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English Classes

Day and Time: Friday 9 to 12 am during school term. **Cost:** \$4 per person

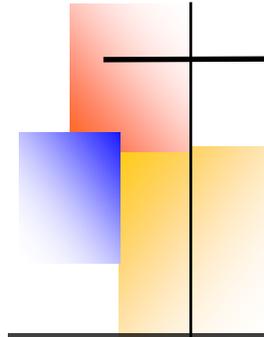
Open to: anyone whose first language is not English

Worship Times

- Sunday 8:00 am** Traditional Anglican Prayer Book, Holy Communion with Hymns
9:30 am Contemporary, Family Worship, Communion and Children's Church
9:00 am Months with a fifth Sunday will have one combined service that day
Wednesday 9:30 am Prayer Book, Holy Communion said service

Life Groups

- Monday mixed group 10 am - 11:30 am** Contact Ian: i.malcolm@ecu.edu.au
Monday women's group 10:30 - 1 pm meets every 2nd & 4th Monday. Contact Nola: 0409683762
Wednesday mixed group 7 pm Contact Tony: 0403945719 or Lynne: lms5591@outlook.com
Wednesday mixed group - Bible Study 7:00 pm Contact Louisa: 0405588775
Thursday ladies craft group 10 am-3 pm Contact Jan: 0421850176



Karrinyup Anglican Church

Old Church — New Life

10th November 2019

Christians and Wealth – An Uneasy Relationship

One of the topics the bible touches on or writes about the most in almost book is not sex but rather money and wealth. In the Old Testament fairly gained wealth was a sign of God's blessing seen in the examples of Abraham or Job. One of the signs for Israel that they were experiencing God's blessing was prosperity for leaders and the nation, just as poverty was seen to possibly be a result of God's judgment upon a person or group. In the New Testament Jesus changes all of this.

Matthew and Luke record so much of what Jesus taught about money and wealth. It's not that they are inherently bad but that they become such a powerful snare for the Christian disciple. The danger is that love of money, wealth and things takes precedence over love of God.

More than that though we need to notice the other thing Jesus did that Paul especially picks up on in his letters. That is the promise that the faithful disciple will be rich, prosperous and profoundly blessed. That inheritance though is not in the form of material wealth but in the form of spiritual wealth we will experience in heaven itself, lacking absolutely nothing from our Heavenly Father. This is a part of our hope in Christ. Paul especially makes this point throughout his letters as he writes of the inheritance that awaits us in Christ.

In the present though the abundance blessings we experience in Christ are of the kind Paul lists in Ephesians 1, the blessings that come from being reconciled to the living God in Christ, the living God from whom we had been alienated by our sin and selfishness. So what is the pattern for a wealthy Christian, the pattern is one of gospel minded philanthropy supporting mission, ministry and the alleviation of suffering wherever one can in the name of Christ.

THIS WEEKS READINGS:

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

Matthew 19:13-30

SERMON PREACHED BY:

Michael Stuart

**Title: Faith, Godliness,
Wealth**

MISSIONS

Please pray for the people of Interserve. See the Missions board for more information.

You can also find out more about Interserve by going on-to: interserve.org.au or phone: 03 9729 9611

Also see Church Matters.

Notices For This Week

PRAYER MEETING BEFORE THE SERVICE

A few of us meet and pray for KAC before the 9.30 service at 9.00 to 9.15 in the crèche. Come join us and see what God will do!

1Thessalonians 1:5 ... our gospel came to you not simply with words but also with power, with the Holy Spirit and deep conviction.

PLEASE PRAY

- For the complete healing of our sister and brother in Christ Kate and Laurie Plichta's 6 month old grandson Isaiah. He is suffering from suspected pneumonia and he needs healing of his airways, his chest congestion and his feeding routine.

PRAISE THE LORD!!!

Our brother in Christ Clive Nicholls has been informed that he is in REMISSION! Thank you and praise you Lord!!! Clive would like to also thank everyone for their prayers.

KAREN ON HOLIDAY

Karen won't be in the office until 18th November. Michael will check for any messages that you may leave on the office phone.

FAMILY CHRISTMAS SERVICE DATE

We are planning on holding the family Christmas Service as we have in previous years but want to make some changes to facilitate a more evangelistic service. We are looking at holding it on Thursday the 19th of December at 5.00pm followed by a sausage sizzle or on the 13th of December. If you are aware of other Christmas events being held by local primary schools or clubs in the area, can you please let Michael know to aid in determining the final date.

YOUTH GROUP

The next youth group will be held at KAC from 5pm-6.30pm, Saturday, 16th November. The title is *Selfie Scene* and the topic we'll be exploring is Identity. We pray that the young people will find their identity in Christ. Please invite your Year 7-9 children/grandchildren & their friends. Cost is \$4 for pizza meal.

TEAR FUND USEFUL GIFTS SHOP

The Tear Fund Useful gift shop is running again and is set up at the back of the church. See Kaye Malcolm to purchase a gift for people in need.

Parish Debt as of November 2019: ~ \$20, 000

Children's Church

Kids At Church for 0-12s meets in the Ark @ 9.30am service for fun Bible teaching, songs, prayer, games and craft. Contact Alison on 0409941120 or alistuart@westnet.com.au

Karrinyup Sunshine Kids Playgroup

Meets Tuesdays during term time from 9.45 - 11.30 am for singing, craft, morning tea, free play and friendship. For more details and to book a place please Contact Louisa on: karrinyupsonshinekids@gmail.com

The Beginnings of Interserve

Many of us have heard about Interserve but I thought it would be interesting to learn more about the organisation and its background. This is what I discovered. The work of Interserve began after it was noted that in 1820, there were less than 400 out of 40 million Indian women, who could read or write. An Interserve founder Lady Mary Kinnaird saw a deep Gospel need in India and a practical answer, women teachers. She stated "*If we can give them the book to read, and the means to read it, God will bless His word.*". In 1852 women from the UK were sent to establish a teacher training school to equip women to teach others how to read and write. By doing this they could share the gospel with the women and reach those living in secluded women's quarters. Despite many set backs and hardships by 1952 the organisation had established many schools, hospitals, and training colleges all over the Indian subcontinent. After which Interserve broaden its ministry to send married couples to serve in local communities. Over the next 50 years various countries that were 'closed' opened up and the organisation was able to expand their ministry further into The Middle East, North Africa, Central Asia, and East Asia. Today they have 800 partners in 30 countries across Asia and the Arab world. Interserve has a characteristic approach to mission that is needs-based, Gospel driven, and relational focused.

Louisa Read

Family Prayer Cycle

Week Commencing 10th November 2019

- Shirley Hobley and family
- Ray and Lynette Hunt and family
- Elaine Jackson and family



This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. 1 John 5:14

Prayer Points

- Prayer of thanks to our Heavenly Father.
- Those or their family members who are ill.
- Thank God for His provisions and pray for all our expenses to be covered.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Write any special prayer request for this week on the back of the yellow 'Welcome Card' in the box at the back of the church and drop it back in.

