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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



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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

9th August 2020

What is the Earth Worth?

★ Several years ago, the History Channel aired a program where they ★ examined all the different parts of our earth and then tried to put a dollar ★ amount on them. They calculated the valuables you would expect, like ★ timber, silver, gold, and diamonds. But they also looked at ones we ★ wouldn't expect that are even more valuable, like water and air. Finally, ★ they came up with a price tag.

★ From their calculation, our earth is worth \$6,873,951,620,979,800. That's nearly **seven quadrillion dollars**.

It is hard to fathom having one million, much less seven quadrillion dollars! Even the billionaires of our world would look poor compared to such an amount. So, what would you give up to be able to have that much money in your bank account?

Most people would do nearly anything. And sadly, most people actually do nearly everything they can to get rich. But what have we really gained by becoming rich? Especially if it costs us everything spiritually.

★ Matthew 16:26 asked the question this way, "For what will it profit a ★ man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul? Or what will a ★ man give in exchange for his soul?"

Even if I had 7 quadrillion dollars in my account and could literally afford verything, my riches stop at death. I cannot bring the money with me. I

☆ cannot buy my way into heaven. All the riches of this life
☆ are useless in the next. And yet, just a drop of Christ's
☆ precious blood is enough to bring me into heaven
☆ (1 Peter 1:18-19). Now that is valuable!

★ There is so little true value in this world's riches.
★ Let's keep in mind what is truly valuable and instead
★ pursue those heavenly treasures (Matthew 6:19-21).





Welcome to Our Service

We pray God's blessing on you and your family as we worship together



- for -
- Healing for Nick Davies
- ★ Joylene Penna healing for her arm.
- ★ Bob & Desley's daughter Monica as she begins another course of chemo-therapy.
- An end to the crisis in Victoria.
- ★ A successful appeal for the re-instating of the broadcast Licence for the Christian TV station in Israel. (see World News)



There will be a forum after the service next Sunday 16th August.

It is to discuss the pastoral review. and the upcoming election of deacons, elders and leadership.

It is a discussion only—no decisions will be made until a members meeting.



Radio in Russia

In the past year, one radio ministry to Russia has received half a million written responses and 1,500 direct phone calls, distributed 4,000 radios and run many online workshops and information sessions for new Christians. In spite of government obstructions to gospel activity, God is working in the lives of thousands of Russians.

FEBC

Opposition in Israel

A broadcasting licence issued to a Hebrew-language Christian TV channel has been revoked for 'illegally seeking to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ in Israel.'

The network is appealing the decision.

Premier News



At the end of the service, please remember social distancing is very important.



Acts of Kindness

In the midst of the coronavirus pandemic, when the news is full of worrying statistics and advice on social distancing, there is a bright light to be found in the acts of kindness that everyday people are sharing. Right now, a little help can go a long way. Here is an example of the way neighbours have stepped up to care for each other and practice kindness during this challenging time.

A woman helped an elderly couple get groceries

A young woman explains how she helped purchase groceries for an elderly couple that was afraid to enter a grocery store.

"I went to the grocery store this afternoon. As I was walking in I heard a woman yell to me from her car. I walked over and found an elderly woman and her husband. She cracked her window open a bit more, and explained to me nearly in tears that they were afraid to go in the store.

They were afraid of getting sick as they are in their 80's, and heard that the coronavirus is affecting older people disproportionately. Also they don't have family around to help them out.

Through the crack in the window she handed me a \$100 bill and a grocery list, and asked if I would be willing to buy

her groceries.

I bought the groceries and placed them in her boot, and gave her back the change. She told me she had been sitting in the car for nearly 45 min before I had arrived, waiting to ask the right person for help."

Rebecca Mehra



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Sermons and Bulletins

Sermon links and Church bulletins will be emailed to you weekly. They are also available on the church web site:

www.tincanbaycommunitychurch.com.au



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This Week in Our Church

Sunday 9 Aug 9.00 am Worship Service

Tuesday 11 Aug 9.00 am Ladies KYB at Dorothy's

9.00 am Men's KYB at Dillon Aged Care

9.30 am KYB at Chris Woodland's

Sunday 16 Aug 9.00 am Worship Service

Rosters					
Date	Singers	Data	Welcoming	Offering Counters	Sanitiser Team
9 Aug	Steve Hayley	Julie-Anne	Kerry-Lee Carmel	Dorothy N Rob J	John F Kaitlyn H
16 Aug	Karen Heather	Brendan	Jim Sheila John	Christine D Tony D	Carmel Kathy S

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Community Church

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Account No.: 01 500 4389

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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