

May 2016

## A Message from Our Pastor

### UPCOMING EVENTS FOR MAY 2016

### 12 Tips For Christian Couples Who Want A Happy Marriage – Part 1

#### **1. Try to avoid eating at restaurants as often as you can.**

The cumulative cost of eating out all the time is astronomical and will always blow out your budget. Worries and arguments about money are one of the greatest causes for marital strife. It's also unhealthy. Buy economical groceries once a week and prepare food. Speaking of budgets, work out a budget and stick to it. Doing so will help you to avoid a lifetime of arguments. Simply spending till you don't have any more money or credit to spend will inevitably make your life and your marriage a mess.

#### **2. Eat your meals together as a family at a table and not in front of the television.**

Use the time together for discussion and finding out how people are doing. Nothing knits a family together more closely than regular good and edifying conversation.

#### **3. Make sure you are doing family worship (devotions) together every day.**

Try to attach it to another thing you do habitually like eating. All you really have to do is read the bible, or devotional material based on the bible and pray together. Get your kids used to this habit. They learn both the importance and manner of worshipping God in the home from their parents, not at church.

#### **4. Make the Lord's Day a day for rest and worship, not work or frenzied recreation.**

Spend that day together as a family in bible study, in church, in reading and meditating and resting. Don't destroy the peace and spiritual growth that comes from a godly Sunday by "planning" all sorts of activities or going out.

#### **5. Here are a few simple rules for friendships.**

Hang out with people who are good influences, who strengthen your marriage and your faith, rather than pulling both down. Also, never take "relationship" advice, especially when it goes against the desires of your spouse, from people who have failed to keep their own marriages and relationships together. The same goes for parenting – listen to the people who have raised children you'd be happy to have as your own children. Oh, and people of the opposite sex should never be your "best friends."

God Bless

Pastor Nathan Henderson

7<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> – Summit Conference

15<sup>th</sup> – Meal Fundraiser

28<sup>th</sup> – Children's Church BBQ

#### Regular Events:

Sunday Morning Service – 10am

Sunday Night Service – 6.30pm

Wednesday Night Service – 7pm

Saturday Morning Prayer – 8am

Connect Groups

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## Praise Report

### 2016 Regional Youth Camp



Our IMPACT youth group have recently returned home from the regional camp. Regional Youth Camp occurs every second year.

We were truly blessed to have brother Greg Willmott minister to us over the weekend, as he was used in a mighty way as a vessel for the Lord to speak to the very hearts of the North Queensland youth groups.

A mighty move of God's spirit was there and young Kalan received the gift of the Holy Spirit, and many lives were transformed and will never be the same again because of this beautifully blessed time. Praise be to God!

It's truly an honour to be a youth leader for this fine young group of people that God has called to his flock.

God bless you all

Bro Michael Travers

## Aunt Marg's Kitchen

### Mars Bar Rocky Road

Serves 8

- \* 400g Milk or Dark chocolate, broken & melted
- \* 150g Marshmallows
- \* 150g Raspberry Lollies
- \* 2 Mars Bars 120g, roughly chopped

Optional: Mix 1 tbsp Organic Coconut Oil into the melted chocolate.

Note: I was lucky enough to have a packet of macadamia nuts in the cupboard and they kept begging me to mix them in with the chocolate and marshmallows. So I did!

Variations: You can use bounty bars or snickers bars, even violet crumbles, it's up to YOU!

Line a 30 x 20cm (12 x 8 inch) baking tray with baking/parchment paper. In a large microwave bowl, melt the broken chocolate in 30 second increments, stirring after each time until nice and smooth. Let cool slightly before adding the remaining 3 ingredients, stir to coat. Pour mixture into the baking tray and refrigerate for 40 minutes or until set. Cut into squares to serve.

**Townsville Pentecostal Church is moving forward, so is our newsletter. For that reason, we invite you to contribute, for bigger and better newsletter.**



### Your Two Bob's Worth

We are looking for testimonies, jokes (must be clean), recipes, point of view and anything else that you might think we can publish on the newsletter. If you have anything you would like to share, please don't hesitate to submit your 'two bob's worth' to Sis Marlyn.

We appreciate your input.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
25	26	7:00pm Mid Week Service 27	28	29	30	1	
				Regional Youth Camp at Millaa Millaa	8:00am Prayer Service @ the Regional Youth Camp at Millaa Millaa Hall	10:00am Main service 6:30pm Night Service 30/30 Prayer and Fast concludes Regional Youth Camp at Millaa Millaa	
6:30pm Bible College See Bro Brian Regional Youth Camp at Millaa Millaa	2	7:00pm Mid Week Service 3	4	7:00pm Music Connect group @ The Hall 5	6	7	8
				Brother Thatcher's Evangelist Weekend Saturday to Sunday	10:00am Evangelist Combined Service, Cootharinga Hall 7:00pm Evangelist Combined Service, Cootharinga Hall	10:00am Evangelist Combined Service, Cootharinga Hall 7:00pm Evangelist Combined Service, Cootharinga Hall	
6:30pm Bible College See Bro Brian 9	10	7:00pm Mid Week Service 11	12	13	14	15	
				7:00pm Ladies Connect Group, Lorraine's house bring a plate		10:00am Main service 12:00pm Meal fund raiser after service 6:30pm Night Service	
6:30pm Bible College See Bro Brian 16	17	7:00pm Mid Week Service 18	19	20	21	22	
			7:00pm Music Connect Group @ The Hall		9:30am Men's Breakfast At the Strand rock pool 6:00pm Youth Group Movie/Chill out night @ the Hall	10:00am Main service 6:30pm Night Service	
6:30pm Bible College See Bro Brian 23	24	7:00pm Mid Week Service 25	26	27	28	29	
					3:00pm Children's Connect Group, Bro Jason's House	10:00am Main service 6:30pm Night Service	
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