We at Maroubra Baptist love being in community with God and in community with each other. There is a monthly calendar on our website at www.maroubrabaptist.net. If you are interested in getting involved, or need some information, please speak to one of our greeters and they can point you in the right direction regarding whom to contact. We would love you to join us.



Quote of the week

When Christ entered into Jerusalem the people spread garments in the way: when He enters into our hearts, we pull off our own righteousness, and not only lay it under Christ's feet but even trample upon it ourselves.

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Welcome

If you are looking for a church, a regular attender or visiting, we would like to extend a huge, warm welcome. We are a church for the community, and we enjoy a range of social activities during the week, starting with tea/coffee on the lawn after church. We would love you to remain after the service to enjoy refreshments with us.



100 Days of Prayer

We trust that you are enjoying the prayers that Neil is sending through daily. Today we have reached day **64**. Our hope is that these prayers will prompt further prayers from within each of our own hearts, and

help us all to cultivate lives of prayer, wherein it becomes as natural as breathing for us to live in constant communication with Jesus.

Reminder that on day 100, we will all come together to pray collectively here at the church. The date for this is **Monday 15 May**. Please save the date in your calendar and if you can't make it in person, please pray with us in spirit.

Please continue to pray for Sandy's recovery.

Save the Date - Getaway 20-22 October

Save the date for Getaway 2017...

We are **very excited** to introduce a new Getaway location with the same creature comforts, great facilities and exclusive access to the whole property. It is going to be awesome, and allocated cabins will be on a first come, first served basis.





Uncover - Mondays in May

Do you want to share the good news with others but don't know how to do it and where to start? A simple and accessible training on evangelism and discipleship, based on 'Uncover' (the Gospel of Luke) will equip you for this important mission. You will be able to introduce Jesus to your friends and neighbours through studying the Gospel of Luke together and asking them 5 simple questions. Join us for this training and you will not regret it, as it will deepen your own spiritual life and introduce you to an interesting way to share the gospel. Your Bible study



groups will also be enriched through the knowledge and skills acquired through this evangelism training. You can learn more about 'Uncover' at http://uncovercom-au.mycms.me/start.

During the month of May, Vlad will be conducting four sessions here at the church, leading us in Uncover. Vlad works with AFES (Australian Fellowship of Evangelical Students) and this is one of the tools they use to read the bible with non believers. Vlad is very passionate about sharing the gospel.

Uncover pairs a beautiful presentation of the text of Luke's Gospel with a host of online material to help people see for themselves what Jesus is all about. Initially developed by UCCF: The Christian Unions in the UK, it has been adapted for use in Australia by AFES.

The Question series includes:

Reliable: Is Luke's account of Jesus historically reliable? (Luke 1:1-4)

Science: Does science contradict faith? (Luke 5:12-15)

Suffering: How can an all-powerful and loving God allow people to suffer?

(Luke 7:11-17)

Arrogant: Are Christians arrogant to insist that Jesus is the only way to

God? (Luke 10:22)

Urgent: Do I have to decide now? (Luke 12:13-21)

Morality: Is it enough to live a good, moral Life? (Luke 18:18-30) **Resurrection:** Did the resurrection really happen? (Luke 24)