



# Eastside Baptist

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## LEADERSHIP TEAM:

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Chairman/Treasurer Bruce McDonald: 027 320 0290

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## Other roles:

Privacy Officer: Lana McMillan

Children's team: Bruce, Hayden, Shana

Child Protection Officer: Libby Wilson

Older children's team: Jackie, Byron, Musa

## 29 March 2026

*Welcome to Eastside Baptist Church*  
*Nau mai haere mai ki te Hāhi Iriiri o Eastside*  
 이스트사이드 침례교회에 오신 것을 환영합니다  
*Karibu Kanisani Baptist wa Eastside*  
*Murakaza neza muri Kiliziya Gatorika ya Eastside*  
*Bem-vindo à Igreja Batista Eastside*  
 ఈస్ట్ సైడ్ బాప్టిస్ట్ చర్చ్ కు స్వాగతం  
*Maligayang pagdating sa Eastside Baptist Church*

### Vision statement for 2026

From the internal work of resilience, strength building, contentment, working against weariness comes the external work of sacrifice

<b>ROSTER:</b>	29th	3 <sup>rd</sup> <b>Good Friday</b>	12 <sup>th</sup> April
<b>SERVICE leader</b>	Bruce	Chris	Lana
<b>COMMUNION</b>			
<b>KITCHEN LEADER</b>	Gloria	Leica	Laurel
<b>KITCHEN HELPER</b>	F/G	H-L	N-P
<b>GREETERS</b>	Laurel	Shana	Leica
<b>VAN</b>	Patience	Jamie	Dennis
<b>WORSHIP LEADER</b>	Eliyah	Eliya	Libby
<b>SOUND DESK</b>	Ngairie	Cecil	Ngairie
<b>MEDIA DESK</b>	Mike	Mike	Lana
<b>PREACHING</b>	Chris	Chris	Maurice

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## What's on this week at Eastside

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Today 29 <sup>th</sup>	Palm Sunday with shared lunch	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Funeral Enoch Crawley here
	11am	Gardening
	6pm	Home group @ church
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	7pm	Bible study
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup>	6.30am	Mens coffee @ McDonalds South city
	10am	Coffee morning
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	midday	Prayer at 61 Sydney St
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.30am	Good Friday Service
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Seventh Day Adventist church using our building
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Easter Sunday service @ Central Baptist Church

BRING A PLATE OF FOOD TO SHARE this Sunday



### Services over Easter

We are holding the Good Friday service at our church at the usual 10.30am. People from Central Baptist will be joining us.

On Easter Sunday, we are going to Central Baptist in Deveron St (near SIT) to join in their service at 10am. Note the earlier time.

### Verse for today

#### Philippians 2:5

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness.

### Home wanted

Don Barham is moving out of Rowena Jackson village and needs a home to move into.

### Children's program during the worship service

Can children please sit with their parents during the time they are in the service.

One parent each week will go out with the teachers and kids during the Sunday School.

Misbehaving children there will be sent back to sit with their parents – sounds tough but misbehaviour is affecting the learning of the other children.

Je, watoto wanaweza kuketi na wazazi wao wakati wako kwenye huduma. Mzazi mmoja kila wiki atatoka na walimu na watoto wakati wa Shule ya Jumapili. Watoto wenye tabia mbaya huko watarudishwa kukaa na wazazi wao - inaonekana kuwa ngumu lakini tabia mbaya inaathiri ujifunzaji wa watoto wengine.

**Van Ride.** The driver will contact you by WhatsApp on Saturday. Please reply if you want a ride to church and **be ready to be picked up at 9.45am** when the van stops outside your house.

Dereva atawasiliana nawe kwa WhatsApp siku ya Jumamosi. Tafadhali jibu ikiwa unataka usafiri kwenda kanisani na uwe tayari kuchukuliwa saa 9.45 asubuhi wakati gari linasimama nje ya nyumba yako.

**If you would like prayer:** Chris, Karlene and the leadership are available or send a message via our WhatsApp or write to us on the newsletter insert. We have a confidential group of pray-ers who can intercede for specific needs.

### **Give thanks for the fruit trees donated to our community garden by Big Easy Tree Company.**

We have been donated 3 large fruit trees – a plum, a cherry and an apple.

Thank you for your generosity. The other community garden run by Central Baptist also received 3 trees.



### **Prayer for the world from Arotahi**

God.

Today we pray for our world,  
where it groans and aches with conflict.

Hear our prayers for peace,  
and our longing for justice.  
For those who lead, shift their eyes towards your ways.  
And for those who feel the brunt of pain, your comfort and grace.

For you are the hope of all nations,  
the one who renews and breathes life into fragile bones.  
Amen

**Tithes and Offerings:** This church is funded solely by people attending the church so could you prayerfully consider how you can support the work of the church please by a regular donation, offering or tithe. Bank account 060925 0116320-00 or place your offering in the container inside the door of the auditorium Kanisa hili linafadhiliwa tu na watu wanaohudhuria kanisani kwa hivyo unaweza kufikiria kwa maombi jinsi unavyoweza kusaaidia kazi ya kanisa tafadhali kwa mchango wa kawaida, sadaka au zaka. Akaunti ya benki 060925 0116320-00 au weka toleo lako kwenye chombo ndani ya mlango wa ukumbi

### **What is Easter?**

Easter is one of the central holidays, or Holy Days, of Christianity. It honours the Resurrection of Jesus three days after His death by crucifixion. For many Christian churches, Easter is the joyful conclusion to the Lenten season of devoted prayer, fasting, and penitence. It is the most important celebration in the Christian calendar. It is when Christians glorify and give thanks for the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. After His crucifixion, death, and burial, Christ rose from the grave three days later. By this, He conquered death and redeemed us from sin.

