

Melbourne Chinese Baptist Church

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Loving Our Neighbour

# CrossGen Service Bulletin

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Sunday, 28th August, 2022. 9:30AM

## Rewards and Treasures

Matthew 6:16-24

*No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money. Matthew 6:24*

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

## Happy Fathers' Day!

**WELCOME** to our church service! 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     | 5. Fathers' Day  | 8. Singing     |
| 2. Singing     | Presentation     | 9. Benediction |
| 3. Church News | 6. Bible Reading |                |
| 4. Prayer      | 7. Bible Talk    |                |

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## Announcements

- **Welcome to CrossGen and Happy Fathers' Day!** We'll have a special presentation during our service today, and there is a small gift for fathers in attendance.
- Join us for a **hot drink before and after our church service** (9:15-9:30; 10:45-11:30). Please bring and use re-usable cups if possible.
- We're still **asking that masks are worn by all while at church** for the safety and peace of mind of all who attend. Thanks for your co-operation.
- We're continuing in **Jesus' Sermon on the Mount** today, and we'll be thinking about what Jesus has to say about "Rewards and Treasures".
- **Church Combined Communion Anniversary Thanksgiving Service, 11 September 2022 at 10am.** There will only be a Thanksgiving Offering taken on that day. Members are asked to prepare ahead of time, and donate using our dedicated Thanksgiving Account if giving electronically. **BSB 704-922, Account 100011838** (please incl. thanksgiving in description).
- There will be an online **Spur Info Night: 7:30 – 8:30pm, Thu 8 September 2022.** Zoom link: [bit.ly/spurzoom](http://bit.ly/spurzoom).
- Members should have received an email with the meeting agenda.
- Please be praying for our CrossGen Ministry Leaders as we discuss and put together a **ministry vision for our congregation.** We'd love your input regarding how we're going and how you'd like to see our church grow in faith and service.
- **Please keep our carpark free for seniors and families** with young children. Those who wish to use the carpark are required to **register** their details with our church office ([mcbbc@mcbbc.org.au](mailto:mcbbc@mcbbc.org.au)). Please **avoid parking on Highbury Grove.**
- We'd love for everyone to **keep in touch!** You can consider joining our Facebook Group or WhatsApp Group for **news, updates and relevant COVID notices.**  
Facebook <http://bit.ly/mcbbcfb> | WhatsApp <http://bit.ly/mcbcwhatsapp>

## Questions for Reflection and Discussion

- What has your experience with fasting been? How did it impact you spiritually?
- What does the way you use your money reveal about your priorities? How can faithfulness or faithlessness be seen in our spending and financial statements? What might a stranger conclude about your priorities if they could only look at your spending?
- Why might our demographic be in particular danger when it comes to treasures on earth?

**Offering & Donations:** You can use the following details to support the work of MCBC.

Melbourne Chinese Baptist Church. BSB: 704-922. General: 10001 1587, Mission: 10001 4216, Building: 10001 2903

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