## Melbourne Chinese Baptist Church

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**Loving Our Neighbour** 

# CrossGen Christmas Service Bulletin

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Friday, 25th December 2020. 9:30AM

## GOOD NEWS AND GREAT JOY FOR ALL. Luke 2:1-18

And while they were there, the time came for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.

Luke 2:6-7

Service will be live-streamed at https://crossgen.online.church/.

## **HAPPY CHRISTMAS!**

**WELCOME** to our church service! We're glad you could join us and hope you'll be blessed during your time with us today. Please get in touch if you have any questions or comments, or if you'd like a chat or a prayer.

## Our service order for today:

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Singing
- 3. Church News
- 4. Prayer
- 5. Bible Reading
- 6. Bible Talk

- 7. Singing
- 8. Q and A
- 9. Benediction

You can interact and ask questions at slido.com using the code MCBC.

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#### **Announcements**

- \* Happy Christmas! Today we're in Luke 2:1-18 as well look at the birth of Jesus Christ.
- \* This year's **Christmas collection** will go to the work of Baptist World Aid.

  Please head to the website for more info and to donate.

https://baptistworldaid.org.au/gift-stalls/ melbourne-chinese-baptist-gift-stall/



- \* It's great that we can have a **physical Christmas service!** Please observe all **COVID safety rules** and follow instructions from our ushers.
- \* Please let us know how we can pray for you. You can contact a pastor or use our online form: <a href="https://bit.ly/mcbchello">https://bit.ly/mcbchello</a>.
- \* Join us for a **Christmas Picnic** after church today!

  We'll meet in Alexandra Gardens starting 11AM
- \* If you'd like to continue joining us for **church**, we meet here each Sunday at 9:30AM.

  We also have services in Mandarin (9:30AM) and Cantonese (11:30AM)
- \* Throughout the year, we also have various **fellowship groups** which meet to study the bible together and support each other. Please let us know if you'd like to join a group.
- \* Fusion & Theos mission will hold a Summer HangOut for high school students.

  3pm till evening, Thursday 7th January 2021. Contact Sarannie for more info.
- \* We'd love for everyone to keep in touch! You can consider joining our Facebook Group or WhatsApp Group for news, updates and notices.

Facebook Group <a href="http://bit.ly/mcbcfb">http://bit.ly/mcbcfb</a>

WhatsApp Group <a href="http://bit.ly/mcbcwhatsapp">http://bit.ly/mcbcwhatsapp</a>

### **Reflection Questions**

As we get into the Christmas period and celebrate the birth of Jesus, we'll take a look at what the Bible says about WHY Jesus came to earth and WHAT that means for us.

- Have you heard the Christmas message before? What were you reminded of today?
   What was new or surprising?
- 2. How might the message of Christmas bring hope to us in 2020?
- 3. Have you thought about Jesus as Christ, Lord and Saviour?