



Tin Can Bay Community Church

A Baptist Ministry
The Purpose Statement of our church is:
NOW IS THE TIME TO BE GOD'S
LIGHTHOUSE IN TIN CAN BAY



Jesus said, "I am the light of the world; whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life." John 8:12

5th July 2020

Decision Making

David enquired of the Lord yet again– 1 Samuel 23:4

Nine times in the Scripture we find this statement -- "David enquired" of the Lord, or of God. Every one of these instances was *after* David had become a great leader. And yet David shows us that great leadership results from being a great follower of God. Even in the most practical or mundane of matters.

Many times, when we are faced with challenging situations, our first inclination, especially if there are others waiting upon or relying on our answer, is to make a hasty decision based on the best understanding we have at the moment. But we should develop the habit, like David, of asking the Lord for direction *first*.

Perhaps you have already sought the Lord's guidance, though, in a particular situation — a relationship, or a promotion, or a relocation, or another life-changing decision. Or maybe you received clear direction for your last decision, but a fresh challenge has presented itself.

Then inquire of the Lord **yet again**. There is no such thing as being too dependent upon God. He never wearies of our questions, and we never out-grow our inadequacy without Him.

The great encouragement is that when David went to the Lord yet again, then "*the Lord answered him*" (23:4b). He always answers those who inquire of Him, and so He will answer you when you call upon Him and inquire of Him, dear believer.

Welcome to Our Service

We pray God's blessing on you and your family as we worship on-line.



Happy birthday to Ken Salmon and Shannon Harries on Tuesday and Treen Psarros on Friday.

God's blessings on your special



Morning Tea

Are you a KYB'er or would you like to join a group?

We are having a BYO Morning Tea on **Fri 10th July at 10am** under a rotunda at **Norman Point, Les Lee Park**.

All KYB groups are invited and anyone interested in joining a group is welcome. BYO chair, drinks and food.

Any enquiries Ph Jan Hughes on 0417888758.



When we resume our services, in order to comply with our Covid Safe Plan, we have to carry out various tasks each Sunday.

If you are willing to assist, please contact Michele on 0418 770986 or 5486 2339 or email flortm@gmail.com

World News

Penetrating Tibet

China tries to make sure that Tibet is insulated against the inroads of Christianity, but has not been able to stop Christian radio broadcasts beamed in from outside. Even Buddhist monks in Tibet's monasteries have, through their responses to the radio broadcasts, shown interest in the Christian message.

FEBC



Yemen's Marginalised Christians

Christians in Yemen are not allowed to be buried in the capital, Sanaa, unless they have first accepted Muslim names. Three years ago a Christian cemetery in Aden was desecrated, the damage including the graves of sixteen Christians murdered in an attack on a Christian care home.

Persecuted Church

Worship with us ONLINE!

Click on the link emailed each
Saturday

“CHURCH
IS WHO WE ARE,
NOT WHERE WE GO”



Please continue to pray -

- ★ Nick Davies in hospital.
- ★ Richard Thorne who was taken to hospital with an irregular heart beat.
- ★ Yemen's Christians. (see World News on previous page)
- ★ A chaplain for Rainbow Beach School.
- ★ Ian Sutton who had major reconstruction surgery. He is in a lot of pain. Pray for a full recovery.

Tony & Sherilyn Oliver's son now has 71% kidney function. Doctors are amazed at the recovery. The family thanks you for your prayers.

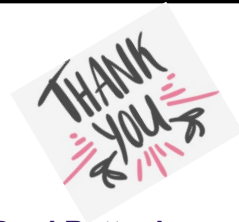
Heather thanks everyone for their prayers. Now home from hospital.



Do you have a hidden talent playing a musical instrument or singing?

The Worship Ministry plays a vital role in our Sunday gatherings and is always looking for people to join our team, so if God has gifted you in this area then we'd love to speak with you.

**Please contact Simon
on 0438 735988
or Trevor on 0418 770986.**



**To Brad Battaglione
who continues to do a
fantastic job of recording
and presenting our
services.**



Sermons and Bulletins

Sermons and Church bulletins are available by email link sent by John on Saturdays.



The Bulletin will also be uploaded to the church web-site:



www.tincanbaycommunitychurch.com.au



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Did you know you can give your offering electronically?

Bank details are -

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If you have any items for the bulletin, including prayer requests you'd like the church to pray for, please let Glenn Batchelor know by Wednesday night.



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