



Weekly Newsletter of the  
Christian Reformed Church of  
Perth Inc.

## Welcome

A warm welcome to all who have come to the service 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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**9:30 am: Pastor Geoff Van Schie**

### Meditation

What matters supremely is not the fact that I know God but the larger fact that underlies it – the fact that *He knows me*. I am graven on the palms of His hands. I am never out of His mind. All my knowledge of Him depends on His sustained initiative in knowing me. I know Him because He first knew me and continues to know me.

He knows me as a friend, one who loves me. There is no moment when His eye is off me or His attention distracted from me, and no moment, therefore, when His care falters. This is momentous knowledge. There is unspeakable comfort – the sort of comfort that energises, be it said, not enervates – in knowing that God is constantly taking knowledge of me in love and watching over me for my good. (JI Packer, *Knowing God Through The Year*, p9.)

### Pastoral

Welcome to pastor Geoff as he leads us in worship this morning. He will also give an update of the Wheatbelt and Gospelair ministries. Let us pray that these ministries will continue to grow and be effective in the rural communities.

A final update regarding the **Compassionate Catalogue** – donations towards a “Combined Fund” for larger items resulted in a total of \$2050.00 which almost came to 2 motorbikes. What a blessing to be able to give in this way and assist the spread of the gospel in India.

Next Sunday, DV, Phil Oostryck will be installed as deacon to serve in this congregation. We give thanks to God for the provision of leaders and pray that He will bless all our leaders in their tasks. The first meeting of **Session** is scheduled for Tuesday the 14<sup>th</sup> of February at 7:30 pm at the church.

It will also be the time for our monthly shared lunch, so do bring something to share and plan to spend some time in fellowship with each other.

**Catechism Class** will recommence also next Sunday, after the service.

**An invitation:** Come and hear Charles and Lynette share about their life in the village of Samasodu, and the work in their local church and primary school, on Friday evening the **3rd February** at 7.30pm at Gosnells CRC. The presentation will include a power point of the work that has been done in the village over the past 10 years through the work of the SWIM teams from Wamberal CRC. Information regarding the progress of the current High School – Boarding facility project will also be presented. This project is going to require several teams to commit for three weeks at a time to go and assist with the building of class rooms, staff quarters and boarding houses. We hope to encourage and enthuse our folk from WA to consider participating in this

## 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.

## Please utilise the church's electronic banking

### Banking details:

Commonwealth Bank of Australia  
Christian Reformed Church of Perth  
**BSB:** 066 153 #: 1002 5589  
Mark as tithe or first offering or the name of the second offering (e.g.: Diaconate)

### First Offering

For the ministry of this church

### Second Offering

**29<sup>th</sup> Jan** Diaconate  
**5<sup>th</sup> Feb** TRAIN Workgroup  
**12<sup>th</sup> Feb** Solomon Islands  
**19<sup>th</sup> Feb** WA Needy Churches  
**26<sup>th</sup> Feb** Wheatbelt Fellowship

project. At the end of this evening we hope to finish with a light supper and again ask for your assistance in providing some goodies. Sunday the **5<sup>th</sup> of February** will be their final Sunday in Australia and a sausage sizzle after the evening service in Gosnells CRC will give us all the opportunity to farewell them. Buns and sausages will be provided, however we would really appreciate some fresh salads and volunteers to man the barbeques. For further details or information contact:

**Jack: 0417 958 410 – Alice 0438 417 958**



## MANOAH MARKET DAY

Do you enjoy coming along to the Manoah Market Day each year?

To catch up with friends, pick up a bargain or two, enjoy some Dutch treats and entertainment?

Assist in the fundraising effort to provide extra resources to support the care provided in the hostel?

Then why not come and Volunteer on the Organising Committee.

The Manoah Board is seeking volunteers to join a committee to help organise the next annual Manoah Market Day.

Interested? Then please forward your interest to Hesli van Laar ([hesli@manoah.org.au](mailto:hesli@manoah.org.au)) or Gerard Goiran ([ceo@manoah.org.au](mailto:ceo@manoah.org.au)) by no later than 20 February 2017.

Help us keep Manoah Market Day impacting our Community



Solomon Island Workgroup would like to introduce Scott and Heather Smith, our new SWIM Directors. God willing, they will take up their position in March. Now, they just need to raise sponsorship's to meet their everyday expenses. We ask that you would prayerfully consider the sponsorship support you can give: \$15, \$25, \$100 a month or more. Thank you for your continued support of SWIM.

## SWIM Solomon Islands

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*Scott & Heather Smith* (SWIM DIRECTORS)

*We would love for you to be a part of God's work at SWIM (Supporting Work in Missions)*

*Pray as we live & serve in the local community*

*Stay in touch with email, skype, letters*

*Keep up to date through our website*

*Come to SWIM with a project team*

*Partner with us financially*

Internet Banking - use reference Smith  
Account Name: Christian Reformed Churches of Aust  
BSB: 704 922 Account: 100 009 032

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## What's on this week

Wednesday 8:30 AM - Bread @ Church

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February @ Gosnells 7:30 pm - Charles and Lynette Samasodu presentation –

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February - Installation of Phil Oostrick as deacon

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February - Catechism @ Church

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February – Shared Lunch

## Coming up

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> February 7:30 pm – Session meeting at Church

## WORSHIP MINISTRIES

Date	Preacher	Duty elder	Greeters	Reader	Data	Sound	Musician
29 <sup>th</sup> January AM	G Van Schie	Willem	Bardi & Rob	Raymond	Johan	Paul vdk	
5 <sup>th</sup> February AM	R Noppers	Sam	Willem & Jannet	Beslin	Luke	Klarinda	Rebecca
12 February AM	C Van Echten	Bardi	Sam & Jacqueline	Nelson	Johan	Paul N	Rebecca
19 February AM	R. Noppers	Willem	Bardi & Yvonne	Jacqueline	Paul N	Nelson	
26 February AM	R. Noppers	Sam	Willem & Jill	Raymond	Luke	Klarinda	

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

## HELPING HANDS

Date	Coffee Fellowship	Crèche	Sunday School
29-01-2017	Pvd Kooij, Hetty	Saara, Bethia	NA
5-02-2017	Assaad, Nieuwkerk	Jacqueline, Beslin	Trudy
12-02-2017	Husselman, Mary	Melody, Luke	Trudy
19-02-2017	Knoetze, Johan	Trudy, Klarinda	Yvonne
26-02-2017	R vdKooij, Elsa	Annette, Nelson	Yvonne

**ROSTERS: Trudy will be organizing updated rosters till the end of June. If you are planning to be away in that time please let Trudy know.**