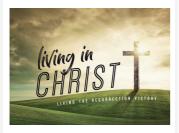


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TODAY'S READING Revelation 1:4-8, 17-18

If you are visiting with us, we extend a special welcome to you and invite you to stay for morning tea with us after the service. Welcome to LifeWay. We are overjoyed that you are here with us LifeWay. We are thrilled to have you here with us, whether you are a visitor, checking us out to see if this is the Church for you, with family or friends, or are a regular. Here at LifeWay, we are on a journey as God calls us to be a people God who are living, sharing and growing in his resurrection victory. Wherever you are at, we would love to walk with you in the next stage of your journey. Please fill in a visitor card at the door with your details and leave it with the ushers or on your seat– we would love to keep in contact with you and acknowledge your time with us today.

Easter is over. So what? What's changed? Is there a new spring in your step? Is your life different? When the reality of life sets in, how is Jesus' resurrection victory transforming your every day life? These are the questions we will tackle over the next seven weeks as we open up the book of Revelation and step into the very throne room of heaven. For the resurrection is an ongoing victory that makes a daily difference. As we let God's vision and reality take hold of us, new and imaginative vistas of discipleship and worship burst on to our horizon, filling us with a strength, courage and faithfulness to persevere and endure. even when life is tough. Join us in discovering the beauty of a God who is at work and in control of this world, his Church, and your life. For he is 'Making All things New'. Today we discover the key to that newness: Living in Christ

> LIVING Jesus' love His hope with all GROWING in grace together

gathering

An new worship opportunity begins today Sunday 28th April at 11.30am. Join us for a different style of service and stay for fellowship and talk over lunch.

Cambodia Fundraising Update



Can't come to Cambodia? You can still support the team of 9 heading over to Cambodia in July. We need to raise \$5000 towards the projects that we will be undertaking. As of recently, we are building two homes for very poor families – one widowed lady with five children and a grandchild in Beak Peang Village, 8km from Tang Krang Village where we will also build a house for a family of five. We will also be extending the kids learning area so the rain doesn't get them wet. If you can help, please put your donation in an envelope in the offering plate marked Cambodia or do an NPP payment to finance@lifeway.net.au and mark Cambodia in the reference field.

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Can't get to the service? Stuck in bed with a cold but still want to join in worship?

You can. Starting very soon, the services at Epping will be streamed via Facebook Live every week. They will also be uploaded to the web and app following the service so you can watch at your convenience. There is a countdown clock on the webpage that will have a link that you can click on to join the service.

PRAYER REQUESTS?

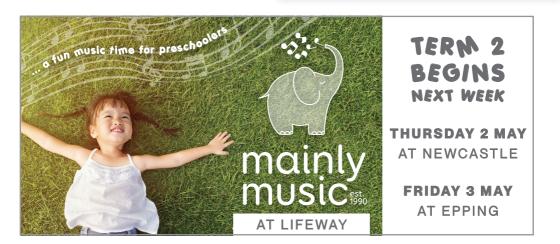
Did you know that you can submit prayer requests on our app that you would like a team of intercessors or the whole community to pray for? Simply go to the 'Prayer Requests' tab and fill in the details. We would also love to hear God's answers to your prayers.

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Risen Lord Jesus Christ, you are the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end, and the resurrection and the life for all who put their trust in him. Raise us up from the death that comes with sin, and give us the new life of faith in Christ, so that we may always live to please you and remain faithful to the calling you have given to us. We ask this through your Son. Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WE PRAY...

- For all Christians, that Jesus would break through our fearful and doubting hearts and move us to unyielding faith in him as our Risen and victorious one.
- That the Lord would break through all stubborn and unbelieving hearts with his grace.
- For hearts that are so filled with resurrection victory that the joy becomes infectious in the lives of others.
- For the Gathering as it begins this morning that God would use that to draw more and more into his holy presence and a life of blessing.
- For those who suffer from stress, uncertainty, mental health, despair or confusion, that they may know the peace of Jesus which passes all understanding.
- For our Government as it launches into election mode, that they would act with integrity and in the interests of all, especially the marginalised and the vulnerable.
- For God to make all things new for those who are sick or in need of healing, especially Jenny Schneider, Emily Cooke, Gordon Mangelsdorf, Hedi Krause, erna Kutas, Audrey and John Scarce.





Woo Hoo! LifeWay's new website is now live – go to **www.lifeway.net.au** and see it for yourselves. For those on Social Media, don't forget to like the new website so we can get the message out! Please note, that all the information on the website is also available for easy access on the App.

FINDING THE BULLETIN ON OUR WEBSITE AND APP The bulletin is located under the sermon for the week.

On the website simply click 'sermons' and then the date you are after. On the left hand side will be a link to download all the resources for that week, including the Bulletin, Living Out Loud and LifeGroup Guide. You can follow the same process on the App. Once you are on sermon page for the week you are after, scroll down to the bottom of the page and the bulletin will be under 'files' (just click 'show').



Did you know you can keep in contact with all that's happening at LifeWay via our App?

Download/install the 'container' app 'Church Central' (Android) from Google Play or 'Church Central Australia' (iOS) from the App Store.

Open the app & click 'Find a Church'. Scroll down and select LifeWay and 'yes' add as favourite.

Enjoy all the great features...

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Stay up to date with news, daily Bible readings, family devotional material, LifeGroup Guides, sermons and much

more. Video podcasts of sermons will be added in the near future.



NEXT WEEK SUNDAY 5 MAY



Epping 9.30am with H.C. Epping 11.30am the Gathering Newcastle 9.30am with H.C.

> READING Revelation 2 & 3

An interim roster for Epping is now available. Please collect your copy. We are still in the process of transferring rosters to a new system on My LifeWay.

SERVING...

EPPING

Reading	Tessa Rawolle
Prayers	Daina Lee
НС	Michelle Shepherd Selwyn Weiss
Ushers	Kylie Schuller, Alex Witt
Morning Tea	Peta & Manfred Borchert, Anne Scheetz
Flowers	Diane Bertelsmeier
Data	Horatio Weiss
Music	Band 1
Sound	Rod Witt



A new roster for Newcastle is being compiled. If you are able to help with any serving duties over the coming weeks, please speak to Sabina Pichler.