

**31ST JULY 2022**  
**ACTS 4 :1-37**  
**SID GRINDLEY**

## Welcome

### Dates for your Diary:

Pre-Service Prayer 9:30-9:45am Church Office	EACH SUNDAY
Celebration Service—10am followed by lunch	7/8
Annual General Meeting 3pm	14/8

**English Service in-person &  
livestreamed at 10am:**  
Access via our website  
[www.carlingford-baptist.org](http://www.carlingford-baptist.org)

### ***Jesus Grows his Church – Acts 4:1-37***

In the more interesting movies, musical theatre, and television series creative people tell stories using various cast members, sub plots, which have something to contribute to the whole story. Often the audience is kept in suspense until near the end of the production, when finally all the different parts come together and we see the “big picture” rather than the myriad parts.

The book of Acts is a bit like that – initially we see the action concentrated around the Apostles but gradually new characters are seen each bringing something to the bigger narrative. People like Barnabas, Timothy, Paul, and Stephen, all of who were not part of the original 12 Apostles, have a part, either big or small to contribute.

The big picture of Acts is how Jesus builds his church – he builds it on the truth of the scriptures [God’s Word], and the work of the Holy Spirit – yet Jesus entrusts these truths, his Spirit, to men & women. How amazing is that.

In Christ,  
Sid

### **Mission Spot – Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF)**

#### **Fuel for Father’s Day**

Behind every flight, every rescue, and every life saved, is a team of faithful men and women who have taken up God’s call to “Go and make disciples” in some of the world’s most isolated communities.

A snapshot of MAF’s global impact:

**Annually -101,000 passengers -120 aircraft serving in 27 countries -MAF flights serve around 1,400 organisations -More than 1,000 members serving around the world**

**Daily -115 flights -270 passengers -An MAF aircraft takes off or lands every 6 minutes**  
(Excerpt from “Flying for Life” Winter 2022,  
available on the Mission magazine rack)

This year CBC will again be raising funds for jerrycans of fuel to keep those vital planes able to continue. Mike Swanton from MAF will be speaking to us this Sunday at the 10am English service.



### **Ministry team**

Senior Pastor-Interim: Sid Grindley  
Korean Pastor: David Choi  
Mandarin Pastor—Interim: Arthur Chan  
Children’s Ministry Worker: Emma Ridley  
Youth & Young Adults Worker-Interim: David Chang

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# Church News

## CBC CHURCH DIRECTORY

### We are updating our church directory!

This will be a list of people's contact details for everyone who chooses to opt in. We hope this will enable us to stay in touch & serve together better.

**Please use the link or QR Code to fill in the form.**

One person can opt-in for their household (with permission).

<https://carlingfordbaptistchurch.breezechms.com/form/9538b1>

Please note Art Daniel will be available on 7/8 and 14/8 after the service to take photos if you need a current one.



## CELEBRATION SERVICE—Next Sunday 7th August at 10am

Next Sunday 7th August we are all meeting together for our Celebration Service.

All ages—English/Mandarin and Korean.

Followed by lunch together.

## HopeStreet Sewing Collection



Thank you very much to all those who contributed. Together we donated 3 Sewing machines, 1 over locker, 11 bags & boxes of fabric and sewing supplies. Plus 15 boxes for the pantry AND 15 bags/ boxes for the opshop including blankets and towels. All very much appreciated. Di Daniel

## Average Weekly Offerings-

Just a quick update on our weekly offerings up to week 03 2022/23 (or 25 July 2022)

Average weekly - Actual = \$5,478

## PRAYER THEME FOR JULY –

### Praying for unity

Again this week we encourage you to pray for unity in our Church so that we speak with one voice, mission and serve together in fulfilling God's purposes as a community of believers.



We can reflect on the early church as we study Acts, how the followers worshipped and worked together to promote the Gospel - united in purpose, they went to the Temple every day, ate at each other's homes, and shared their food with glad and humble hearts. (Acts 2:46).

Pray that we can learn more about how to be unified from the early church and to put what we learn into practice in God's church at Carlingford.

## Other Opportunities to Pray

Every Sunday morning a group meet together at 9.30am in the church office for prayer. We would love to have you join us.

## Worship Team Gathering

There will be a **gathering of the entire Worship Team** (Musos, singers, tech and sound & anyone interested in joining the team) **TODAY** immediately after the service –

**11.30am – 12.45pm in The Centre.**

Pastor Sid



## Our ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held on Sunday 14th August at 3pm in the CBC Auditorium

## CBC Offerings:

**Direct Deposit:** Account held with Baptist Financial Services

Account Name: Carlingford Baptist Church

BSB : 704-922,A/C No: 100016526 or

Giveway Link: Go to <https://carlingford-baptist-church.giveway.org.au/general-offerings>



## CBC Roster

	31st July 2022	7th August 2022 Celebration Service
Welcomers	Jan & Stuart Pittendrigh	David Tan Bible Study
Prayer	Margaret Gourlay	TBC
Bible Reading	Paul Dudeney	TBC
Offering Count	Clive Copelin & David or Rachael Tan	George Gourlay/Peter Jones
Livestream	Milton Purkiss	Mark Chan
Sound	David Chang	Tim Ridley
AV	Melody Wong	Milton Purkiss
Morning tea	Sophie Pang & Becky Dawkins	David Tan Bible Study
Grounds		13/8 Malcolm Bae & Korean Community

## Church Family Prayer

Lynette Todd,  
Ian & Rhonda White,  
Melody Wong.

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