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Hello everyone, welcome to our November newsletter.

Thanks for your patience and understanding in the transition of "a new person doing the newsletter and calendars"

I have made one small change to the calendar already and formatted it so each week starts on a Sunday. It's nothing too technical but helps us re-affirm that we SEEK FIRST, God and his kingdom, in our week and every day (Matthew 6:33) But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

May you be truly blessed in your seeking this week and month.

<u>Sunday October 21st</u> the Church had a <u>visit from Apostle Chris Peterson</u> and his message was profound. If you were unable to attend or would like to recap his service, the audio recording is available on SoundCloud – you can <u>CLICK HERE</u> or follow the link below to listen.

https://www.goondiwindiaog.com/sermons

Some of the main topics Apostle Chris covered are summed up below – He invited us to study Nehemiah, may his word and message encourage you and stir in your spirit what the Holy Spirit is placing on your heart for His purpose and the direction we are headed.

Strategies for the Journey *Celebrate God is on the Throne * Vision *Unity * Strategy *Prayer Plus action *Break it down and delegate *Communicate * Responsibility *Ownership *Coming together to become stronger *Trust *Lean * Build a team to fulfil the dream *Fighting with one hand / Building with the other *Recognising the Spiritual Warfare against what is righteous *Stay Focused "The challenges before us are nothing to be compared to the power that is behind us" CHRIS PETERSON SUNDAY 21/10/18

Monday October 29th was our Seniors Morning Tea with entertainment presented from Students at Border Rivers Christian College. It was a wonderful morning of togetherness and joy, lined with everything our Father asks of us, serving, showing love, compassion, kindness and respect to our elders. A special thank you to all of the volunteers who helped contribute to make this morning a success.



November 1-30 {PROJECT BOOST}

We are excited to announce that our church has been accepted to partner with Samaritan's Purse Australia, along with Vision Christian Radio, to reach out in the month of November to encourage farmers who have been impacted by the drought.

This is called Project Boost (you may have heard it on the radio)

As part of this project we have been allocated a number of grocery gift cards to distribute to farmers in need within our area.

We are asking all members of the church to prayerfully consider how we can distribute these gift cards wisely and any creative ways of encouraging all farmers we intend to visit and reach out to. If you have someone on your heart who you believe would benefit, please contact myself and we can begin the process of Project Boost to see Gods fruit come forth. (Sheree 0427 047 126)

2 Corinthians 9:10 Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness.

<u>Weekly Prayer Focus</u> As of last week we have started a weekly prayer focus roster with each new week specifying a particular focus of prayer for us to engage in – here is this months' TOPICS

Oct 28 - Nov 3 Emergency Services, Nov 4-10 James Lister,

Nov 11-17 Boggabilla Community, Nov 18-24 Shilo Ministries,

Nov 25-Dec 1 Yelarbon Community

Highlighted KEY DATES for November



SAT 3RD MAMA RESCUE BBQ AT CO-OP; SAUSAGES, BACON +EGG ROLLS + CUPCAKES!

SAT 10TH THINK PINK BREAST CANCER EVENING; <u>Raising funds for toowoomba</u> <u>HOSPITAL FOUNDATION</u>

SUN 11TH VISION SUNDAY + GENERAL MEETING

FRI 16TH BRCC SWIMMING CARNIVAL

FRI 23RD AUTISM CONNECT GROUP 10AM

THUR 29TH BRCC YEAR 6 GRADUATION DINNER

Please find attached November Calendar

<u>Sunday November 11th</u> will be <u>Vision Sunday</u>, where we will be presenting to the congregation what God mandates for the Church in the coming 12months. We will be focusing on a greater vision, coming together to build, grow and head in the same direction and we will also be inviting the church to share the vision God has shown you for us all. Vision Sunday will be followed by our General Meeting.

May you have a wonderful month.

Be blessed,

Sheree

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10 NOVEMBER THINK PINK!

Breast Cancer Evening

Join Julia Telford as she talks about her breast cancer journey, while we raise money for the Toowoomba Hospital Foundation and Breastscreen Queensland.

Breastscreen Toowoomba currently needs 3D ultrasound equipment to make diagnosis easier and more accurate. Come and have a fun night raising money to improve rural service and listen to Julia's crazy last 12 months.



Entry is \$35 with food provided, drinks can be purchased from the Sundial on the night. Places are limited so be sure to RSVP.





Starts 6 pm

\$35 per person

18+ ladies only

Food provided

Drinks will be available for purchase at the Sundial Events Centre

SUNDIAL EVENTS CENTRE

13 Moffat St Goondiwindi

RSVP to

Toni Rissmann

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RSVP by 9th November places are limited.