



MARION CHURCH OF CHRIST

DISCOVERING JESUS
VALUING PEOPLE
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WELCOME TO MCC TO OUR 10AM FAMILY SERVICE & 6PM CAFÉ CHURCH

Stephen Scott will bring the Word : Colossians sermon series this Sunday 10am service. Stay on for a cuppa and chat after the service and enjoy the company of your church family and meet up with someone new!

KIDS@MARION Term 4 is on now during the 10am Service!

WELCOME FAMILIES Lighthouse is starting the term off with TURKEY TALES and JAM is looking at the Christmas Story in depth.

FAITH FUN FRIENDSHIP

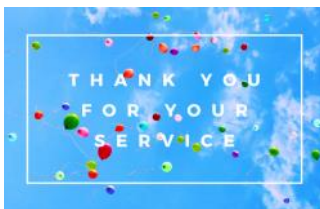
The comfort of the Lounge & Livestream is available for parents of little ones.

1. Sign in for K@M in the foyer
2. Join everyone in the auditorium 10am for the beginning of service
3. Look to the screens on when to head out to the Pavilion.

Join us again at 6pm CAFÉ Church for a great night of worship and enjoying a cuppa and hot pasties together.



Governing Council (Elder) Election - We give God thanks for the nominees for joining the Governing Council (Elder) team: Adam Davidson, Peter Fowler and Rebecca Hird. The vote opens this Sunday 4th November 2024 for all members—pick up your envelope on Sunday at the welcome desk. All members are encouraged to prayerfully register your vote by collecting your voting pack from the foyer on Sunday or if that is not possible, please contact the Church Office to make alternative arrangements. Voting closes on Sunday 17 November at the end of the 6pm service and the outcome will be announced at our AGM on Wednesday 20 November starting at 7.30pm. Postal votes will need to be received by Thursday 14 November close of business.



GC would like to thank Alexa McArthur and Riley Bertram who are stepping down at the completion of their terms and taking a well-earned rest. Thanks Alexa and Riley for your wisdom, leadership and hard work in service to our Church community.

Our weekly newsletter keeps you updated and connected with MCC. God has been doing some great things in the lives of so many people and we are excited for where He is leading us in 2024.

I'M NEW HERE: If you're visiting today, welcome. We'd love the opportunity to meet you and give you a MCC welcome bag (at the Welcome Desk)—it has some info you may find helpful to know about what happens here and how to connect in.



COMMUNION ... Everyone who loves the Lord is invited to share in the time of communion. Here at MCC we celebrate communion every week. For your convenience there are prepared cups including a wafer for you to collect as you enter. During the service the Communion leader will lead us in a reflective time, then as the music follows, you are welcome to participate of your bread and cup in your own time.

STAYING CONNECTED.. If you visiting or have changed your contact details, or have a Prayer request or encouragement to share, please pick up a **Care Card for Communication** as you enter today (or let us know on the MCC APP or admin@marioncc.org.au) Fill it in and pop it in the offering box or church office box in the foyer.



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GIVING To give now or monthly scan the QR Code or visit <https://www.marioncc.org.au/give> and EFTPOS is available at the welcome desk
MCC Bank Account: BSB: 703-810
Account: 05 300 944 Reference: Offering
Giving to God through His Church here at Marion Church of Christ allows you to share the blessings you have received by investing in the mission of our church. 2 Corinthians 9: - 6-8 ...For God loves a cheerful giver."



PASTORAL CARE LETTERS THAT WERE UNABLE TO BE COLLECTED LAST SUNDAY ARE NOW IN THE PIGEON HOLES (LOCATED IN THE FOYER) PICK UP YOURS!

The Pastoral Care Team has been working diligently behind the scenes to connect each of our church family with someone pastorally so we can continue to build community by caring for one another—you might be involved in a Life Group or Light Group, come along on Sundays or volunteer.

If you are new, we would love to hear from you.

Please let our Welcome Desk Volunteer know, or fill in a Care Card and post in the Church Office box in the foyer.

Stay Connected with the MCC Team

Church Office: 8277 7388 E: admin@marioncc.org.au

Pastors: Stephen Scott, Sonya Bertram, Stephen Lim



MarionLIFE Director:
Leighton Boyd



Governing Council Chair:
Andrew Bertram



WHAT'S ON!

Kids@Marion Sundays 10am

Element Youth Fridays 7pm

Flower Power Saturdays

Craft Wednesdays 10am

Friendship Club

Thurs 14 Nov
1pm 'Kindness'



Young Adults Tues 7pm

Marriage Course Sessions

Sun 17 Nov (after 10am serv) (for couples)

Church Prayer Night next on Sun 17Nov

after Café Church in the lounge

Music Team Thurs 28 Nov 7.30pm

BBQ Church Sun 24 Nov Christmas Focus 6pm

Diary dates

- ◆ MCC AGM Wed 20 Nov
- ◆ COC SA/NT AGM Sat 7 Dec Elizabeth COC
- ◆ Letterbox drop—walkers needed for Carols Flyers
- ◆ Carols Rehearsals
- ◆ Community Carols Sat 14 Dec
- ◆ Christmas Services

MarionLIFE

MarionLIFE Community Programs

- **Emergency Relief** Mon-Thurs 9-12noon
 - **Marion Mugs** Mondays: 9:30am
 - **Tool Library & Garden** Tues morn
 - **Community Meal** 1st/3rd Thurs 6:30pm
 - **MarionLIFE Youth** Fridays 3pm
 - **Women Together** Wed 1:30pm (school term)
 - **Brekky Together** 2nd/4th Tuesdays 9am
 - **Walking Group** Tuesdays 9:30am
 - Budget Support & Financial Counselling
 - Community Garden
 - Refugee Support
 - Adult Community Learning
- and lots more www.marionlife.org.au



Big Blue Bin Donate MarionLIFE's pantry welcomes non-perishable food or hygiene items for Emergency Relief Pantry You are invited to pop a couple of extra items in your shopping trolley this week and place in the blue bin, located in the foyer.

COMMUNITY LIGHT PARTY

Celebrating Light Overcoming Darkness (John 8:12)



What a great afternoon we had in the CarPark last Thursday. We had people wandering through as they walked the neighbourhood, enjoying a sausage and pony rides, games, face painting picking up a bag of lollies homemade bikki, Christmas Carols flyers and more!

Thanks to the Light party Team—you were amazing with Setup/Packdown, homemade biscuits, bringing along the ponies, cooking the sausages and more! Check out the photos!



Let's invite the neighbourhood to our Community Market & Carols

We invite you to walk around our neighbourhood to post flyers in Letter boxes.

We will have Street Maps and packs out soon.

The Church Office would love to hear from you so we can make plans.

Thank you.

- Join a Team
- Volunteering
- Special Events & Dec—Feb Forms

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Mon—Thurs 9.30am—1.30pm
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