

prayer @ ashgrove

You do not have because you do not ask God.

James 4:2

come and pray with us on ...

Sunday at 6pm (Parents' Room)

Thursday at 6:30am (Red Room)

Thursday Fortnightly at 12pm (Care Space)

1st Friday each month at 7:30pm (Parents' Room)

3rd Saturday each month at 8am
(global mission focus @ 388 Waterworks Rd)

praying through the week

- Continue to pray for those people whom you will **invite to easter@ashgrove**. Ask God to be working in their lives and hearts.
- This week we are praying for our Chaplains serving at various schools in this area.
- The 2010 Watoto Choir will arrive in Australia for their 6 month tour at the end of March. Pray for safety in travel.
- The Ministry Team has had a good beginning to the year. Pray for them as they seek to encourage and facilitate ministry.
- Life Groups have commenced . Pray for the groups. Pray that God would use the various groups as a means of growth and ministry.
- Pray for the Property Redevelopment process that will be unfolded over the next weeks. Pray that God would lead us as we seek to honour Him with the resources He has given us.

this week we are praying for

- Graeme & Barbara Rouillon...Watoto
- School Chaplaincy...Chaplains
- Andrew & Oksana Ford...Kiev
- Jeff & Jargal King...Mongolia

ministry team

Team Leader	Kevin Bird
	0407 989 275
Care	Lorraine Pfeffer
	0409 073 855
Pastoral Carer	Helen Murchie
	0410 597 816
Training	Natasha Bengtson
	0404 947 070
Support	Ann-Janette Reinhardt
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Worship	Kerryn Colen
	0407 526 506
abc International	Simon Baek
	0422 250 086
High School	Daniel Paterson
	0432 727 726
Mission	Stewart Beveridge
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other ministry leaders

Crèche	Suzette Fox
Coffee Club	Carol Macpherson
Craft	Kerrie Bird
Data	Lee-Anne McMurray
Fuel	Russ & Jo Sweetman
Girls' Gatherings	Jenny Cox
Global Missions Committee	
	David & Nancy Earley
Hilltop Gardens	Russ Sweetman
Library	Jill Walker
Playcentre	Sue Collecutt
Soccer	Matt Pfeffer
Sound	James Fox
Time Out	Eric & Liz Forshaw

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28 february 2010

Uncomplicated Compassion

We are sent into the world, like Jesus, to serve. For this is the natural expression of our love for our neighbours. We love. We go. We serve. And in this we have (or should have) no ulterior motive. True, the gospel lacks visibility if we merely preach it, and lacks credibility if we who preach it are interested only in souls and have no concern about the welfare of people's bodies, situations and communities. Yet the reason for our acceptance of social responsibility is not primarily in order to give the gospel either a visibility or a credibility it would otherwise lack, but rather simple uncomplicated compassion.

Love has no need to justify itself. It merely expresses itself in service whenever it sees need. John Stott

welcome to ashgrove

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship today!

getting to know you

If you are new to **ashgrove**, have a prayer request, family news, or change of contact details, please complete the Contact Card inside this handout.

stay to connect

Please join us for refreshments after the worship gathering in the courtyard.

more information?

If you would like more information about the programs and ministries at **ashgrove**, complete the Contact Card inside this handout.

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sunday @ ashgrove

10am collective worship

6pm prayer

6.30pm collective worship

ashgrove baptist church

...transforming communities through Jesus

serving @ ashgrove

Over 170 people worship God each week though serving in our many ministries, programs and behind the scenes. Become part of the amazing journey that **ashgrove** is on – transforming communities through Jesus.

vic vac + mowing + cleaning rosters

New rosters are being compiled for 2010. Are you able to lend a **few hours of your time** on the odd Saturday to clean our facilities and maintain our grounds? Indicate your willingness on a Contact Card.

big night out @ GSHS

ashgrove is partnering with school Chaplains host the **Big Night Out** for local youth on Friday March 5. Can you lend a hand? See **Dan Paterson** if you are available.

fuel teachers

We currently need 4 more teachers for the Sunday morning **Fuel** program. See **Russ or Jo Sweetman** for details.

coming up @ ashgrove

easter@ashgrove . . .palm sunday



This Palm Sunday we want to remember all that Jesus has done for us. Don't miss out on this opportunity to invite people from your various worlds who want to hear more about Jesus. Plus, consider entering the **easter@ashgrove art competition**. Full details are available on facebook and at www.ashgrove.org.au.

Easter– the ultimate red letter day!

art gallery + live music + worship gathering + great food

quarterly business meeting . . .today

Participate in the full life of our church by staying after our am worship gathering on this day.

family service . . .7 march

Our am worship gathering on this day will be super family and kid friendly, with invites extended to our Playcentre families and Primary School RE contacts. It will be a great morning of celebration and thankfulness.

girls' gatherings . . .this week

Many gatherings of **ashgrove women** are happening this week. Find something of interest on the invitation and RSVP directly to your host.

this week @ ashgrove

today	10am	Kevin Bird ...Luke 5:1-11
	6.30pm	Simon Edwards ...I am
monday	9.30am	playcentre
	6.30pm	exploring christianity
	6.30pm	man to man
	6.30pm	woman to woman
tuesday	9.30am	playcentre
wednesday	9.30am	playcentre
thursday	6.30am	prayer
	9.30am	craft
	10am	girls' gathering with Jenny
	7.30pm	intercessory prayer
	7.30pm	girls' gathering with Heidi
friday	7pm	genesis—Big Night Out
saturday	9am	girls' gathering with Jenny
sunday	10am	family service
	6.30pm	Dan Paterson...John 11.:25

our church

- Our thoughts and prayers are with the Sweetman family on the passing of **Joan Sweetman**.
- We want to take this opportunity to acknowledge the contribution **Taylor Knight** has made to the Support Team over the last year and wish her well as she commences university. **Liz Cripps** will commence in the office on 1 March.

Property Re-development

The Property Re-Development Committee after much research are now ready to present a proposal to the church. The process will be ...

Sunday 14 March 2010

Drawings / Images on Display and Presentation to Church after the AM and PM Services

Saturday 20 March AM

(time to be confirmed)
First Consultation Forum

Sunday 21 March 2010

Display Continues & Building committee available to answer questions and receive feedback

Tuesday night 23 March 2010 (7:30pm)

Second Consultation Forum

through **worship**

people living in humble submission to God, seeking Him and declaring His glory

people growing as disciples of Jesus so they can participate in transforming communities

through **training**

through **care**

people encountering God's kindness, acceptance & compassion as they journey towards wholeness and spiritual maturity

people hearing about Jesus and coming to know Him

through **mission**