



Weekly Newsletter of the
Christian Reformed Church of
Perth Inc.

Welcome

A warm welcome to all who have come to the services today, and a special welcome to visitors. May the Lord bless each of us as we worship together, that His Name may be glorified and that we are encouraged and strengthened in faith. A crèche is available at the back of the building for those who wish to use it for children aged 0-4 years of age. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship after the service.

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9:30am:

Pastor: Reinier Noppers

Readings: Romans 8:1-17

Sermon: Titus 3:8 “Called To Holiness”

5:30pm:

Pastor: Geoff van Schie

Meditation

This is a trustworthy saying ... These things are excellent and profitable for everyone... to recap: salvation: our need highlighted by our sin and guilt – salvation sourced in the love of our gracious God – grounded in Christ’s mercy displayed on the cross – empowered through the regenerating and renewing work of the Holy Spirit – completed as we inherit eternal life!

All this to stress the point that such a magnificent salvation is borne out in the fruit of good works, not as an adjunct to our daily tasks, but woven through our very character, our deliberate aims, our momentary pleasures. It is that which we are devoted to doing, being careful to make doing good the focus of our very existence, displaying our trust for God in every task and thought and moment.
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Pastoral

From all reports, the Gosnells Family Camp was rich blessing to all who attended, and a wonderful time of fellowship. Thank you to Gosnells for inviting us to be a part of it! The Youth service was also encouraging for our youth, as they were challenged in God’s word, and able to mix and mingle with their peers from the other CRC congregations.

Let us also continue to remember in our prayers those who mourn, that God’s comfort may be very real at this time of sorrow.

Our church visitation on Tuesday night was very positive, with robust discussion focused on the visitation questions, but more so in terms of continuing to be an effective church both for our own spiritual needs and our task of reaching with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

This afternoon we have a service at **Manoah**, starting at 2:00 pm, and it is a big encouragement if some of us are able to attend.

Worship Service Snapshot

A typical service includes a time of singing praise to our God, an opportunity for prayer and a message is given by the Pastor.

There is also a time for us to give financially. If you are not a member or regular attendee of CRC Perth, please don't feel obligated to participate in the offering.

In the morning service, children (4-9 years old) attend church for the first part of the service and leave for Sunday school during the offering.

At the end of the evening service there is a time to ask questions pertaining to faith.

Please utilise the church's electronic banking

Banking details:

Commonwealth Bank of Australia
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BSB: 066 153 #: 1002 5589
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First Offering

For the ministry of this church

Second Offering

23-Oct

Christian Wheatbelt Fellowship

30-Oct

The Bible League

6-Nov WA Future

Churches Fund

Session meets this coming this Tuesday evening at the church starting at 7:30 pm. A reminder that nominations for office bearers should also be submitted by this time.

Catechism: is on today as usual. The Monday class will also be on as usual tomorrow, but it will be the last lesson for this year. Please let pastor Reinier know if you are unable to attend.

Nominations: Session is calling for nominations with the term of elder Steve Ossevoort and deacon Rob Morgan drawing to a close in February 2017. Nominations should be in writing and given to our session clerk, Sam Assaad, before our next meeting on Tuesday 25th October.

Wedding Banns: Rowan Woldhuis and Ashley Fiamengo have indicated their desire to married before the Lord. The wedding ceremony will take place on Wednesday 26th October at 2:00 pm at Yanchep National Park.

Canning Bible Study

Will meet this Wednesday evening at the home of Bardi Bester, and continue our study through the gospel of Matthew. All are welcome.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Samaritan's Purse: Christmas Box Appeal

Please leave donations or completed gift boxes in the box under the foyer table. Boxes and goods can be donated until Sunday, 30th October. Cash donations can be given to Trudy.

CRC Ladies Convention

Advance Notice – CRCA Ladies' Convention 2018:

The CRCA Ladies Convention for 2018 will be held in Perth from Friday the 9th March to Monday the 12th March 2018. More details will be forthcoming in 2017.

Wilson Fellowship

Wilson Fellowship group will meet D.V this Wednesday the 26th of October at John van den Berg's place. We will be studying Lesson 21 , also read Mark 16:1-20

All welcome !

What's on this week

Junior catechism class today after Church

Senior Catechism class Monday 3:45 @ Noppers home

Wednesday 9:00 AM Bread @ Church

Canning Bible Study Wednesday 26th @ Bardi Besters place

Coming up

Shared lunch 6th of November

WORSHIP MINISTRIES

| Date | Preacher | Duty elder | Greeters | Reader | Data | Sound | Video | Musician |
|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------------|---------|--------|----------|-------|----------|
| 23 October AM | R. Noppers | Steve | Willem & Jacqueline | Raymond | Johan | Paul vdK | James | Ralph |
| 23 October PM | G.van Schie | Steve | Willem & Jacqueline | | Paul N | Nelson | James | |
| 30 October AM | R. Noppers | Bardi | Steve&Rob | Nelson | Paul N | Paul vdK | James | Rebecca |
| 30 October PM | R. Noppers | Bardi | Steve &Rob | | Paul N | Nelson | James | Elsa |
| 6 November AM | | Sam | Bardi & Yvonne | Beslin | Luke | Klarinda | | Ralph |
| 6 November PM | | Sam | Bardi & Yvonne | | Luke | Klarinda | | |

Please arrange your own swap if you are unable to do your duty

HELPING HANDS

| Date | Coffee Fellowship | Crèche | Sunday School |
|------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 23/10/2016 | Oostryck, Janny | Annette, Nelson | Nicolene, Nicola |
| 30/10/2016 | Slooters, Victor | Vanessa, Bethia | Nicolene, Lisa |
| 6/11/2016 | Assaad, Jill | Melody, Joshua | Nicolene, Nicola |



Birthdays This week

29th of October Janny Zuidersma