



Today we continue a major series in 1 Corinthians

SUNDAY AUGUST 15, 2010

SUNDAY IS SPECIAL AT MACCHAP

8.30AM, 10.30AM & 6:30PM

We hope you feel welcome at MacChap, especially if
you are new here or visiting.

Today Richard preaches from
1 Corinthians 3: 1-17
"Freed to be the people of God"

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OUR MISSION

*is to service the community and
University of Macquarie by:*

WORSHIPPING God
LEARNING as His people
REACHING the lost
CARING for people.

OUR VISION

is to be a church that is:

Biblical and spirit-filled
proactive and prayerful
growing and personal
loving and prophetic
contemporary and historical
Australian and global
Christian church

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

Small Groups - weekly, fortnightly
- see Gayle for details

Tues:

Playtime 9.30am - 11.30am

Wed:

MacMums - fortnightly 12 noon in
small hall

Macchap Ladies' Group-
monthly 10am

Once a Prayer Meeting - 7.30pm

Thurs:

PlayTime 10am - 12 noon

Fri:

JMAC - 6.30 - 8.30pm

YMAC - 6.30 - 8.30pm

Coffee Club - 7.30 - 9.30pm

OCF Macquarie - 5.30 - 7.30pm

Sunday:

8.30am: Traditional Service

10.00am: Prayer meeting

10.30am: Morning Service

6:30pm: Evening Service

RE:MAC & WORD FOR LIFE

re:Mac - an email reminder of
what is happening in church.
This is also handed out at church
on Sunday.

Word for Life - A 500 word
devotional email we send out
each Wednesday.

If you would like to receive these
emails please send a note to
juli@macchap.com.au



welcome to new members

If you are new to Macchap, join us for a special morning tea or afternoon tea

TODAY
9.45am or 5.30pm
Where: in the Ministry Centre
(house at the bottom of the church carpark)



40 Hour Famine - 20 to 22 August 2010

Do something real! Participate in the 2010 40 Hour Famine. Consider giving up food, furniture, or electric and electronic products from 8:00 pm on Friday 20 August 2010 to 12 noon Sunday 22 August 2010.

To register to participate log on to 40hourfamine.com, click on the individual button at the top of the page, then scroll down until you see the "sign up" button. Click the "sign up" button and fill in the registration form.

The money raised this year will support projects in countries affected by the global food crisis: Nepal, Kenya, Laos and Cambodia. The projects are working to increase reliable access to food and clean water, reduce the effects of climate change, develop livelihoods through microenterprise development and training and investment in agricultural education and development.

8.30AM ORDER OF SERVICE

Intimations

Call to Worship

Hymn: *A mighty fortress is our God*

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Community Hymn Singing

Bible Reading: 1 Corinthians 3: 1-17

Prayer of Intercession & Thanksgiving

Sermon

Rejoice **292** *Your hand, O God, has guided*
[incl. offering]

Benediction & The Blessing

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art (is) in heaven,
hallowed be thy (your) name.
Thy (Your) Kingdom come,
thy (your) will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass
against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine (yours) is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.
Amen

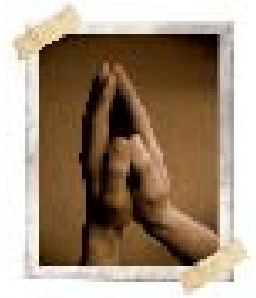
THE BLESSING - NOW UNTO HIM

Now unto Him who is able to
keep us from falling,
and to present us faultless in
the presence of His glory with
exceeding joy.
To God only wise, our Saviour,
be glory and majesty,
dominion and power,
both now and forever.
Amen.

PLEASE PRAY

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. Philipians 2:3

Our church family: Remember in your prayers the sick, bereaved, lonely, housebound or otherwise in need, and their families and friends as they offer care. Pray for Sonja Reeves, Margaret Micallef, Stephen Singline, the Corsham family, Tim and Ying Radnidge and Ying's parents, Chris Stiles and the Stiles family, as well as others you know who are in need.



Praise God for the various groups that meeting regularly through MacChap. Pray that these groups will provide connection and community. Pray for those groups which reach out to our community, that they will have opportunities to show God's grace and truth.

Global Impact & Reaching ministries: Pray for the Muslim world and for those who seek God and faith during Ramadan. Pray that the Holy Spirit might reveal the truth of Jesus to those who pray and fast. Pray that we will have opportunities to share our faith with our neighbours.

Our community and world: Continue to pray for all those involved in the upcoming election. Continue to pray for those affected by floods in many parts of China, Pakistan and India. Pray that those seeking to bring relief and medical support will not be hampered by corruption and injustice.

If you have a prayer need please contact Gayle Kent or Margaret Whiteside 9888 1157 (particularly for the 8.30 service)

YOU CAN BUY a copy of the **30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World** booklet from the foyer (\$7) or download it, or the children's version, from <http://www.30-days.net/resources/download/>

READ IT & LIVE

In our *Year of Organic Community* we are using a new focus of 'Reading God's Word & living it'. Let's consider together how God's message should impact our lives and the world. Our *Read it & Live* reading plan takes you through the Bible in one year- a good challenge! Collect a plan from the foyer stand or download it from our website.



Today's readings: 1 Kings 20-21, 2 Chr 17; Col 3

"You have been raised to life with Christ, so set your hearts on the things that are in heaven, where Christ sits on his throne at the right-hand side of God."

Colossians 3.1.



CHANGE FOR CHANGE: COMMUNITY TO COMMUNITY UPDATE

You may have been wondering whether we reached our target of raising \$5000 for the Ram Nagar self-help community in Mumbai. Well, the answer is ALMOST!

To date we have raised \$4379.90. This is a fantastic response from our whole community and we are grateful for everyone's generosity. If you would still like to contribute to help us reach the target, please contact a member of the justice team, or put your donation in the collection buckets marked "Change for

Change". Also, if anyone would be prepared to do a dollar for dollar match on the remaining amount, please contact Diane Hockridge (0402 978 038). We have \$621 left to raise, so we would like someone to commit to matching donations until we reach the target, which would work out at \$310.50 on a dollar for dollar basis.

Community Update:

We have also just received an update from TEAR on the progress of the Ram Nagar Foundation. Here's a brief summary of some of the latest developments:

- The foundation is now in an expansion phase, which means it expanding its development activities into neighbouring communities. It has 502 members in 50 self-help groups.
- Started health promotion and reproductive health activities in the community
- Running a career guidance program for youth
- Organised awareness programs on HIV and AIDS, adolescent health, antenatal care and other health issues
- Operating a tailoring centre to train women in tailoring skills and generate income
- Introduced strategies to systematise thrift and credit programs which has resulted in decreased loan defaults

TEAR Australia is sending a staff member to visit the project in September who will report back with more details. Later in the year we will be able to provide a further update on developments in the community based on this report.

Thanks

Diane Hockridge

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CONGRATULATIONS!

We give thanks to God along with parents Arthur and Ruth Jang on the birth of their son Ryan Arthur on Tuesday evening August 10. Ryan weighed 3.5kg & a height of 50.5cm.



FREE FREE FREEE

Two television sets, superfluous to needs at Woolway. One of the sets is small and portable – ideal for a bedroom or study, and the other is large, and only three years old (but not a flat screen). Both are in excellent working order, but as we have now installed a large flat screen in the Woolway Common Room they are not required. First come, first served and you can one of both.

Just call Juli at the church Office.

MacChap Getaway



Mt Victoria 27-29th August, 2010

Two weeks to camp!

**Please remember
there is only an
8.30am service at
MacChap on camp
weekend**

The Breakfast Club meeting on the 21st August, at 7-30 am. When we will have as guest speaker, Mr. John Edmondstone, a compelling speaker and Christian broadcaster on radio 2CH for over 20 years.

8.30 ROSTER FOR THE WEEKS AHEAD

DUTY ELDER	WELCOMING	OFFERING STEWARDS	MORNING TEA HOSTS	DUSTING & FLOWERS
Today Rema Gnanadickam	Truus Kazan/ Erna Tan	George & Jo-Anne Wigan	Sandra Leeson/ Julia Wan	Macquarie Chapel
August 22 Rachel Mottau	Kelly Govan/ Betty O'Neill	Margaret Whiteside/ Trish Bull	Beryl Stapleton/ Laurel Dixon	Sybil Bradshaw/ Marg Whiteside
August 29 Tirta Hadinata	Jann Ferguson/ Sue Bayliss	Deian Humphries/ Sandra Leeson	Jann Ferguson/ Sandra Leeson	Tricia Tulloch/ Heather Townsend

NOTES

Please take 'RE:MAC' home with you or return it to the foyer

MACCHAP CONNECT CARDS

If you are new to MacChap, have a prayer request, would like to know more about being involved in ministry at MacChap, or perhaps have changed address, or other contact details, please fill in a Connect Card located in the church pews. You can put your completed card in the offering container when it comes around during the service. Someone from the staff team will contact you during the week if your request requires it.

MACCHAP GIVING - BY DIRECT TRANSFER

If you wish to make a direct Internet transaction to the bank account of Macquarie Chapel, the bank account details of Macquarie Chapel are listed below.

Account Name: Macquarie Chapel

Bank: Commonwealth, Eastwood.

BSB No: 062 161 Account No: 10189652

We do not regularly issue receipts for Internet gifts but if you would like to confirm that a donation has been received, then contact the church office and we will investigate and confirm verbally or in writing that a gift has been received.
