



Come to Jesus
Grow in His Grace
Go in His Power
Show His Love

KOORINGAL GUIDE HALL, KOORINGAL RD, WAGGA WAGGA
19th Sunday after Pentecost — 20 October, 2019

In Worship Today:

I CAN RELATE TO THAT:
Bride to a Groom

Readings: Hosea 2:14-20,
John 3:27-30



God has called
Living Water Fellowship

**to be a vibrant Christian
community**

that glorifies God

**by inviting all people to
become disciples of Jesus**

**who grow in his grace and
go in his power**

to show his love to the world

Who to contact ...

Pastor — John Guilfoyle — 6931 5673
(email: jguilfoyle@ozemail.com.au)

Worship — Philippa Prenzler — 6926 2605

Congregational Care — Norma Clark —
6921 3018; Carmel Pearce — 6922 4907

Outreach — Ben Lieschke — 0437 096 291

Fellowship — Liz McConnell

Spiritual Growth —

Steering Team Chair — Sam Lieschke —
0419 475 953

Treasurer/Resource Stewardship —
Pam Krieg — 6931 2003

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ★ **TASTES OF THAILAND** – join us for a fun get together and some tasty Thai food - nibbles, mains, desserts and other sweet treats – there will be something to suit all tastes. Paul Davey will be joining us with trivia and videos through the evening to update us on Compassion's work in Thailand. **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9 AT 6:00PM AT 43 WILLOW TREE PLACE, SPRINGVALE.** Adults \$30, children (12 and under) \$10. Bookings (with money) from Sunday, October 27.
- ★ **COMPASSION ON TOUR – WAGGA WAGGA BAPTIST CHURCH, SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9,** 9.30am -1.00pm. CEO of Compassion, Tim Hanna, will share a reflection of his time with Compassion with local Advocates. Please see Pam Krieg if you are interested.
- ★ **LADIES DON'T FORGET** — our Annual **Fellowship Christmas dinner — Thursday Nov 14th** at Magpies Nest. Please let Pam know if you plan on attending.
- ★ To continue your **REGULAR SUPPORT OF KATE LIESCHKE** in her equipping for mission in Christ's church: Regular monthly contributions: <https://support.afes.org.au/> One-off donation: BPAY Biller Code: 164319 Reference No. 000350552 OR Email SMBC accounts@smbc.edu.au
- ★ **ARE YOU IN NEED OF PRAYER?** Every second Sunday someone will be available to pray with, or for, you following worship.
- ★ **BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE FUND.** A bank account has now been opened for the Fund. For details of the operation of the Fund and deposit details please collect a pamphlet from the table at the rear of the hall.
- ★ **GIVING BY DIRECT DEPOSIT** – a number of people find this an easy way to organise their regular giving. If you wish to organise your weekly offering directly from your bank account, Living Water bank details are BSB: 032-769 Account Number: 551166. Please see Pam or phone on 69312003 if you would like any further information.



COMING WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

27 Oct - I can relate to that:

SLAVE TO A MASTER

Readings: Jn 8:31-36, Jn 15:9-17

3 Nov - Things God never said:

I WON'T GIVE YOU MORE THAN YOU CAN HANDLE

Readings: Jn 8:31-36; 1 Cor 10:13; 2 Cor 1:3-11 & 12:9-10; Ps 61, 34:4-8, 145:18; Jn 15:9-17

10 Nov - Things God never said:

EVERYTHING HAPPENS FOR A REASON (God has a plan)

Readings: Rom 8:28-39; Gen 50:15-20; Jn 11:1-4, 17-27 & 32-44

ROSTERS

27 OCT: *Stewards:* Guttler, Kroker, E.Pitman, L. McConnell; *Communion Servers:* A. Dudley, P. Lieschke; *Tech Assistant:* B. Guilfoyle; *Prayer:* Paul Prenzler; *Reader:* N. Clark

3 Nov: *Stewards:* T & S Wiencke, Fischer, McKenzie; *Communion Servers:* C. Pearce, P. Krieg; *Tech Assistant:* H. Altmann; *Prayer:* Ben Lieschke; *Reader:* G. Krieg

10 Nov: *Stewards:* Prenzler, Haggard, Pearce; *Communion Servers:* G. Guttler, P. Prenzler; *Tech Assistant:* L. Guilfoyle; *Prayer:* Sam Lieschke; *Reader:* J. Saxon

SOMETHING FOR THE BULLETIN? Contact Sue.
Email: sueboissery@ozemail.com.au or phone
6922 4459 or 0417 243 859

Parents are reminded that they are responsible for the supervision of their children before and after church.

We PRAY...

† For those who are sick and in need especially Ira Smith; Monica Schnaars, Gwen Wales, Brett Dudley, Dorothy Fischer, Les Neumann, Daisy & Jim Denton, Kuai Mayen; Therese De Haan, Emilia Lungwitz, Ros Hartwig, Edna Stoll, Erwin Grosse, Matt Inglis, David Mueller, Brian Noller, Richard Noller, Hannah Prenzler, Sharon Reynoldson, Kerrie Hartmann, Debbie Saxon, Ron Sparks, Bob and Sandra Smith.

REMINDERS

- ★ If you have not as yet signed the REGISTER OF MEMBERSHIP and would like to formerly make a commitment to Living Water Fellowship you are welcome to do so.
- ★ If you know of anyone in need of PASTORAL CARE, including HOSPITAL VISITING, please contact Norma Clark or John Guilfoyle. If you are able to provide a ride to worship for someone else, please contact Norma.

OUR CALENDAR

OCTOBER

- * *Care & Share* – 10am Wednesdays at 13 Overdale Dr, Bourkelands.
- * *Caloola Court* — 10.30am Thurs 24 Oct
- * *Outreach with Yazidi Community* — Sat Oct 26 — 6pm Christian College MPC

NOVEMBER

- * *Care & Share* – 10am Wednesdays at 13 Overdale Dr, Bourkelands.
- * *Saintly Sowers* — 10am Fri Nov 1 & 15
- * *Compassion on Tour* — Sat Nov 9 9.30am-1pm, Wagga Baptist Church. See Pam for details.
- * *Thai Tastes of Compassion Dinner* - Sat Nov 9 at Krieg's, Details to come.
- * *Ladies Fellowship* — Christmas Break Up dinner — Thurs Nov 14. Details to follow.
- * *Caloola Court* — 10.30am Thurs 22 Oct

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Offerings Jul-Sept 2019 \$27972

Budget Jul-Sept 2019 \$ 31577

Giving beyond Ourselves:

Asia Focus \$466.10

Kate Lieschke \$922.50

AFES CSU \$502

OUTREACH WITH THE YAZIDI

COMMUNITY of Wagga Wagga

Saturday 26th October

6pm in the Christian College MPC

Magdalena movie

with Kurmanji audio and English subtitles

.... and dinner

For further information please contact

David Ellis at

daveellis@gmail.com



GOD'S DEFINITION OF
WHAT MATTERS IS PRETTY
STRAIGHTFORWARD.
HE MEASURES OUR LIVES
BY HOW WE LOVE.

FRANCIS CHAN



Hosea 2:14-23

¹⁴ **"But then I will win her back once again. I will lead her into the desert and speak tenderly to her there. ¹⁵ I will return her vineyards to her and transform the Valley of Trouble into a gateway of hope. She will give herself to me there, as she did long ago when she was young, when I freed her from her captivity in Egypt. ¹⁶ When that day comes," says the Lord, "you will call me 'my husband' instead of 'my master.' ¹⁷ O Israel, I will wipe the many names of Baal from your lips, and you will never mention them again. ¹⁸ On that day I will make a covenant with all the wild animals and the birds of the sky and the animals that scurry along the ground so they will not harm you. I will remove all weapons of war from the land, all swords and bows, so you can live unafraid in peace and safety. ¹⁹ I will make you my wife forever, showing you righteousness and justice, unending love and compassion. ²⁰ I will be faithful to you and make you mine, and you will finally know me as the Lord. ²¹ "In that day, I will answer," says the Lord. "I will answer the sky as it pleads for clouds. And the sky will answer the earth with rain. ²² Then the earth will answer the thirsty cries of the grain, the grapevines, and the olive trees. And they in turn will answer, 'Jezreel'—'God plants!' ²³ At that time I will plant a crop of Israelites and raise them for myself. I will show love to those I called 'Not loved.' And to those I called 'Not my people,' I will say, 'Now you are my people.' And they will reply, 'You are our God!'" I will remove all weapons of war from the land, all swords and bows, so you can live unafraid in peace and safety. ¹⁹ I will make you my wife forever, showing you righteousness and justice, unending love and compassion. ²⁰ I will be faithful to you and make you mine, and you will finally know me as the Lord. ²¹ "In that day, I will answer," says the Lord. "I will answer the sky as it pleads for clouds. And the sky will answer the earth with rain. ²² Then the earth will answer the thirsty cries of the grain, the grapevines, and the olive trees. And they in turn will answer, 'Jezreel'—'God plants!' ²³ At that time I will plant a crop of Israelites and raise them for myself. I will show love to those I called 'Not loved.' And to those I called 'Not my people,' I will say, 'Now you are my people.' And they will reply, 'You are our God!'"**

John 3:27-30

²⁷ John replied, "No one can receive anything unless God gives it from heaven. ²⁸ You yourselves know how plainly I told you, 'I am not the Messiah. I am only here to prepare the way for him.' ²⁹ It is the bridegroom who marries the bride, and the bridegroom's friend is simply glad to stand with him and hear his vows. Therefore, I am filled with joy at his success. ³⁰ He must become greater and greater, and I must become less and less.