

**ROSTERS: TODAY 31<sup>st</sup> December**

Communion	Welcoming:	Stewards:	Morning Tea:	Offering Count:	Mowing:
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**ROSTERS: NEXT WEEK 7<sup>th</sup> January**

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**Direct Debit Giving**  
 Baptist Investments & Finance Ltd  
 Pakenham Baptist Church

**General Fund:**  
 BSB - 704 922  
 A/C - 100005120

**Property Loan details**  
 BSB - 704922  
 A/C - 100013899

Please include a reference if the deposit is for something specific.

**Elders:**  
 Dennis Graetz  
 Richard Thurrowgood  
 Boe Waterhouse

**Our Vision is: To see every person, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, grow in Christ-like character. To see every person's gifts, ministries and callings identified, endorsed and fully pursued. To see every person's daily sphere of influence recognised as a very important ministry of the church. To foster a vision in each person for the proclamation of the gospel and the extension of God's kingdom.**



**Senior Pastor Darryl Kilker**  
**A better Future. Genesis 35:1-15**

**10am Service 31<sup>st</sup> December 2017**

Are New Year resolutions pleasing to God? Other than impetuous whims, real intent to improve life is always God honouring year round.

\*Nothing is wrong with each of us wanting to be more healthy, organised and positive. In fact the very drive of reaching others and influencing those around us begins with how we do life.

\*If by God's help and by His Spirit we form better habits we not only improve our lives but are able to give much more richly to our families and community. Our expanse of service and wonderful impact expands beyond boundaries we normally stick to at present. And even more, healthy mental, emotional and physical disciplines can empower us to form better habits that on flow to a higher quality of life. With heavenly standards we stay balanced and do not make worldly disciplines a religion (as some do).

\*When we are able to help, love, show compassion, mercy in greater capacities than before; we are improving life for us and those around us for the Kingdom. We become in our efforts examples from heaven to so many that need to experience a taste of heaven. This is of course not perfection that I'm talking about but Christian love, joy, peace and kindness overflowing from our lives. Positively displaying these characteristics before our spouse, children, grandchildren, family, friends, work mates, school mates and others. Truly this must bring a smile from heaven, and pleases God. May God bless you richly throughout 2018.

**Welcome to our Worship Service this morning.**

We pray you will be blessed and encouraged as you worship with us.

Please stay and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee after the service.

Whether you're just visiting or looking to stay, it is great to have you with us.

Please fill out a Visitor's card before you leave.

Our church website has details of programs run by the church and podcasts of recent sermons.  
[pakenhambaptistchurch.org](http://pakenhambaptistchurch.org)

Prayer is available after the service at the front of the worship centre.

Prayer request slips are available in the foyer. Completed forms can be placed in the box available in the foyer or in the offering bag.

Pray with us: Sundays at 8:30am and Thursdays at 6pm.

### Regular Activities

Usually run during school term.

### **Pakenham Praise**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

5:00pm.- 6:pm.

Tuesday & Wednesday Mornings:  
**Playgroup**

Coffee and chat for ladies  
**Wednesday at 10 am at the church**

Fridays 9:30 – 11:30am: **Make & Mingle**

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month: **Men's Breakfast**

### **Bible Study and Life Groups**

There are various groups run throughout the week.

For more information please see the notice board in the foyer or visit our website or contact

Don and Pam Garcia  
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## Children & Youth Training Day

Pakenham Baptist Church

**Saturday**

**3 February 2018**

**9 am**



*Including morning tea & lunch*

**RSVP: for catering – Church Secretary by 26.01.18**

*Worship*  
**MINISTRY**  
Training Day

**Saturday**

**10 February 2018**

**9 am**

*Including morning tea & lunch*

**RSVP: for catering – Church Secretary by 04.02.18**



Please remember to tithe during the Summer break to ensure we maintain budget. Thank you.



*Each person should do as he has decided in his heart – not reluctantly or out of necessity, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Corinthians 9:7*

