

Matters for Prayer

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- Christian Blind Mission • The Crow family, Goroka, PNG
- Jacob Damkani, Trumpet of Salvation, Israel • Young Life
- Island Outreach Ministries, Bohol, Philippines
- Maranatha Christian School, Talibon, Philippines
- Samaritan's Purse & Operation Christmas Child
- Pascal and Rebekah Somandin, MAF
- Creation Ministries International
- Lael and Laura Luxford, South Sudan
- Sri Lankan Fellowship • Korean Fellowship
- Those sick amongst the fellowship
- That the Gospel will continue to be proclaimed through Capital Bible Church

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Proclaiming Christ, Teaching and Living in the Word of God

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Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith
Hebrews 12:2

Please join us on Sunday for the service
and for morning tea and fellowship

Thoughts on the Scriptures

1 Corinthians 13 (Part 9)

[1Co 13:4b] *'love does not parade itself, is not puffed up'*

1 Corinthians 13 provides a description of love. Not a romantic love but brotherly love. The Greek word, agapē. We are told that this love is not proud and arrogant. It does not parade itself vs 4 exclaims. I am sure we all know people who are good at blowing their own trumpet. People who can talk for hours about themselves and their achievements. This is not love, well maybe love for oneself which is vanity. But proper love is not concerned about self but rather the other.

Imagine a nice fancy restaurant and in it are two couples both on dates. At the first table the conversation is dominated by the man who talks about all the great things he has accomplished, where he has been and what he has done. The lady listens in silence to the accolades. The second table the conversation is also directed by the man however he is asking questions of the woman. Wanting to know more about her, her interests, hobbies, etc. Genuinely interested in the other. Which one is actually loving in this situation? It is clearly the latter. Love is not based on pride or on receiving praise or reward for what we do.

Jesus spoke about this in what is called the sermon on the Mount:

[Mat 6:1-4] *"Take heed that you do not do your charitable deeds before men, to be seen by them. Otherwise you have no reward from your Father in heaven. Therefore, when you do a charitable deed, do not sound a trumpet before you as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may have glory from men. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. But when you do a charitable deed, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, that your charitable deed may be in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will Himself reward you openly."*

As Christians do we seek a reward of mans praise or do we, out of love, seek the reward where most and rust do not destroy and where these cannot steal (Mat 6:20). Do we act with pride when we serve the Lord and each other or do we do these things out of love?

October at Capital Bible Church

Date	Time	Event
Tuesday 2 nd	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Sunday 7 nd	9.30 am	Family Prayer
	10 am	Family Worship Service Speaker: Ian Daley – Joshua 13/14
	11:30 am	Sandwich Sunday
Tuesday 9 th	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Sunday 14 th	9.30 am	Family Prayer
	10am	Family Worship Service Speaker: PJ Stringfellow - Joshua 15-19 Morning Tea: TBA
Tuesday 16 th	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Sunday 21 st	9.30 am	Family Prayer
	10am	Family Worship Service Speaker: Ian Daley – Joshua 20 Morning Tea: TBA
Tuesday 23 rd	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Sunday 28 th	9.30 am	Family Prayer
	10am	Family Worship Service Speaker: Karl Irving – Joshua 21/22 Morning Tea: TBA
Tuesday 30 th	7.30pm	Creation Ministries International

Bible Studies

- Woman's Bible study – Thursday 10.30am
- Friday Night Bible Study – See Karl
- Friday Young Adults Bible Study – Friday Fortnightly – See PJ

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