

Melbourne Chinese Baptist Church

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Knowing Who We Are in Christ

CrossGen Service Bulletin

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Sunday, 15th December 2024. 9:30AM

Light of the World

John 1:9-18

No one has ever seen God; the only God, who is at the Father's side, he has made him known. V18

Welcome to English Service

Service will be **live-streamed** at <https://crossgen.online.church/>.

We're glad you could join us and hope you'll be blessed during your time with us today. Please get in touch if you have any questions or comments, or if you'd like a chat or a prayer.

Our **service order** for today:

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| 1. Welcome | 4. Kid's Time | 7. Singing |
| 2. Singing | 5. Bible Reading | 8. Benediction |
| 3. Church News | 6. Bible Talk | 9. Prayer |

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Announcements

- **Welcome to English Service!** We're getting closer to Christmas! Today we'll be starting our short Christmas series, looking at the significance of the coming of Jesus Christ. We'll start today with John 1:9-18. Next week: Philippians 2:5-11.
- S4C is on break for DEC and JAN. We'll have our **Kids in Church** for these 2 months. Please make an effort to welcome them! We'd love your help with kids ministry and supervision during Sunday church. Please let us know if you can help. mcbc.link/summerkids
- **Morning Tea Ministry** is taking a break 15/12-2/2. It will resume 9/2.
- Ps Richard will be on leave 16-22 December 2024.
- **MCBC Christmas 2024**
 - Chinese Combined Carols: 21st December
 - **Christmas Day Service and Lunch:** 25th December, 10:30am.
Signing up will help us plan. mcbc.link/lunch
- **Please choose the front and centre seats** as much as possible. This will help others find a seat as they arrive and minimise distractions once our service starts.
- There is a **new prayer newsletter out each month**. September: mcbc.link/ep
- **Please keep our carpark free for seniors & families** with young children. **Register** with our church office to use the car park. Please **avoid parking on Highbury** Grove.
- **News, reminders, updates and prayer point** online.
Facebook <http://bit.ly/mcbcbfb> | WhatsApp <http://bit.ly/mcbcwhatsapp>
Prayer List mcbc.link/ep Google Calendar mcbc.link/ecal

Prayer

- Praise God for the gift of his son Jesus. Ask that our appreciation of his coming would be renewed and refreshed this Christmas period. Pray that we would not be distracted from the true meaning and significance of Christmas by our busyness, and that we would not be dismissive or apathetic to Christmas due to over-familiarity.
- Pray for Rhys Kuah who will be preaching next Sunday. Pray for clarity and focus in his preparation; prayerful dependence on God at times of stress, nervousness, and anxiety; and faithfulness to God's word his speaking.

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