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are we deluded?

Come and hear the facts about Jesus, the Bible, and Christianity
Six Wednesday Nights, starting 29th February

Today's mission focus - Nepal



Welcome

Visiting? New? We're so glad you're here today. If you'd like to join us regularly, please complete our contact card.

Introduction to the Bible—continues this Wednesday at Tewantin at 7pm. A great overview of how the Bible came together and a helpful outline of both Old and New Testaments.

Family Church—resumes today at 4.30pm. Please join us and support the team.

Wednesday services and mid-week prayer—between now and Easter— Communion at 8am, Evening prayer at 5pm at Tewantin. Come pray with us.

Wonderful concert—18th Feb-



ruary at St Mary's— 7pm. Tickets are \$30, \$25 for seniors, \$25 for students. Available at the door from 6pm. Posters available for you to take today. Please promote!

Annual Meeting—at Tewantin on Saturday 25th February at 3pm. With four people not continuing on parish council, we need new people willing to serve. Nomination forms out now. Please use today!

Are your details in the Church Directory? Please could you take time to check— if we don't have up-to-date details we can't contact you, you are not considered to be on the Church Roll and you won't be able to vote at the Annual Meeting. Please especially check that we have your correct email address. Notification of Change forms are at the Welcome Desk.

Shrove Tuesday—join us for pancakes at Tewantin on Tuesday 21st February from 6pm.

Ash Wednesday services: 8am at Tewantin, 5pm at Sunshine Beach, Wed 22nd February.

Lenten studies programme—begins at Tewantin at 7pm, Wednesday 29th February. Under the heading "Are we deluded?" we will explore why the Christian faith has great historical credibility. We will ask such questions as "Aren't all religions the same?"; "Why take the Bible seriously?" and "Is Jesus a real figure of history?". This year the studies will be from 7-8pm, include a presentation from a guest speaker or from Mark and Adam, and welcome questions from the floor. (No discussion groups this year.) The talks aim to do two things—to give Christians greater confidence in all we believe but also provide a defence of our faith to those who are not yet Christians. Who could you invite along?

The Annual World Day of Prayer— we are hosting this at St Mary's on March 2nd at 10 am. Phone Sue Scott on 0424338272 for more information or to help in any way.

Members of Noosa MU are reminded that the first meeting for the year will be held at St Mary's on Fri 10 Feb at 9.30am. New members always welcome. Contact Jan Marsh on 5449 0596

MIX & MATCH Group supporting the Noosa Schools Chaplaincy programme will start its 16th year with an ARMCHAIR SPORTS theme, at 43A Tait Street Tewantin on Tues 7th Feb at 2.00pm. Thank you for last years donations of \$3424.45. Contact Jan Marsh on 5449 0596.

SIX.THREE.OH starts again on Sunday 12th February—Sundays at 6.30pm, Tewantin.

Sermon

Mark 6

Isn't this the carpenter?

Recap on Chapter 5

Amazing **deeds** which teach us about the Kingdom Jesus has been announcing

Chapter 6

A case of mistaken identity?

a) Carpenter? (6:1-13)

...Offended

b) John the Baptist? (6:14-29)

...Threatened

c) A Ghost? (6:30-56)

...Confused

Who do you say Jesus is?

Please Pray

Pray for those unwell at present – for Patsy Chapman, Ivor Burnell-Jones, Wendy Channing Pearce. Pray for Gwen Cichero in her sadness.

For small groups – thank the Lord for two new groups and pray for them as they begin again and as we promote them.

For the introduction to the Bible series – starting tonight – that all who come

will love learning about the Bible, its background and outline.

For our Lenten studies 'Are we deluded?' – pray that Christians will be encouraged and non-Christians challenged by the clear historical foundation of all we believe and that it will make our celebration of Easter all the more real.

For our Mark sermon series – pray that we will all gain a clearer understanding of the Gospel and our Lord Jesus

and come to love him all the more.

For our church annual meeting – that the Lord will oversee the elections so that wonderful people are appointed to serve us. Pray that the meeting will cause us to rejoice in God's kindness and grace and fill us with anticipation and excitement about the new year.

Pray for **Ken and Judy and Sam Chapman** as they spend precious family time together.

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Sunday services

Sunshine Beach

7.30am

Holy Communion: traditional

4.30pm

Family church: come as are you are

Tewantin

9.15 for 9.30am start

Contemporary service
with children's ministry

Bible readings

Today—5th after Epiphany

Isaiah 40:21-31 (7.30am only)

Psalm 147:1-11 (7.30am only)

1 Corinthians 9:16-23

Mark 6

Next Sunday—6th after Epiphany

2 Kings 5:1-14 (7.30am only)

Psalm 30 (7.30am only)

1 Corinthians 9:24-27

Mark 7

For more information contact the church office during office hours, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9am-2.30pm.

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