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MAY 24 2026

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

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



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Mission Partner

Bishop Daniel, Ethnic Congregations Specialist.



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Bishop Daniel: Specialist for Ethnic Congregations



St Bart's Liaison David Lean



GENERAL NEWS

LIFE TOGETHER: SERVE.

God has entrusted each person with gifts and a part to play. Complete an expression of interest to learn more or if you're ready to serve.

stbarts.com.au/serve

This Week on Your Frontline.

How are you responding in love to those who you find frustrating? What small change could you make this week to grow in love?

Help Needed. There is currently a high need for volunteers in these roles:

- * Sunday School
- * Kids Check-in
- * Kids Club (Friday afternoon)
- * Parents' Room
- * Library
- * Ridley Team
- * Buggy Driver
- * 6PM Music Team
- * Reception Team

If you'd like more information, please chat with the Next Steps team or explore roles here:

stbarts.com.au/serve

Working Bee May 30: Register and come along with others to spend a morning working together to keep our gardens beautiful. All ages and skill levels are welcome!

stbarts.com.au/events

Download this term's Prayer Guide.

Through prayer we demonstrate our dependence on God and our desire to constantly seek out his will. Each term we prepare a *Prayer Guide* that includes short and specific points for our church, our city, and the persecuted church. Download the Prayer Guide at stbarts.com.au/grow or use the QR code above.

COMING UP

May 30: Working Bee
June 17: Friendship Morn. Tea
stbarts.com.au/events

NEWS HIGHLIGHT

I'm so thankful for the generous ways that people serve in the life of our church! In 1 Peter 4, we are reminded of the extraordinary news that every believer has been given gifts in God's grace to be stewarded for his glory.

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen. — 1 Peter 4:10-11

In fact, there are at least five reasons why we serve:

1. Serving is an act of worship (*Romans 12:1*)
2. Serving enables us to take our part in the building up of the Church (*Ephesians 4:11-13*)
3. Serving is a way to steward God-given gifts (*1 Peter 4:10*)
4. Serving is in imitation of Christ (*Mark 10:45*)
5. Serving is a way to love Christ's body (*Galatians 5:13*)

There are many ways to serve in the life of our church at St Bart's, whether you are connected in Toowoomba, Brisbane, or Online. If you're interested, here are a few ways to get started:

Express Interest to Join a Team: If you know the role or team that you're interested in, complete an expression of interest form: stbarts.com.au/serve

Try our Serving Explorer Tool: If you're not sure where to serve, try our *Serving Explorer Tool*. stbarts.com.au/servingexplorer

Chat with someone about serving. You can chat to the Next Steps team on a Sunday, or if you complete an expression of interest form, a leader will be in contact. Adam Lowe (Senior Minister)



PRAYER THIS WEEK

Workers for the Harvest. *Pray that God will raise up more workers for the harvest, that He will stir hearts and grant courage to those he has called. Pray for more givers towards the Training Fund. Pray for those responding to the call to ordination, for discernment.*

Life Together - SERVE. *Please pray that we will be faithful in using our gifts, encouraging others, and developing one another for God's glory. Pray that current team needs will be generously filled in order to help fulfil our mission. Pray our teams will be growing together in unity and service.*

Bishop Daniel. *Pray for: healing from trauma, and for reconciliation between tribal communities in South Sudan and in Australia; for God's provision for churches in South Sudan, which are struggling to support and provide food and shelter for vulnerable people; for the orphans of Duk, that their education will not be hindered, that they will be protected from violence, and from malnourishment. Pray for internally displaced refugees in South Sudan, for Sudanese refugees in Uganda, Kenya and Ethiopia.*

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 April **\$56,863**
Budgeted Amount \$70,000

Giving 2026 (to date) **\$229,008**
Budget (to date) \$280,000

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 Romans 3:21-31
Psalm 104:26-36
John 20:19-23

NEXT WEEK Romans 4
Psalm 20
Matthew 28:16-20

SUNDAY SERVICES

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

* stbarts.online.church

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SUNDAY SERMON NOTES

Series: ROMANS: Strengthened by the Gospel (5/18): The Heart of the Gospel | 복음의 핵심 | Piññn dë Wël Piëth | 福音的核心 | சுவிசேஷத்தின் இதயம் (Romans 3:21-31)
by Rev'd Dan Rouhead

1. "But Now..." (vv.21-25)

“그러나 지금은...” | “Ku Mëen...” | “但如今.....” | “ஆனால் இப்போது...”

2. The Cross Shows God's Justice And Love (vv.25-26)

십자가는 하나님의 공의와 사랑을 보여줍니다 | Tiëm Agëër ää Nyöth yic ku Nhiëër | 十架显明神之公义与慈爱 | சிலுவை தேவனுடைய நீதியையும் அன்பையும் காட்டுகிறது

3. The Gospel Changes How We Live (vv.27-31)

복음은 우리의 삶을 변화시킵니다 | Wël Piëth ää Wuok Wäär në Ciëj dä | 福音改变我们的生活方式 | சுவிசேஷம் நாம் வாழும் முறையை மாற்றுகிறது

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: stbarts.com.au/sermons

