



MARION CHURCH OF CHRIST

DISCOVERING JESUS
VALUING PEOPLE
BUILDING 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.

Please join us as we gather for the next two Sundays at 10am Stephen Scott speaks *The Word and lean in to all that God has for us to hear about the new sermon series. Then at 6pm we have the high energy One50 Dance Troupe coming along. Bring some friends and family - One50 is all about creating a positive space for young people to be inspired, build friendships and*



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.

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

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.

COVID/FLU Season is upon us. As we care for each other and those more vulnerable, please be vigilant when you are feeling unwell to stay at home until no symptoms are present. We have plenty of hand cleansing bottles around the building for your use.

The next Roster request for unavailable dates will be out today for September, October and November. Pray how you can volunteer, help out, be a part of a team, make new connections with your church family and praise God with your willing heart.



Catchup with one another after the 10am service for a cuppa and chat - there's always a yummy cookie to try. Then come back for 6pm Cafe

Church for homemade soup that will warm you up. This week is BBQ Church at 6pm with a scrumptious BBQ. Thank you to our kitchen volunteers.

We want to help you help others 'Meet Jesus'.

During the month of August and September, we invite you to pray for 2 friends, for 2 minutes a day that they might meet Jesus. We encourage you to do this with someone else (as a group of 2).

On your own you can help someone to Meet Jesus by reading the Bible with them. Go to <https://uncover.org.au/john/read> to find out more. Or you can invite them to our 6pm service for a meal and a chance to read in a group and ask questions.

..... Your name Your friend's name
..... Your prayer buddy's name Your friend's name

Pray 2-4-2

Pray for 2 friends for 2 minutes daily

Details

6pm Sundays in ...
4th August
11th August
18th August

25th August
(BBQ Church)

1st September
8th September
15th September

Marion Church of Christ
Corner Alawoona Ave & Marion Road
Mitchell Park

admin@marioncc.org.au

MEET JESUS

Ways we give with generosity & commitment

OnLine | APP | Automatic | Envelopes



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.

MCC Bank Account: BSB: 703-810 Account: 05 300 944 Reference: Offering
2 Corinthians 9: - 6-8 ...For God loves a cheerful giver."

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 in recess
 Element Youth Fridays 7pm school term
 Flower Power Saturdays
 MumCo - MOPS meetup
 Mon 12 Aug 9.30am
 MumCo - MUMSnext meetup
 Mon 5 Aug 9am
 Craft Wed 10am school term back Term 3
 Friendship Club Thurs 8 August 1pm
 Young Adults Tuesday evenings 7pm

Social Sundays Young Families
 3rd Sunday of Month
 Sun 18 Aug (after 10am serv)
 Marriage Course Sessions
 (for couples young and old)

Church Prayer Night 3rd Sun of Month
 after Café Church in the lounge

Music Team Thurs 22 Aug 7.30pm

BBQ Church Sun 28 July One50 Dance

Life Groups— You were designed by God to live in community. Now is the perfect time to join a LifeGroup, please let us know at the Welcome Desk

Sun 6 Oct combined services 10am
 Long Weekend/Daylight Savings Starts

MEET JESUS
 Meet Jesus Series
 August & September
 starts MCC 4 August 6pm
 Café Church

WITH DEEPEST
Sympathy
 It is with sadness that we advise you that former member, Lynette Crothers, has recently passed away.

May God's loving presence comfort Lynette's brother Milton family and friends at this time of loss.



Thank you God for Your great love and blessings over our lives ...

Three week's ago, Guy Page played his 200th game with Sturt Football Club SANFL. A number of our church family went along to support Guy and celebrated at 6pm service wearing t-shirts. Congrats Guy for reaching this amazing goal.

Thank you Leighton for sharing this photo of the U/10 Mud Crabs MCC team—growing in skills, friendship and lots of fun.



Explore the Charm
 at your LOCAL COMMUNITY
 Café and Op Shop Fusion!

Good Gear Op Shop
 Mon–Thurs 9.30am–1.30pm
 Side Gate Café
 Mon, Wed, Thurs 9.30am–1.30pm

PRELOVED
 QUALITY
 CLOTHING
 HOMESTYLE
 COOKING

Side Gate
 Café
 Marion Church of Christ

Volunteers Needed
 Barista, Cash Register, General Kitchen Duties
 Contact Tracy tstewart@marioncc.org.au

In the Community ...

Explore God's Invitation to Care for His
 Creation | Humanity
 Saturday 3 Aug 9am—1pm
 Environmental Centre Oaklands Wetlands

Keeping in Touch CareWorks Newsletter
 July 2024
https://mcusercontent.com/a0477217da1e7ed42e140358f/files/1bfc7c2a-5304-5ba7-22ea-1875e02920a2/CareWorks_KIT_July_24.pdf



Click link to fill in Roster form online <https://s.surveyplanet.com/1vr3b8fz>
 Collect a hard copy from the Welcome Desk.

MarionLIFE



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. Thank you!

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

Prayer Word ... Loving Father

Thank you for all who have gone back to school and study this week. Please grant them Your encouragement, wisdom and peace.

Strengthen teachers with heavy workloads. May they support their students, playing to strengths, helping with struggles and motivating them to do their best.

Comfort and restore those living under shadows of unhappiness, abuse, pain or fear. May many find faith discovering their identity in You and knowing Your amazing grace in their lives.

We place our sick friends/family under Your care. May Your peace, which surpasses all understanding, guard their heart and minds through the journey they are travelling. We give You thanks for the medical care that we have available in this country. We give thanks for the promises in Your Word that assure us of Your presence and Your help.

Please pour out Your blessings upon our community.

In Jesus name.
 Amen

Element YOUTH

ARE YOU IN YEARS 7 TO 12?
COME ALONG | CHECK US OUT
BRING A FRIEND
FRIDAYS 7PM
+ \$5 (COMPASSION/SUPPER)
FRIENDS – FOOD – FAITH – FUN
TERM 3 2024

SESSIONS INCLUDE
 PRAISE AND WORSHIP,
 MINI-BIBLE STUDY
 SESSIONS SUBJECT
 TO CHANGE

- JULY 26 – CHRISTMAS IN JULY
 (NO DINNER FOR MARION LIFE YOUTH. COMMENCES AUGUST 2ND)
- AUGUST 2 - MOVIE NIGHT
- AUGUST 9 - COMBINED WITH UNLEY PARK
- AUGUST 16 - GAGA BALL
- AUGUST 23 - TEACH THE ADULTS
- AUGUST 30 - AMAZING RACE
- SEPTEMBER 6 - WII NIGHT
- SEPTEMBER 13 - BOARD GAMES NIGHT
- SEPTEMBER 20 - NERF NIGHT
- SEPTEMBER 27 - PIZZA NIGHT

PSALM 139:14
 I WILL PRAISE YOU, FOR [A] I AM FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY
 MADE, MARVELLOUS ARE YOUR WORKS,
 AND THAT MY SOUL KNOWS VERY WELL.

FOR ENQUIRIES CONTACT
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INVESTING IN YOUTH THROUGH
 COMMUNITY OUTREACH
 AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH



Enter via Alawoona Avenue,
 Mitchell Park - Go straight ahead in carpark
 look for the Element Youth sign



Young Adults Term 3* Tuesdays 7-9pm

Psalm 139:14 I will praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made;
 Marvellous are Your works, and that my soul knows very well.

We will continue with our DVD Bible study 'Pursuing God – Encountering
 His Love and Beauty in the Bible' by Margaret Feinberg.

- JULY 23 – DVD SESSION 3 – The pursuit, the promise, and the provision.
- July 30– SOCIALS – PANCAKES HOUSE
- AUGUST 6 – DVD SESSION 4 – When love goes right when love goes wrong.
- AUG 10 – FLOURISH with LILLI Fulwood at City Reach Marion 6-8 pm
- AUGUST 13 – SOCIALS – SAN CHURRO
- AUGUST 20 – DVD SESSION 5 – It's not about you.
- AUGUST 27 – PIZZA/BOARD GAMES NIGHT
- SEPTEMBER 3 – DVD SESSION 6 – Finding God among prisons and palaces.
- SEPTEMBER 7 – FLOURISH at Marion Church of Christ
- SEPTEMBER 10 – SOCIALS – SCHIZEL NIGHT
- SEPTEMBER 17- DVD SESSION 7 – Encountering Jesus.
- SEPTEMBER 24 – DINNER (TBC)

* subject to change

Young Adults @ MCC



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MARION



MUMSNEXT
 TERM 3 DATES



- 5 August
- 19 August
- 2 Sept
- 16 Sept



MARION MOPS
 TERM 3 DATES



- 29 July
- 12 August
- 26 August
- 9 Sept
- 23 Sept



HOBBIES FRIENDSHIP CLUB

THURSDAY 8 AUGUST 1PM

BRING A STORY, PHOTO, MEMORY OF YOUR HOBBIES TO SHARE

PRAYER NIGHT

Join Us

3rd Sunday of Month
 directly after Cafe Church
 7:30 to 8:30pm

Let's thank God for His Blessings
 Let's pray for our Church,
 Community, Country, World

MARION CHURCH OF CHRIST

Marriage Course

The Marriage Course is designed to equip you with tools for a healthy marriage and strengthen your connections as a couple.

This is open to all couples young and old.

3RD SUNDAY OF MONTH

BYO Lunch for you and your partner
 11.30am - 12noon enjoy your lunch
 12noon DVD will commence
 For more information reach out to
 Pastor Steve Scott