GIVING/TITHING AT CBC-

Giving is part of our Christian faith showing our love for Him and an integral part of our ministries to the local community. You can give in 3 different ways:

1. **Direct Deposit**: Account held with Baptist Financial Services Account Name: Carlingford Baptist Church BSB : 704-922, A/C No: 100016526 or



2. **Giveway Link**: scan the QR code or go to

https://carlingford-baptist-church.giveway.org.au/general-offerings 3. Place in the **offering bag** during the service

We are thankful to the following Helpers:

	30 July 2023	6 August 2023
Welcomers	George & Margaret Gourlay	Colin & Patsy Lees
Prayer	Jeremiah Hodgson	Joy Arnold
Bible Reading	Renarta Mathewson	Jan Pittendrigh
Offering Count	Clive Copelin/David Tan	George Gourlay/Peter Jones
Livestream	Don Hunt	Milton Purkiss
Sound	Mark Chan	Tim Ridley
AV	Milton Purkiss	Betty Moore
Morning tea	Footprint Bible Study	George & Deanne Cini
Kids Church	Emma, Jess, Amy	Emma, Julia, Yica
Grounds		



CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER—

This week please pray for:

Brendan & Angie Ridley, Roy & Margaret Robinson, Rosalind Soon

JESUS WELCOMES ALL NATIONS

Welcome to

Carlingford Baptist Church

NEWS — 30 July 2023

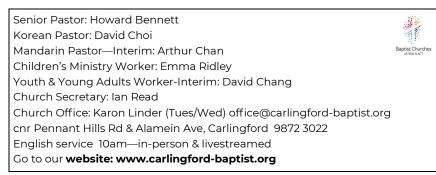
Today we will be hearing from Howard Bennett on 1 Timothy 2.



JULY PRAYER THEME – SERVING GOD

This month our prayer theme is around serving God. In Ephesians 4: 11-13 Paul tells us that Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers,

to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. Romans 12: 9-13 tells us how to serve. It says our love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves. Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervour, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. This week we can pray that God will enable us to serve in the way we are encouraged to do so in Romans.



MISSION SPOT-

Shiva has a disability from injuring his leg as a child. With little options for work, he couriered goods from Nepal to India on a bicycle for an income that barely met his family's needs and caused him pain. He and his wife, Gita, have five children. They were excluded from community life. "If some-



one is getting married, they would not invite people with disability", he said. "They would call us names. Really hurtful names".

Shiva was invited to join our Partner's program for people with disability. Through the group, Shiva received funding to run a general store with Gita. The shop now makes double what Shiva earned as a courier. The shop has also given Shiva a way to be restored with others. "People come here every day and have a really good chat with me," he said. "Due to the project I have more opportunity in. my life".

At his shop, he helps people with disability apply for an ID card so they can access government support and concessions, such as discounted medication. So far, he's helped 125 people make a successful application. His group is also advocating for more employment opportunities for people with disability, and helping people who are vulnerable to network with each other.

Stories of restoration are happening all around the world where our partners are serving. A review of last year:

-**2,857** marginalised people reported greater inclusion in social, political, and economical life, and say they are more included in decisions that effect their wellbeing.



-6,942 marginalised people overcame barriers to gain access to services such as education and income-generating activities.
-237 community structures have changed in their practices, policies and guidelines due to working with/for marginalised people

Karen Read—Mission Team Leader

CBC LOVE FEAST (POTLUCK LUNCH) AFTER OUR SERVICE TODAY



Please bring a plate of food to share.



BaptistCare Gimbawali Collections -6 & 13 August

(This is the new BaptistCare development on Pennant Hills Road.) Help us support some local vulnerable people. Items needed— Soap, Liquid soap, Toothpaste, Shampoo, Conditioner, Dishwashing liquid, Cleaning products, Rice, Pasta, Tinned vegies, Tinned fruit, Tinned tuna etc.

NEWCOMERS LUNCH

On **Sunday 6th August at 12pm**, the Pastoral Carers Team, is hosting a newcomers lunch for anyone who has started attending CBC since 2022. The lunch is an opportunity to meet new



friends, staff and pastoral team members over lunch as well as learn more about the church.

If you would like to attend, please let Howard know by TODAY. (howard@carlingford-baptist.org)

CREATING SAFE SPACES WORKSHOP Saturday 16 September, 9:30am at CBC.

Cost \$25. You will need to complete an online module which costs \$10 prior to coming on the day. To do this go to https://creatingsafespaces.org.au/product-category/course/

