

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

10 Ways to Savour Sundays (continued)

7. Practice Ordinary, Imperfect Hospitality

Hospitality doesn't have to be a dinner party. At its core, it involves inviting others into our lives, and Sunday is often a great day for this. Commenting on Lord's Day hospitality, Rosaria Butterfield notes that we might be "the way of escape" for brothers and sisters in Christ as God uses our ordinary hospitality to rescue them from isolation and sin. By opening our homes on a Sunday afternoon, we might be doing more than providing friendship.

8. Rethink Rest as an Act of Trusting God

If we think of Sundays as merely a day of rest, we might be tempted to skip the gathering to spend the day watching Netflix or sport. Or we may simply spend it in isolation. Granted, the idea of leaving my house for a gathering doesn't always feel like rest, but if the "Sabbath that remains" is Christ himself, then we rest by intentionally drawing near to him. In turn, gathering with God's people provides a rest that physical inactivity cannot provide. It's a rest that reinvigorates your soul, not just your body

By Joel Kurz, from 9Marks.org

PRAYER POINTS

- Thank God for his love towards us and pray that we will respond by loving him and loving others.
- Pray for those in our extended church family who are unwell or recovering, including Dawn J with cancer treatment, Alice D's husband Graham, Bob W's son Barry, and Mark P waiting for an operation with a fractured knee. Pray also for all those managing long-term health conditions.
- Pray for those who are away travelling and on holidays.
- Pray for God's provision in the search process for a new Associate Pastor.
- Pray for our children at CBBC, that they would grow in knowledge and love for Jesus.
- Pray for new believers at our church, that they would be firmly established in faith.

WHAT'S ON?

MONDAY
7AM Community
Breakfast

WEDNESDAY
9AM Prayer
Meeting

THURSDAY
9AM Quilters/Craft

BIRTHDAYS

Sep 27th Lesley A
Oct 1st Dean P
Oct 3rd Jill M
Oct 3rd Naomi H

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Clothes & Toys for Vietnam

Uli and Matt are looking for pre-loved Baby clothes and pre-loved summer Kids clothes as well as pre-loved soft toys for the pregnant women's shelter and orphanage at Long Thanh, Vietnam. They will be travelling to Vietnam in November. You can contact Matt & Uli directly or reply to this email and we'll put you in touch.

Annual General Meeting

Put November 29th in your Calendar for the AGM. An email will be going out in the next couple of weeks with information regarding Church Leader and Ministry positions open for nominations.

Church Membership

If you are interested in becoming a member of CBBC, now is a good time to start the process with the AGM coming up. Talk to Bill, one of the elders, or our church secretary Nikki to find out more or start the process.

Jared & Verena Bradley - Accommodation

Jared & Verena Bradley and their two small children are still looking for accommodation for their home assignment on the Sunshine Coast during December. Please let Sue Wust know if you may be able to help

Recent Financial Support for Mission

- Thank you CBBC for your generous support of Mission Aviation Fellowship's annual Fuel for Father's Day appeal. Just over \$1000 was donated to MAF as well as direct giving online. A great effort!! (from Sue Wust)
- CBBC recently donated \$1000 from our mission budget to the Baptist World Aid emergency response to the Nepal flood Emergency.
- CBBC has also given \$1000 from our mission budget to provide a motorbike for a pastor employed part-time by HOHI who works rescuing trafficked children on the border between Bangladesh and India. Trish F was able to present this motorbike to the pastor on our behalf during her recent trip to Bangladesh and extends her thanks to CBBC for the gift.

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On YouTube, search Coolum Beach Baptist Church and click on *Videos* or *Playlists*.

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Coolum Beach Baptist Church

"To know Christ and make Him known"



"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and
with all your mind and with all your strength."

(Mark 12:30)

27th
Sept

9AM *Greg Blunden*

The Greatest Commandment

Mark 12:28-34