

## Services

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<b>Sunday 8.30am</b>	Holy Communion (traditional)
<b>Sunday 10.30am</b>	All age worship (contemporary service with kids & junior youth programs)
<b>Sunday 6pm</b>	Sunday at Six (for the young and young at heart)
<b>Wednesday 10.30am</b>	Holy Communion and companion time

## Next Week's Sermon

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<b>8.30am</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>6pm</b>
<i>Daniel 8</i>	<i>1 Kings 12:1-15</i>	<i>Proverbs 2:1-15</i>
David Bassett	Simon Jackson	Tim Patrick

## Upcoming Events

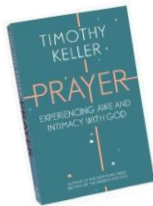
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**City Bible Forum**  
Celebration Dinner  
19 June  
[www.citybibleforum.org](http://www.citybibleforum.org)

**CMS Annual Dinner**  
*Blessed*  
20 or 21 August  
[www.cms.org.au/sant/cmsdinner](http://www.cms.org.au/sant/cmsdinner)

**A Necessary Evil**  
John G. Stackhouse  
7 July

### Book of the Term



## Partner Churches

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**St Bartholomew's Norwood**  
77 Beulah Rd Norwood

### Grace Anglican Network Office

**146 Kensington Rd Marryatville**  
Office Hours: Mon– Thurs 9am – 12pm

**Grace Church Trinity Gardens**  
Trinity Gardens Bowling Club  
Canterbury Ave Trinity Gardens

**Giving Electronically to St Matt's**  
**BSB:** 105 073

**Account No:** 286 016 304  
If you require a reference we recommend using your surname.



## “You're welcome!”

31 May 2015

Our church network exists for two reasons; *to know Jesus* and *to make Jesus known*, all for the glory of God! If you're an ordinary follower of Jesus you've been welcomed into God's family by His extraordinary grace and we want others to know and experience that same grace. People will meet Jesus through His word and through His people – even YOU! So let's be a welcoming church. Here are **seven** ways you can welcome people – starting today!

1. **“It's great to have you here.”** It's just that basic. I have heard from numerous church guests who returned because they were simply told this.
2. **“Let me help you with that.”** If you see someone struggling with umbrellas, young children, nappy bags, and other items, a gesture to hold something for them is hugely positive. [Of course, this comment is appropriate for member to member as well!]
3. **“Please take my seat.”** I know, fancy being willing to give up your seat! It's just the kind thing to do.
4. **“Here's my email address/phone number, let me know if I can help in any way.”** This comment must be used with discretion, but it can be a hugely positive message to a guest.
5. **“Can I show you where you need to go?”** Even in smaller churches, guests will not know where to find the crèche, bathrooms, morning tea, and Info Central. You can usually tell when a guest does not know where he or she is to go.
6. **“Let me introduce you to \_\_\_\_\_.”** A church member may have the opportunity to introduce the guest to the pastor, other church staff, and other members of the church. Church is about people after all!
7. **“Would you like to join us for lunch?”** The burden of this should not be great but the impact huge. Keep the food simple and connection profound!

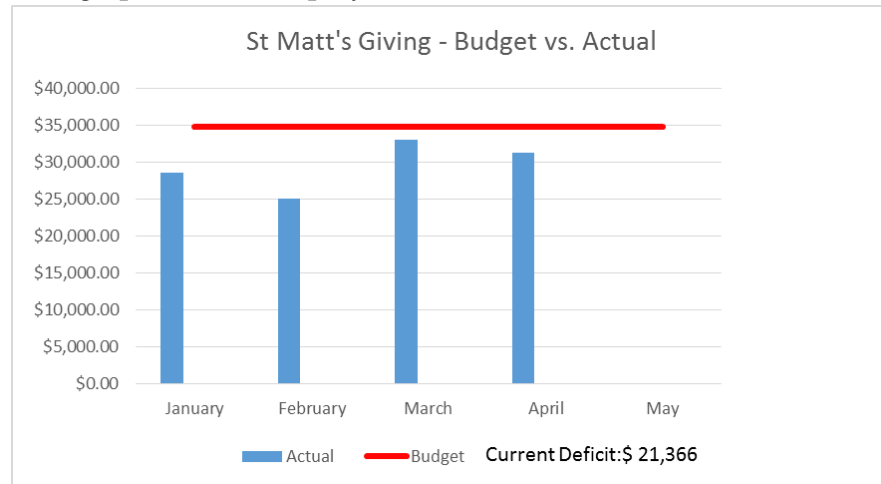
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Keep trusting Jesus,

Jacko (Senior Associate Pastor)



## Giving Update - Please pray that God will enable us to achieve our needs



## Prayer Points

**Special Needs:** Joy Blanch, Judy & Ian Black, Wilma Taylor & Roger Goldsworthy

**Ministry team and families:**

David, Susan, Thomas & Elise Bassett (Senior Minister)	Simon, Adele, Stella & Sebastian Jackson (Senior Associate)
Sam, Hannah, Sophia, Elias, Joseph & Raphael Bleby (Grace Church Minister)	Greg, Sum, Isaac & Avalon Lock (Youth Minister)
Ian & Jan Bruce (Wednesday Service)	John, Belinda, Caleb, Xavier & Emmanuelle Miller (St Bart's Minister)
Shane and Caitlin Ellery (SAS trainer)	Peter Sage (St Bart's one-to-one Men's minister)
Danielle, Stephen, Terrence & Madeleine Ho (St Bart's Children's Minister)	Rossie & Nick Smart (St Matthew's Homes Visitor)
Becky Hams (Office Administrator)	Andy & Rachel Stevens (GAN accountant)

## Prayer focus: 10.30am

### Praise God for:

- His faithfulness, steadfast love and mercy
- The kids who are part of our church family
- Those who lead our 10.30am Kid's programs

### Pray for:

- Revival in Adelaide – that God would pour out his life giving Spirit on dead souls
- Unity at the 10.30am gathering – that we'd bear with one another in love and keep encouraging one another
- Opportunities to share the love of Jesus in word and deed with our neighbours, colleagues and friends
- Your heart. That God would work in your heart to make you more like Jesus

## Community Notices

### Knitting for Nepal

Knitted beanies, scarfs and jumpers up to size 4 would be warmly welcome. Or donations of wool (5 or 8 ply) for Sew-and-Chat to knit with. Our contributions will be taken to Nepal early August. For information contact Zelda 8332 1646

### BCA Bush Tubs – St Matt's

Support BCA by buying a tub or two of treats for \$5 a tub (please place money in blue box).

If you would like to support BCA through having a donation box please contact Stephanie James or the office.

### Combined Churches Prayer Breakfast

The next prayer breakfast will be held at St Matt's 6 June from 7.30-9am. Come to pray for the revival of the churches in the Eastern suburbs and to transform our Nation.

### Roast lunch

The next roast lunch at St Matt's will be on the 14<sup>th</sup> June. \$5pp or \$15 per family. Please place your name on the sheet on the notice board if you will be attending. All members and visitors of the Grace Anglican Network welcome.



### Keith Green Event

Keep the date free  
St Matt's Sat June 20 4pm  
Details next week

### City Bible Forum



Be encouraged by what God is doing through our partner organisation and be inspired by Sam Chan. Friday 19 June 6-9pm. Make up a table of 10 or join a table organised by Grace Network office. To join our table contact the office. \$45/pp or \$40/pp in a table of 10.

### St Matt's Working Bee

8.30am-12.30pm Saturday 20 June. All welcome. Plenty to do.  
Contact: Simon Jackson 0402 109 827

### Ambassadors Soccer Camp 2015

Marryatville Primary, July 14-17. For ages 7-12. Register at [www.soccercamps.org.au](http://www.soccercamps.org.au)  
Contact: Simon Jackson 0402 109 827

### A Necessary Evil

*Do we truly want a world without evil?*  
Tuesday 7 July 7-9pm Elder Hall.  
Organised by City Bible Forum & Tabor Adelaide. Professor John G. Stackhouse – international scholar and public communicator. A great event to bring your non-church friends to. Plan to come, invite some friends, get your tickets through Grace Anglican Network office. \$20 when booking through office.