

ULVERSTON E

**BAPTIST**

February 2026  
Service time - Sunday 10 am

**CHURCH**

# RISE!

## A NEW YEAR TO KNOW GOD MORE

You have searched me Lord, and you know me.

**You know when I sit and when I rise;**

you perceive my thoughts from afar.

Psalm 139:1-2

Welcome friend to a brand-new year! A new year always brings a new sense of hope and talk about fresh beginnings, but this year carries a deeper invitation. A quiet, steady call to rise! Not simply to rise into the business of new goals or new routines, but to rise into a clearer, fuller, more intimate way of knowing of God.

Is there something God is awakening in you? Is there something He has been quietly shaping beneath the surface? Perhaps there is something that is now ready to come into the light? As you rise this year, pay attention to the places where God is stirring. Maybe a new hunger for His word or fresh courage to trust Him? Maybe a deeper desire for prayer or a renewed sense of purpose? Or maybe a gentle nudge and conviction to let go of what no longer fits?

This is a year to lean in, to listen more closely and to allow God to reveal Himself in ways you may never have noticed before. Through your longings, your questions, your hopes and even your discomfort, God is revealing Himself. Rather than random feelings, these are God's invitations to rise. Knowing God more is not about striving or doing more. It is about a deep yearning for a new sense of who He is. It is an invitation to open your heart to His presence.

May this be the year you know God more deeply. A year where you follow Him more boldly and experience Him more personally than ever before. You are not entering this year alone. You are entering it with God's presence, God's promise, and God's invitation to rise.

# Welcome

# WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Thank you for being a part of our service today.

If you are here for the first time,  
we extend a warm welcome to you.



We enjoy connecting with our guests and Church family members  
and invite you to join us for tea and coffee after the service.

## First Time Here?

Our welcome pack includes a  
message from Pastor Louis  
& a QR code to scan.  
Tell us more about yourself.



Enjoy a complimentary hot  
drink after the service.  
We'd love to get to know you!

Stay  
CONNECTED



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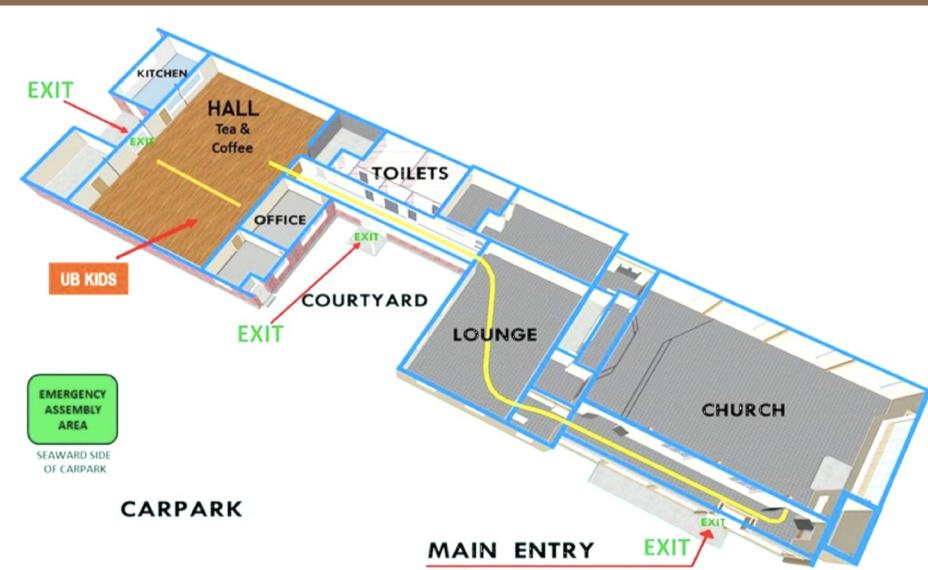
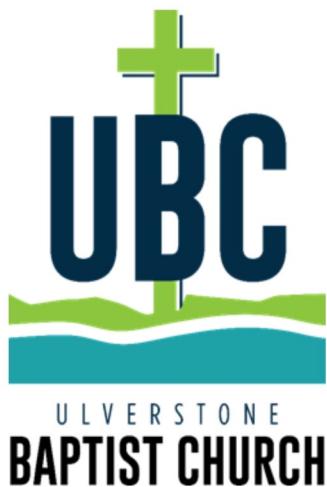
# Coffee & Hot Chocolate



Cappuccino | flat white | long black  
\$3

Regular tea and coffee still available for free

## FOR YOUR SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE



## MISSED A SERVICE?

All of our Sunday messages  
are available for you  
to listen and download

You can do this by listening to our  
podcast either on spotify  
or on our website



[www.ub.church](http://www.ub.church)



Ulverstone  
Baptist Church



# Allow Us To *Serve* You!

## Sunday 1st February

Message - Pastor Louis

Service Host  
Worship Leader  
Host Team  
Duty Person

Carolyn  
Abbey  
David, Melody, Rosemary, Andrew, Peggy, Bron  
Nathan

## Sunday 8th February

Message - Pastor Louis

Gathering around the Lord's table - Lyn

Service Host  
Worship Leader  
Host Team  
Duty Person

Beth  
Kristen  
Beth, Grenville, Tania, Rhys, Janita , Jenny  
Robbie

## Sunday 15th February

Message - Pastor Louis

Church Picnic

Kids Church

Service Host  
Worship Leader  
Host Team  
Duty Person

Gabe  
Phil  
Beth, Grenville, Tania, Rhys, Janita , Jenny  
Milton

## Sunday 22nd February

Message - Pastor Louis

Kids Church

Service Host  
Worship Leader  
Host Team  
Duty Person

Andrew  
Yvette  
Betty, Kerri, Ian, John, Maryanne, Carolyn  
David



# PRAYER & PRAISE CARDS

From time to time we all have prayer needs.

We also all have moments of joy and gratitude for God's faithfulness and provision.

We would love to share in these moments with you and pray for your need.

Our prayer and praise cards are in the sunway.

Give your filled out card to the service leader or a host team member before the service.



## Our Mission Statement

Growing deeper relationships  
with Christ and each other

## Our Vision Statement

Seeing God change lives through me

ReCharge ..... A short weekly reminder  
of who we are as Tasmanian Baptists.



To receive your weekly reCharge  
subscribe directly to Tas Baptist.



# ULVERSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY MEETING

If you consider UBC to be the place  
you call home then we warmly  
invite YOU to join us.

## Sunday 29th March

After our morning worship service,  
grab a cuppa and join us back in the  
auditorium for an 11.30am start.

# PR AY ER GATHERINGS

“Prayer should not be regarded as a duty which must be performed, but rather as a privilege to be enjoyed, a rare delight that is always revealing some new beauty.” E.M. Bounds

Mondays, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> February  
7pm- 8pm  
In the lounge

As a church family, we value creating space to seek God together. Prayer is one of the ways we stay connected to His heart, His guidance, and His presence in our lives.

In this season, many of us are longing for renewal, fresh hope, and a deeper sense of God moving among us. We need revival. We need God to move. We need His presence to shape us, strengthen us, and influence everything we do.

Our upcoming Prayer Gatherings are an opportunity to come together, quietly, expectantly, and with open hearts, as we look to God for strength, direction, and encouragement. We long to see God's hand at work in our church, our families, and our community.

**We hope you can join us as we seek God, cry out for renewal,  
and make space for His presence to move among us.**

# THREE WAYS TO GIVE



## Worship Through Giving

1

### IN OUR MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Place your offering in the  
offering box as you enter  
church on Sunday Morning

2

### DIRECT DEPOSIT

Ulverstone Baptist Church  
BSB : 037-013  
Acc No: 921369

3

### ELECTRONIC GIVING iGive



Go to our website @ [ub.church](http://ub.church)  
click on "Get Connected"  
then click on "Giving"

Thank you for your faithfulness,  
generosity and commitment each week



Collecting  
*Stamps*  
FOR



THIS IS SOMETHING WE CAN ALL DO

Trim your stamps, leaving 1cm around the stamp.  
(If the postmark is legible please leave that with the stamp)

Please place stamps in the box located  
at the back of the church.

If you have any queries please contact Ruth Cannon

**JOIN THE TEAM FOR 2025**

# Australian Red Cross Lifeblood

Well done UBC Lifeblood Team!

In 2026 you made a total of 46 donations!

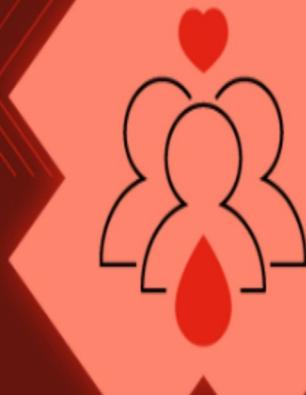
(In 2025 we gave a total of 33 donations)

In Australia, 27 million people rely on there being a safe, secure and sufficient supply of blood and plasma. Every single donation makes a huge impact.

Talk to Milton if you would like to donate or have questions.

The Donor Centre is at 40 Oldaker St, Devonport.

[www.lifeblood.com.au](http://www.lifeblood.com.au)



Your Team donated

**46 times**

That's a big difference you and  
Ulverstone Baptist Church made.

You all caught a vibe.

# CRAFT GROUP

Tuesday  
Mornings  
9am to 1pm  
in the Lounge

Come when you can - leave when you must!

Starting up  
again for  
2026  
Tuesday  
3<sup>rd</sup> February

# Ulverstone Baptist Church Senior's Coffee



We would love for you to join with us for our first Senior's Coffee Morning for 2026

## Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March

10am to 11.20am | In the church lounge

Please keep in mind that there will not be a Senior's Coffee morning in April as it falls over the Easter period.

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Church

# MEN'S EVENT



Breakfast at the Berry Patch  
Saturday 21st February  
8.30am

If you would like to ride your bike,  
meet at the rowing club at  
7.45am for an 8am start.

RSVP is essential by the 18<sup>th</sup> of February  
Rhys - 0439 147 493  
David - 0456 782 182

# Summer Picnics

Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> February

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

After our morning worship service  
and following morning tea, join us at Fairway Park  
(between the red robin and the dinosaur) for a picnic lunch.  
BYO food, drinks, chairs or picnic blankets.



## As our kids head **BACK TO SCHOOL** let's pray.....

- For smooth beginnings and transitions as they settle into their new classrooms and the environment around them.
- For peace, confidence and protection.
- That they will know that they are a child of God, that He loves them deeply and has a plan for their life.
- For great student / teacher relationships.
- That students make Godly, loyal and enjoyable friendships.
- For strength to stand up for truth and the boldness to share Jesus with those around them.
- For wisdom in decision making.
- For clarity and understanding in what they are being taught.
- That teachers will have patience and understanding.
- For good health throughout the year.
- That teachers and students alike, will have an enjoyable year.

# Ulverstone Baptist Kids Church

Kids Church is starting Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> February!

For children aged 3 - 10 years running during our Sunday morning worship service.

A fun, safe space where kids can learn about Jesus through stories, play, music, games and friendship. We would love to welcome your family!

Hey UBC family, we're building our Kids Church team and would love more helpers and teachers. If you feel God nudging you, please see Glenelle for a chat.

Connect Groups,  
the friends you  
laugh, grow and  
serve with.

Do you want to be part of a CONNECT group?  
Maybe you sense it is time to start a CONNECT  
group.

Please speak with Pastor Louis.

The time is NOW!

UBC CONNECT GROUPS

Find  
yours.

Starthing

Wednesday

11<sup>th</sup> February

Connect Groups gather together on the  
second and fourth week of the month.

# Christianity Explained

## *A 6 week journey*

Are you curious about Christianity?

Do you, or do you know of someone who has questions about Jesus, faith, or why Christians believe what they do?

This 6 week course is a safe, relaxed space for anyone who is searching, wondering, or simply wanting to understand more.

There is no pressure and no expectations.  
You won't be asked to pray or read the Bible out loud.  
(Unless you would like to)

What you will find is:

- A gentle, non threatening atmosphere.
- A clear explanation of who Jesus is.
- Honest conversations about faith and belief.
- Plenty of opportunity to ask questions.
- Space to listen, reflect, and explore.

Whether you're new to Christianity, returning after some time away or just curious - you are welcome!

Please see Merilyn van Rooyen 0487 305 876  
or Yvette Smith 0409163 660

T1 2026

# vmtc



VMTC Tasmania invites you to our prayer & healing school  
in Hobart March 2026 - Christian Family Centre Risdon Vale  
and Blue Lagoon.



## ONE SCHOOL - over 2 weekends

This is a new format for our school - based over 2 consecutive weekends. The first weekend is "Live-out" and mainly teaching at CFC Risdon Vale. The second weekend is "Live in" at Blue Lagoon camp (with the option to "Live out"), and mainly for prayer ministries.

### Weekend 1

Where: CFC, Risdon Vale

When: March 20th - 22nd

Accommodation: *Live out only*



### 3rd School and Up

Starting: Friday March 20th, 2pm

Finish: Sunday March 22nd, 7pm+  
+not including Sunday morning

### 1st & 2nd School

Starting: Friday March 20th, 6.15pm

Finish: Saturday March 21st, 5.30pm

## PERSONAL Prayer and Healing Ministry

### Weekend 2

Where: Blue Lagoon

When: March 27th - 29th

Accommodation: *Live in (with a live out option)*



Starting: Friday March 27th, 3.00pm

Finish: Sunday March 29th, 5.00pm

We recognise that many christians struggle with parts of their lives that are preventing them from stepping into God's plan for them. Walking in victory and wholeness is God's heart for every Christian believer.

We aim to bring personal healing and wholeness to each individual through teaching on areas of sin and bondages and God's pathway to freedom. We include a confidential prayer and healing ministry for each individual as well as training and participation in prayer ministry for others. You will also be trained and involved in intercession for others through prayer vigils.

Our heart is to train you to minister God's healing to both yourself and others, through a simple pattern of biblically based prayer. This structured way of praying has been powerfully effective in bringing God's healing, deliverance and freedom to many of our attendees over many years.

### School Costs

Registration: \$70/person (\$120/couple)

Weekend 1: **No Cost\***

\*The opportunity will be available to make a donation for meal costs and a thank offering to CFC for use of their facility

Weekend 2: **\$250** (Live-in, fully catered)

\$100 (Live-out, fully catered)

### Registration Information

Website:

<https://vmtc.org.au/ministry/training-schools>

Email: [vmtc.tasmania@gmail.com](mailto:vmtc.tasmania@gmail.com)

Contact: Lyndy Aldridge on 0427 351150

Please Register before: February 20th 2026



Next School:

Camp Clayton, Ulverstone

T2 2026: June 5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>

(4 day camp)



## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Growing deeper relationships  
with Christ and each other.

## OUR VISION STATEMENT

Seeing God change  
lives through me.

## OUR VALUES STATEMENT

We are committed to core values which define us as a community of believers and shape our personal attitudes and actions as we grow together in faith, hope and love.

**FAITH** calls us to:-

live in the reality that Jesus is central to our identity, belief and behaviour;  
explore the truths of God as revealed in the bible;  
surrender to the transforming work of the Holy Spirit;  
live expectantly in God's purpose for you and me.

**HOPE** leads us to:-

celebrate & share God's love through worship & service;  
be real in thought, word & action;  
cultivate hearts of gratitude & generosity;  
be forward looking in all that we do;  
live lives of personal relationship;  
be a missional community.

**LOVE** impels us to:-

care for ourselves and others as Jesus cares;  
listen to and learn from each other;  
seek forgiveness and extend mercy;  
embrace unity in diversity;  
discern the will of God together;  
act at all times with courage & humility.

# Beyond Our Community

## Supporting Mission

in prayer and heart.

In 2015 Stephen & Coralie Preston began a new role as the WEC Australia national directors. They were based at the WEC head office in Sydney and their purpose was to facilitate the training & sending of cross cultural workers overseas.



For more information  
visit: <http://www.wec.com.au>  
Email: [member.care@wec.com.au](mailto:member.care@wec.com.au)



# Mission

## Connection



# ULVERSTONE **BAPTIST CHURCH**

## STAFF TEAM

**Senior Pastor**  
**Pastor Louis Fife**  
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(Fridays are Louis day off)

## **Ministry Administrative Assistant**

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admin@ub.church  
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Ulverstone 7315  
  
Office Hours  
Tuesday & Thursday  
9am to 1pm

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## **Worship Team Leader**

Nathan Smith

## **Music Director**

Kristen Cox

## ELDERS

**Lyn McKay**  
**Carolyn Smith**

## U CARE

### **Pastoral Care Co-ordinator**

**OHS**  
**Compliance Officer**  
Robert Cunningham

**Safe Church Officer**  
Nerrelie Cann

**Kids Church Co-ordinator**  
Glenelle Collyer

## DEACONS

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treasurer@ub.church

**Janine Gibson**  
Secretary  
secretary@ub.church

**Milton Smith**  
**Glenelle Collyer**  
**Nathan Smith**

**Property Co-ordinator**  
Milton Smith

**Elvanto Administrator**  
Glenelle Collyer  
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**Prayer Co-ordinator**