving in August \$50,452 Budgeted Amount \$60,000

Giving 2025 (to date) **\$457,840** Budget (to date) \$480,000

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 In-Person

Gifts can be placed in offertory box at rear of the auditorium.

#### #3 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!

 TODAY
 NEXT WEEK

 Heb. 13:9-16
 Acts 20:17-38

 Ps. 139:1-5, 13-18
 Psalm 14

 Acts 17:16-34
 Luke 15:1-10

#### SUNDAY SERVICES

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

\* stbarts.online.church

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