



Goondiwindi Christian Church

A Spirit-Filled, Family Church

1st March 2019

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Hi Church,

Welcome to the March newsletter, I will start with this exciting announcement from Ps Ivan.

You will also find attached a recent email from Katrina Condesse.

May you have a continually blessed month as you encourage one another in Christ and build each other up.

~Sheree



RENOVATIONS – BUILDING FUND OFFERING – 24TH MARCH

It's time for us to begin some renovations to our Church Building.

Some will be to freshen up what we already have, but others will be to accommodate our needs better. We plan to begin with turning the kitchen into a room for Mothers and Babies.



We ask you to prayerfully consider how you can contribute to this offering.
Thank you and God bless you, **Ps Ivan and the Church Board**



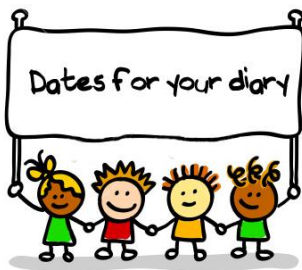
Bible College
study nights :
TUESDAY

5th, 12th, 19th and 26th
7-9pm



Highlighted KEY DATES for March

- 10th Young Adults life group at Cameron & Claire's dinner provided. (See Cam for details)
- 10th – 24th YWAM Team Visiting
- Thursday 14th 9.30am “Mama Reviver” Free Cuppa, come and Rest Revive Survive Motherhood, YWAM hosting a dance party for the kids
- 16th Young Adults get together morning, at Callum and Louise McDonalds. BBQ lunch. (See Cam for details)
- Friday 22nd 10am - Autism Connect group
- Sunday 24th Youth Service
- 24th 1pm Young Adults Connect, Sunday picnic lunch riddle's oval park (See Jono for details)
- Sunday 31st – Ps Lex Deeth from Gideons International will be speaking.



[Please find attached March Calendar](#)
[– scroll down to the calendar image](#)



If you were unable to attend or would like to recap any Sunday service, the audio recordings are available on SoundCloud – you can [CLICK HERE](#) or follow the link below to listen.

<https://www.goondiwindia.org/sermons>

ABOUT US

The Gideons International

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations”... Matthew 28:19

The Gideons International is an Association of Christian business and professional men and their wives dedicated to telling people about Jesus through associating together for service, sharing personal testimony, and by providing Bibles and New Testaments. While we are often recognized for our work with hotels, we also place and distribute Scriptures in strategic locations so they are available to those who want them, as well as to those who may not know they need them.

Sunday 31st –
Ps Lex Deeth

Weekly Prayer Focus Below is our weekly prayer focus roster for March

[Mar 3-9](#) (Toobeah Community)

[Mar 10-16](#) (YWAM missionaries)

[Mar 17-23](#) (Funding for Building renovation)

[Mar 24-30](#) (Prime Minister Scott Morrison)

[Mar 31- Apr 6](#) (Gideons International)

Soul Food to devour this month ..

Ephesians 4:11-13

11 So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, **12** to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up **13** 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.

Email from Katrina →

From: Katrina Condese [mailto:katrinaamery@gmail.com]

Sent: Monday, 25 February 2019 7:04 PM

Hello to our wonderful, family, friends and partners,

It is with joy that I send you this newsletter!! We had a busy December and January was our month to have family holiday and so it's a bit late, but it's our Christmas, end of year, and school bag project newsletter all wrapped up into one!!

2018 was a wonderful year for our family and our ministry, God provided for us to be able to do many new things and we are thankful to all who gave to make it happen!!

News that is not in the Newsletter is that Isac has finally finished his 7 year medicine course, and is now officially a General Practitioner, GP, he still needs to do the national exam to be fully qualified, but this won't happen until May or June, until then he is allowed to work under the supervision of other doctors!!

I am so proud of his achievement, he studied hard and long, it wasn't easy, having 3 young children and a wife made study a challenge, but with God as his strength, Isac has achieved something that few people do. During his study time, he also completed His Masters in Nutrition, and has been able to help a local university by teaching nutrition, 2-3 nights a week when needed!!

Our children have all had Birthdays over the last few months, Gerron turned 6 on the 30/12/18 and Ethan turned 5 on the 31/12/18 and Kaitlin turned 3 on the 2/2/19.

Gerron has started school this year, in Mozambique they don't do Prep, or I think you call it foundations now!! They start school in grade 1, and so Gerron is doing grade 1 at a totally new Christian school, called Beira United, it's a school that aims to have dual language, English and Portuguese, and we felt it was the best choice for us as a family and Gerron is loving everything about school, especially the library where he can borrow a book for a week!!

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Ethan is doing 5 year old pre school at the same place as last year. This is solely Portuguese speaking and it's helping him to establish his second language!!

Kaitlin started 3 year old pre school at the same school as Ethan, and wasn't happy, because she wanted her own school. She has settled down and agreed that she will go to Ethans school, but will not call it her school!!

She is strong willed and has a mind of her own and has given her teachers a taste of who she is!! One day she was put in the naughty corner, and since then every day she tells me, mummy today I wasn't put in the naughty corner, I was a good girl today!!!

This year we have increased the size of our ministry team, we still have Dionisio and Tony who translates the kids programs. Caty Tony's wife has been working two days a week with us since August last year, and this year, Anora who had been working with the children is now working for the ministry, 4 days a week.

Anora lost her husband late last year and has 5 young children to support, so please keep her in your prayers.

We have a busy year planned, and I look forward to keeping in touch with you all. Once again thanks for your love and prayers, we couldn't do what we do without you. We love and pray for you often,

Hope you enjoy the newsletter,

Fly with the eagles,

Katrina



Luke 6:38

Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."



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