

GIVING/TITHING AT CBC-

Giving is part of our Christian faith showing our love for Him and an integral part of our ministries to the local community. You can give in 3 different ways:

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

Account Name: Carlingford Baptist Church

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

2. **Giveway Link:** scan the QR code

3. Place in the **offering bag** during the service



We are thankful to the following Helpers:

	1 October	8 October
Welcomers	Lindsay & Roslyn Casey	Jan & Stuart Pittendrigh
Prayer	Di Copelin	Alan Worsley
Bible Reading	Lindsay Casey	Patsy Lees
Offering Count	George Gourlay/ TBC	Carol Hu/David Tan
Livestream	Mark Chan	Don Hunt
Sound	David Chang	Tim Ridley
AV	Milton Purkiss	Melody Wong
Morning tea	Ken & Di McGill	George & Deanne Cini
Kids Church	Emma, Sabrina, Catherine	Amy, Sabrina, Yica
Grounds		11 October—Trevor Hayes



CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER—

Phillip and Heather Cox,
Mark and Claire Crawford,
Art and Dianne Daniel.

JESUS WELCOMES ALL NATIONS

Welcome to Carlingford Baptist Church

NEWS — 1 October 2023

Today we will be hearing from Howard Bennett on 1 Peter 1:1-2:3.



October Prayer Theme – Strengthening our Faith

This month we encourage you to pray about strengthening our faith. We can pray for that strengthening both individually and for all of us together at

Carlingford Baptist. Isaiah 40: 30-31 highlights that our strength comes from God. We can pray about our weakness and for our strength in God to be renewed. We can thank God for the promise of renewal, and the assurance that He will enable us for the future. Those verses tell us that even young people grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. Pray this week that God will help us soar in His strength and to walk forward together into the future, empowered by God.

Senior Pastor: Howard Bennett

Korean Pastor: David Choi

Mandarin Pastor—Interim: Arthur Chan

Children's Ministry Worker: Emma Ridley

Youth & Young Adults Worker-Interim: David Chang

Church Office: Karon Linder (Tues/Wed) office@carlingford-baptist.org
cnr Pennant Hills Rd & Alamein Ave, Carlingford 9872 3022

English service 10am—in-person & livestreamed

Go to our **website: www.carlingford-baptist.org**



Church Prayer

We continue to provide opportunities to gather together as a church community to pray for the current and future needs of the church and we would love to have more people to come along as we commit the church and its ministries to God:

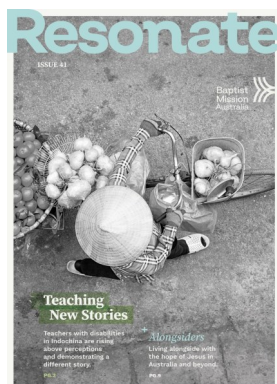
Thursday (7:30am-8am) –

Zoom [<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88963289491>]

Sunday (9:30am-9:45am) - Church Administration Centre

Third Sunday of each month (2:30pm-3:30pm) – Church Hall

If these times do not suit your schedule, please let Howard know and where possible, we can establish new prayer groups either by Zoom or in person



Mission Spot

In the latest version of **Resonate**, Christine Tan, a Melbourne based photographer, recently spent time in Thailand. On pages 11-14 she shares a **photo diary of an afternoon with Muana and a group of local believers outside Chiang Rai.**

Here is an excerpt-

Here in Sanpatong is a fledgling community of the village's first known followers of Jesus. They don't meet in a chapel or travel to the city to gather in a church building. They don't even

sing hymns as some typically imagine. Rather they meet around a table in the shade outside of a home. **They share a meal, recite Psalms for worship, read the Bible and pray together. It's a simple gathering, but one filled with hope, sincerity and generosity.**

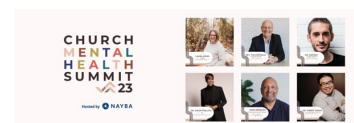
Copies of the magazine are in the foyer or you can view online. Go to

www.baptistmissionaustralia.org/Resources/Publications/Resonate



Save the date:

Church Working Bee
Saturday 14 October
8am-12pm



Church Mental Health Summit for 2023!

Join ministry leaders from across Sydney and be equipped to better support the

mental health of leaders, churches, & the community.

Main event is in Melbourne but streaming around the country ...

Date: October 18, 2023 Time: 9:30 am - 3pm

Location: C3 Carlingford Ministry and Training Centre
7 Loftus Rd, Pennant Hills NSW 2120

Tickets—\$35 which includes lunch

Guest speakers, including Laura Howe from Hope Made Stronger, Canada, Tim Costello, and Nic Mackay, Lyn Worsley...

To register go to-

www.churchmentalhealthsummit.com/sydney