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## Church Update 7 August 2020

Hi Church Family,

We are looking forward with joy and anticipation to recommencing our Sunday Morning Services this coming Sunday 9 August here at our Booragoon Campus.

Due to the capacity restriction there will be an online Zoom option for the 8:30am service only. The service will be available online 'live' to enable those who cannot attend to participate. See details below.

### **Sunday Morning Services at our Booragoon Campus**

As previously advised under our Phase 4 COVID-19 Safety Plan there is a need to register in order to attend the services which will be held at **8.30am and 10.30am** [there will be no PM service at this point].

Currently the 8.30am service is almost at capacity but there are spaces available for the 10.30am service.

- If you would like to attend this Sunday you need to act quickly. Please note you will need to register each week (including children of all ages) either online by [clicking on this link](#) or on our [Mounties website](#).
- When you register you will provide the first and last name of each attendee and select the appropriate ticket based on age demographic [to help with our MPK planning for future weeks].
- You will receive a confirmation email from Trybooking but there is no need to bring the confirmation ticket to the service.
- Online registrations will be open from 9.00am the previous Sunday until midnight on the Saturday before the service, unless we have reached capacity.

To help with the smooth flow of the services and the associated logistics with the COVID-19 requirements, I thought it would be good for you to be aware in advance of the following:

- We request you arrive from 8.00am and be seated before 8:30am for the first service, and arrive from 10.00am to be seated by 10:30am for the second service.
- We ask (though we know it will be difficult) that you refrain from hugging and hand-shaking.
- On arrival you will be welcomed and there will be hand sanitiser available.
- You will then be directed to the sign-in desks in the Foyer and have your name ticked off the registration list before heading directly into the Auditorium.
- Our Foyer has a capacity of 150 people and our Auditorium a capacity of 330 people under COVID-19 restrictions.
- Every second row in the Auditorium will be left empty.
- We encourage you to be seated in family groups or household groups and please follow the instructions of the ushers.
- Please leave one seat empty either side of family/household groupings.



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- At the end of the service we will be leaving the Auditorium as soon as possible and not be congregating in the Foyer to allow for COVID-19 cleaning in the Auditorium, and room capacity requirements to be met in the Foyer.
- The ushers will be directing an orderly exit. Please follow their instructions.
- There will be no tea or coffee available in the Foyer. This is an opportunity for you to invite others to join you at a local café, for a picnic in the park or at home.
- If you have any flu-like symptoms or feel unwell please refrain from attending.

### **Sunday Morning Services at our Booragoon Campus Online**

The details for the Zoom session for this and the following Sundays (8:30am service only) are set out below.

[Join the Zoom Meeting Here](#) (no password required) Meeting ID: 872 4982 0016

Meeting will open 5 minutes prior to the service commencing.

### **Booragoon Service Filming**

As we recommence our 'live' services at Booragoon, we will be filming the 8:30am service and making it available by Tuesday evening on the Mounties [YouTube channel](#) and a link will be placed on the [Sunday@Home](#) page for easy access.

### **A Word in Season**

This week's devotional in our series "[A Word in Season](#)" was given by Dan Rodgers and can be accessed [here](#)

### **Church Offerings**

There will be an opportunity to give during the services but if you are unable to attend there are other giving options listed on our [Giving page](#):

- You can give through the [Church App](#) or [Click here](#)
- Cash or cheques can be delivered to our Church Office Reception:  
Tuesday to Friday 9.00am to 4.30pm.

### **Other Matters**

If you have any pastoral care needs please contact us at the Church Office by [email](#) or by phone 9329 1777.

For prayer requests please click [here](#)

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday!

God bless

Simon Ford

**Executive Pastor**