



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: stbarts.com.au/nextsteps



FEATURED NEWS



MISSION PARTNER

Bishop Daniel, Specialist for Ethnic Congregations.

For prayer points, see the back of the news.



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St Bart's Liaison
David Lean



GENERAL NEWS

LIFE TOGETHER: PRAY.

Prayer has been at the heart of our church. There are many ways that we participate in prayer. Check out our Engine Room Prayer groups and other lists. You can join for a short season or longer term.

stbarts.com.au/pray

Funeral Notice. Our brother Hartley Weldon has gone home to the Lord. His funeral will be at Burstow Chapel on Monday Sept 22, at 9:30AM.

Flower Arranging Workshop Oct 4 at 9AM. All are welcome to come and learn about flower arranging, creative use of foliage and enjoy morning tea. Contact the office to register.

Special Creation Care

Activities. 21 Sep 2:00pm
Creation Care Group Activity: Bird count and weeding in the revegetation blocks behind St Bart's. **28 Sep after each Morning Service** *The Aussie Bird Count App*. This will help people get involved in the annual national citizen science project by Birdlife Australia.

Ridley Certificate - Psalms.

Taught by Jill Firth, this 6-week course on Psalms starts on 7 October, 7-9PM. Join online or in-person. stbarts.com.au/ridley

Week on Your Frontline.

Who is someone you've had a conversation about faith or big issues of life? Pray about inviting them to Alpha.

COMING UP

Sep 21: Creation Care
Sep 23: Holiday Kids Club
Oct 4: Flower Workshop
Oct 7: Ridley Certificate
Oct 10-12: CHARGE Camp
Oct 13: Alpha Launch Party

NEWS HIGHLIGHT

Who would you love to come to know Jesus? Maybe it is someone you know really well - like a family member or friend. Or in talking to your hairdresser or colleague at work - you would love them to know the love and life Jesus offers. Whoever it is, we would love to be praying for them! Just write down their *first name* on the Alpha board.

Praying for Alpha

So far, the Alpha prayer team is praying for 84 different people, for opportunities to hear and respond to the gospel. You are welcome to join the prayer group that meets on Zoom each Monday, from 12:00pm - 12:20pm. If you would like to join the prayer team (either to get prayer prompt or join the Zoom), you can sign up at stbarts.com.au/prayer

Invite Someone to the Launch Party, Monday 13 October

It might seem daunting to know where to begin with sharing the gospel, but the easiest thing you can do is *invite someone to the launch party!* The Launch Party is a relaxed night, with a delicious meal & drinks, live music, meeting new people, and getting a taste of Alpha. There is no pressure to continue with Alpha, just come and see. You might ask the person you'd love to know Jesus "Would you like to come with me to the Alpha Launch Party on Monday?"

Monday 13 October, 6:15-8PM
Sign up on the clipboard or online at stbarts.com.au/alpha

The Alpha Course then continues for another 7 weeks, each Monday night. If you have any questions, see one of the Alpha Team at Next Steps.

Amy Norman
(Discipleship & Training)



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SUNDAY SERMON NOTES

Series: The Earth Is the Lord's (God's World & Our Role)

Part 1/3: God's Creation & Our Origin (Genesis 1:1-31)

하나님의 창조와 우리의 다스림 | 上帝的创造与我们的统治 | Ciëk dë Nhialic ku Lõh kēē | கடவுளின் படைப்பும், நமது பங்கும்
By Rev'd Adam Lowe

Part of God's Creation

하나님의 창조의 일부 | 上帝创造的一部分 | Biäk dë Ciëk dë Nhialic | கடவுளின் படைப்பின் ஒரு பகுதி

Made in God's Image

하나님의 형상대로 지음받음 | 按照上帝的形象创造 | Lõi nē Ciëk dë Nhialic | கடவுள் சாயலில் உண்டாக்கப்பட்டோம்

Entrusted with God's Purpose

하나님의 목적을 위임받음 | 被托付上帝的旨意
Gëëm nē kē dë Nhialic | நம்பி கொடுக்கப்பட்ட கடவுளின் நோக்கம்

PRAYER THIS WEEK

Workers for the Harvest.

Pray for all the preparations for the church plant, that the planning would go according to God's will, and that all involved will be in 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 - PRAY. *Please pray that we will be a people (individuals and as a whole) who increasingly hunger for God's presence and to know God's will especially through our devotion to prayer.*

Bishop Daniel. *Pray for: peace and the end of civil conflict and tribal divisions; healing, reconciliation and unity; wisdom, honesty, and integrity among political leaders; that those displaced by conflict and natural disasters would have food, clean water, shelter, and medical care; for international partners and local churches working to meet urgent needs; for the work that Bishop Daniel and family do to serve God's people.*

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

Genesis 1:26-31
Psalm 8
Luke 16:1-13

NEXT WEEK

Isaiah 65:17-25
Psalm 146
Rev. 21:1-5

SUNDAY SERVICES

7.30AM In-Person & Online*

9.30AM In-Person & Online*

6.00PM In-Person

* stbarts.online.church

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Sermon Series and Weekly Family Resources

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stbarts.com.au/sermons

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