New or Visiting? We're delighted you've been able to join us today. If you're new to St Bart's, we'd love to connect with you and hear more of your story. Please complete a next steps card in-person or online at: stbarts.com.au/nextsteps



FEATURED NEWS





MISSION PARTNER

CHAPLAINCY at MIDDLE RIDGE STATE SCHOOL

For prayer points, see the back of the news.



GENERAL NEWS

LIFE TOGETHER: GATHER.

Sundays are the heartbeat of our life together. We gather (in-person and online) to re-orientate our lives to God, confess our sin, rejoice in grace, declare Good News, feast on God's Word, experience God's holiness, and build up Christ's church. stbarts.com.au/gather

No Barista Coffee today.

Our wonderful barista team members were unable to attend today to make coffees at our morning services. They will be back next week! If you're interested in being part of the team, we still need more volunteers.

Working Bee. Come and spend a morning in our gardens and help keep our garden beds looking their best. Whether you are an enthusiastic gardener or a beginner, come for a time of sharing in work, fellowship and morning tea, beginning at 8AM on Saturday 1 June.

Men's Dinner. This is an opportunity for the men of St Bart's (and their guests) to enjoy a delicious dinner (with pig on the spit, bratwurst with salads, and non-alcoholic drinks), the warmth of some firepits, and also a panel interview about life and faith. Cost is \$20. To register, use the clipboards at church or visit:

stbarts.com.au/men

This Week on Your Frontline. How does God's presence with you give you confidence on your frontline?

COMING UP

28 May Ridley Certificate*
29 May Transforming Work*
30 May RePurpose Course*
01 June Working Bee
15 June Men's Dinner*
* Registration required

NEWS HIGHLIGHT

90TH ANNIVERSARY June 16 across all services.

I'm really excited that on Sunday June 16, we'll be celebrating 90 years since the very first service of the Church of England in Middle Ridge. Whilst this wasn't the first service of St Bart's per se, it was in many ways the beginning of our church.

We'll have a number of special opportunities to celebrate, but in particular we'll give thanks to God for his faithfulness over the past 90 years and commit the next 90 years to God! We'll also have extended opportunities for fellowship, to hear some stories of how God has been at work, and welcome the Archbishop to all of our services. Here are three ways to get involved:

Serve: We'll be sharing food after each of our services. Please use the clipboards to sign up to assist at the Breakfast BBQ (after 7.30AM) or the Lunch BBQ (after 9.30AM). 6PM will have a potluck dinner, so please bring something to share.

Invite: If you know someone who has been involved in the life of our church over the years, please do invite them along to share in the celebration. We pray also that many might like to join in to be part of our continuing mission and vision.

Pray: Please be praying that the day will be to God's glory and grow us in our mission to make and mature disciples of Jesus. Pray also that God will grow our vision for the next 90 years.

I'm so thankful for God's faithfulness to and through us! Adam Lowe (Senior Minister)



SUNDAY MORNING SERMON NOTES

Series: THE STORY OF ABRAHAM Week 6/8 (Genesis 17:1-18:15) Birth of the Covenant 언약의 시작

언약의 시작 **盟约的诞生** Dhieth de mëët by the Rev'd Dr. Daniel Rouhead

The Covenant Established (Genesis 17:1-8)

언약의 확립 盟约的建立 Mɛt a ciï loi

The Sign of the Covenant (Genesis 17:9-14)

언약의 표징 盟约的标志 Cit de meët

The Promise of Isaac (Genesis 17:15-21; 18:1-15)

이삭의 약속 以撒的应许 Dööth ne Yithak

Sermon Series and Weekly Family Resources

Download a transcript of today's sermon by scanning the QR Code.

Translation points appear in Korean, Dinka, and Simplified Chinese. For sermon catch-up (video, audio, transcripts), along with small group, St Bart's Kids, and youth resources stbarts.com.au/sermons



Subscribe to the Sermon Podcast using your favourite Podcast app (search for "St Bart's Toowoomba").

PRAYER THIS WEEK

Vacant Roles. Pray for an Asst. Minister, Youth Minister, Church Planter and Production Assistant. Pray also that our financial giving will grow to support our ministry.

Life Together - GATHER

Please give thanks for the privilege it is to gather together every week in-person and online. Pray that our gatherings would be filled with great joy in praise of our God. Pray also that we can grow in our accessibility as a church and as a community.

Church Plant. Pray for unity, trust, and tenacity to bring plans to fruition, and especially for God to send workers for the harvest.

FOCUS Weekend. Pray that all are kept safe; that the seeds sown will bear much fruit and for connections to deepen with one another and with God.

Middle Ridge. Pray for Cath Skuse as she begins serving at a different school community, that she would point them to God; that God will raise up workers for the harvest, and bring the right person to the chaplaincy at Middle Ridge and other vacant chaplaincies in our region.

Those unwell/in need.

Charlotte, Morgan, Hannah, Robbie, Cheryl, Dell, Bill, Graham Bond, Reg, Josh, Tridiv, Alan, Liam, Tish

GIVING Details

Giving in April \$57,383 Budgeted Amount \$59,000

Ways to financially support the ministry of St Bart's.

#1 Direct DepositTithes & Offerings

BSB: 704 901 Acc: 00009650

Church Building Fund BSB: 704 901 Acc: 00014729

#2 In-Person

Gifts can be placed in offertory box at rear of the auditorium.

#3 Scan the QR Code



BIBLE READINGS

If you don't have a Bible or a Bible app with you, you can collect one from the ushers. You're also very welcome to keep one and take it home!

TODAY NEXT WEEKGen.17:1-18:15 Gen. 18:16-19:29

Psalm 29 Ps.139:1-6, 13-18 John 3:1-17 Mark 2:23-3:6

SUNDAY SERVICES

7.30AM In-Person & Online*
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6.00PM In-Person

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