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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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His eve

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over me.

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

11th October 2020

#### God's Eye Is on Things We Might Deem Insignificant

★ Sometimes it seems that God is the only one who cares for sparrows.

★ Cats and birds of prey like to hunt and eat them, and adults mostly

★ consider them pests. Yet, Jesus said, "not one of them falls to the

★ ground apart from your Father's will" (Matt. 10:29). It is interesting that

★ Jesus chose the most common of all birds to teach a profound truth:

★ in God's eyes, no one is insignificant!

★ God not only provides food for "the birds of the air," but He also "clothes the grass of the field" (Matt. 6:25-34).

The "lilies of the field" were the scarlet poppies—they bloomed for only one day on the hillsides of Israel, and yet in their brief life they were

☆ clothed with a beauty which surpassed "Solomon in
 ☆ all his glory".

If God gives such beauty to a short-lived flower, how much more will He care for us?

Surely, God's generosity which is lavished upon a flower for one day will not be forgetful of humanity, the crown of His creation.

David was impressed by God's care for us:

"When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have ordained, what is man that You are mindful of him, and the son of man that You visit him? For You have made him a little lower than the angels, and You have crowned him with glory and honour. You have made him to have dominion over the works of Your hands; You have put all things under his feet, all sheep and oxen—even the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea that pass through the paths of the seas. O Lord, our Lord, how excellent is Your name in all the earth!"

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#### Welcome to Our Service

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



Happy birthday to David Copus today, Ava Mahaffey and John Penna on Wednesday, and Aaron Hall on Saturday



God's blessings on your special day.



"I, therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace." Ephesians 4:1-3

God, help our church body to walk in a manner worthy of the calling You have given us.

Help us in all our interactions with one another to have humble and gentle hearts.

Grant us patience for one another, bearing with one another in love.

Grant the Body of Christ unity. May we walk humbly with You, God, allowing You to show us our wrongs and help us to be faithful to your word.

Amen

## ELDERS & DEACONS

Following the annual meeting last Sunday, congratulations go to the following who were elected -

#### **Elders**

John Finger Bruce Goodall

#### **Deacons**

Jim Menteith Julie-Anne Batchelor Simon Hughes

Remember to uphold them in your prayers.



- Comfort and peace for Bob & Desley's daughter Monica and the family
- ★ Healing for both David and Pat Copus
- ★ Recovery from operation of Rob Haigh
- ★ KYB groups
- ★ New Elders and Deacons



#### What's the Difference between Elders and Deacons?

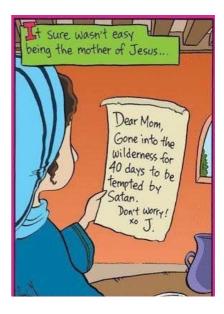
**Elders** are people who have displayed a mature Christian growth. They assist the pastor in overseeing the spiritual growth and teaching in the church. Elders are focused on oversight over the entire congregation through their work of teaching, praying, shepherding and leading.

Qualifications of an Elder: 1 Timothy 3:1-7

**Deacons** on the other hand are more involved in the day-to-day running of the church. They aid the unity of the *church* by attending to physical and administrative matters.

Qualifications of a Deacon: 1 Timothy 3:8-13





### 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



#### This Week in Our Church

Sunday	11 Oct	9.00 am	Worship Service	
Monday	12 Oct	9.30 am	KYB at Jan Murfet's (Ph 54862294)	
Tuesday	13 Oct	9.00 am 9.30 am	Ladies KYB at Dorothy's (Ph 54880512) KYB at Kim's place (Ph Jan 0417888758)	

Sunday 18 Oct 9.00 am Worship Service

			Rosters		
Date	Singers	Data	Welcoming	Offering Counters	Sanitiser Team
11 Oct	Carmel Scott	Julie-Anne	Jim Sheila	Dorothy N Rob J	Trevor Uhl David Hill
18 Oct	Steve Shannon	Brendan	Kerry-Lee Carmel	Christine D Tony D	Jan Hughes Julie-Anne

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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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