

Matters for Prayer

- Kate Appleby
- Australian Christian Lobby
- Christian Blind Mission; The Crow family, Goroka, PNG
- Jacob Damkani, Trumpet of Salvation, Israel
- Herald of Hope
- Island Outreach Ministries, Bohol, Philippines
- Maranatha Christian School, Talibon, Philippines
- Samaritan's Purse & Operation Christmas Child
- Pascal and Rebekah Somandin, MAF
- Lael and Laura Luxford – South Sudan
- Sri Lankan Fellowship
- Korean Fellowship
- Those sick amongst the fellowship
- That the Gospel will continue to be proclaimed through Capital Bible Church

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Proclaiming Christ, Teaching and Living in the Word of God

Newsletter - August



Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith
Hebrews 12:2

Please join us on Sunday for the service
and for morning tea and fellowship

Thoughts on the Scripture

The Standard and Power by Dave Hunt

excerpt from Countdown to the Second Coming

In Colossians 3, Paul gives as complete a description as we can find anywhere in Scripture of the Christian life—what we should and what we should not be and do. The Christian is to mortify his bodily passions: “fornication, uncleanness, inordinate affection, evil concupiscence, and covetousness, which is idolatry...anger, wrath, malice, blasphemy, filthy communication...”, and so forth. Having done that, he is to express in holiness and love “mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, longsuffering...” The list goes on, providing a complete pattern of godliness. In that one chapter, the Apostle Paul clearly presents the Christian life in unmistakable and practical terms.

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Paul did not impose upon the Colossian believers, or upon us today, a strict moral code that we must struggle to live up to in our own strength. The key to living the Christian life is found in one word in verses 5 and 12: therefore . “Mortify therefore ” the sins of the flesh. “Put on therefore ” the holiness and graces of Christ. Whatever therefore refers to, it gives both the reason for obedience and the power to obey. To what, then, does it allude? The answer is found in the preceding verses:

If [since] ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God. When Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with him in glory. Mortify therefore.... Put on therefore (Colossians:3:1-4)

The power to live the Christian life comes from confidence in and gratitude for the marvelous, historic fact that Christ died for our sins, rose from the dead, and is now in heaven at the Father’s right hand. Yet there is another dynamic: the great hope of His soon appearing and of our appearing with Him as His bride at His side! This is no mere theological religious philosophy, but a vital, real relationship with One who could come at any moment to take us to be forever in His presence in a new, eternal dimension of living! Once that hope has gripped us, we have the motivation and power to live as truly born again and as God’s dear children, partakers of His divine nature.

August at Capital Bible Church

Date	Time	Event
Sunday 2 nd	10 am	Family Worship Service Preacher: Ben Irving Luke 8:19-25
	11:30am	Sandwich Sunday
Tuesday 4 th	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Sunday 9 th	10am	Family Worship Service Preacher: Karl Irving Luke 8:26-39
Tuesday 11 th	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Saturday 15 th	4pm and 6.30pm	Herald of Hope Bible Prophecy Conference – Peter Jackson
Sunday 16 th	10 am	Herald of Hope Bible Prophecy Conference – Peter Jackson
Tuesday 18 th	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Sunday 23 rd	10 am	Family Worship Service Preacher: PJ Stringfellow Luke 8:40-53
Tuesday 25 th	7.30pm	Canberra Friends of CMI
Sunday 30 th	10 am	Family Worship Service Preacher: Ben Irving Luke 9:1-17

Women’s Home Group

Woman’s Bible study meets Monday Nights - See Karen

Upcoming Events

- Church Camp: Friday 30 October - Sunday 1 November.
- Herald of Hope Visiting 15-16 August

Morning Tea Roster

2 August	9 August	16 August	23 August	30 August
Luz	Helen	Judy	Yanet	Karen
6 Sept	13 Sep	20 Sep	27 Sep	
Noela	Luz	Helen	Yanet	

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