

Weekly Church Calendar

We at Maroubra Baptist love being in community with God and in community with each other. The following is a snapshot of our calendar. 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 about who to speak to. We would love you to join us.



Quote of the Week

Those who sing loudest in the Kingdom will be those who on earth had the greatest suffering. We pity them now, but then we shall almost envy them.

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Soulful Discoveries - Angkor Wat

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Maroubra Baptist

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 and so we invite you to stay around after the service for a cup of tea or coffee.

New Name for Kids Connection (Mbra Kids)

School holidays is upon us, and so the kids will not have any scheduled activities or lessons for the next couple of weeks. We would appreciate it if you could bring along something quiet to keep your kids entertained during the service.

The kids will return to a new name for 'Kids Connection'. It will now be called **Mbra Kids** as we would like to streamline our programs. This will tie in with the branding of Mbra Yth and Mbra Nights (evening service).

Commonwealth Games - Bible Society

The Bible Society have been thrilled to give away 20,000 gospels of Luke in outreach at the Commonwealth Games in Brisbane. Nicola McDermott, an ambassador for The Bible Society, is through to the high jump finals. Also special mention to Melissa Wu, who is the ambassador for AusCam and got gold in the diving.



Global Interaction Lunch - 28 April

You're invited to our 2018 NSW Annual Lunch. Come and enjoy an amazing meal among friends and hear from Chris Barnden, Global Interaction's Interim General Director. Chris' passion brings to life many years of mission practice and support.

WHERE: Epping Baptist Church, 1 - 5 Ray Road, Epping
COST: \$25 per person (subsidised by Maroubra Baptist)
RSVP: Friday 20 April

Please let Dawn know if you are interested in attending.

Soulful Discoveries Tour - Auscam

This Sunday morning, Sarah will be sharing her experience and thoughts from the recent Soulful Discoveries tour that AusCam hosted. She will share the same insights with the evening service 28 April so that no one misses out. Below is an excerpt from her travel journal. If you would like to read it in full, contact the office or Sarah and we will forward it to you.



As we drove to the airport, we all knew that our time in Cambodia was something very special. We were ready to head for home, but I believe that we were heading home very different people from the ones that left 10 days ago. We have a deeper understanding of the challenges faced by Cambodians, and a new respect for the various NGOs that are working tirelessly to assist its people group.

Despite Cambodia's horrendous past, I am excited about the country's future. Hearing the passion extrude from Thavry (local tour guide), Ruth (Bloom), Nicola (Flame), and Sam (AusCam) is incredibly positive and exciting. There is hope, there is change, and there is empowerment.

Cambodia is a story worth telling, a story worth exploring, and a story worth investing in.

For the love of God - documentary

The documentary confronts the best and worst of what Christians have done - and also traces the origins of Western values like human rights, charity, humility, and non-violence back to the influence of Jesus. This is not the history we think we know.

We need to reach a minimum number of tickets sold at least 2 weeks ahead of the screening date to ensure the screening goes ahead. The closest cinema is Bondi 9 May, but if we get enough people, we could possibly watch it at Randwick Ritz. Please send an email to Dawn if you are interested.