

BAPTIST CHURCH



If I was to ask, "*Are you thirsty?*" to someone wandering in a desert, they might laugh in disbelief.

Ask it of a follower of Jesus, and you may still get a puzzled look. To be asked, "*Are you thirsty?*", doesn't feel like a spiritual question. It feels small, vague, almost insignificant. But Jesus doesn't treat it that way.

In John 7:37, Jesus stood and shouted to the crowds, "***Anyone who is thirsty may come to me!***".

Anyone!

Not the moral. Not those of wealth. Not the righteous.
Not the gifted. Not the educated. Just the thirsty.

Jesus Himself tells us who qualifies to come to Him - and it's wonderfully simple. The only requirement is need. The only credential is thirst.

In Matthew 5:6 Jesus says, "***Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.***" When we are thirsty and long for more of Him, our thirst becomes the very thing that drives us to Him. It pulls us toward salvation, deliverance, provision, knowledge, and the fullness of His presence. Jesus promises that when thirst meets faith, those who drink deeply of Him will be satisfied.

Can I encourage you this week to find fresh, renewed ways to stir your hunger and thirst for Jesus? Lean in. You might be surprised by what happens next!

Pastor Louis

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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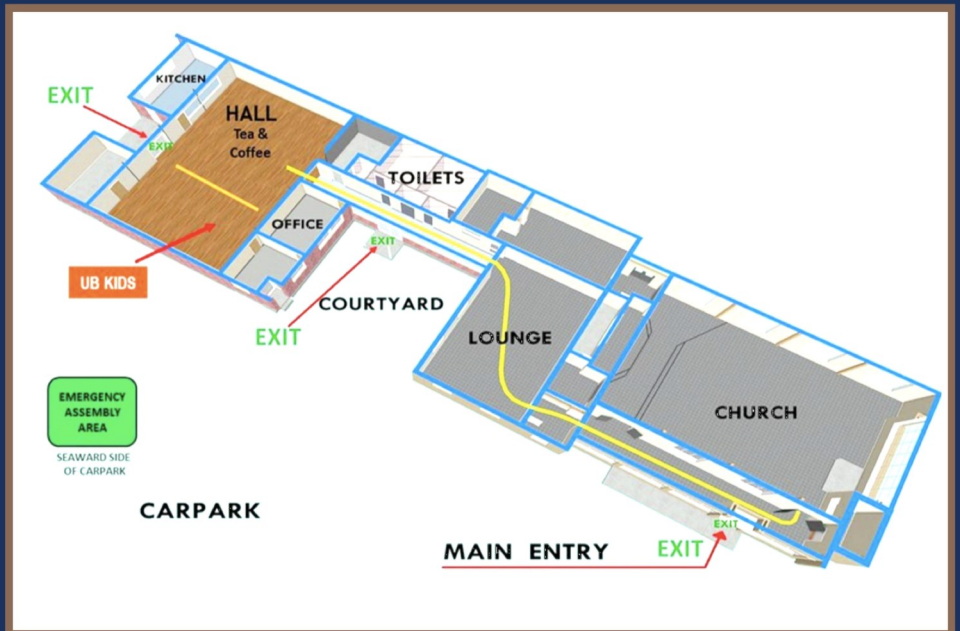
Coffee & Hot Chocolate



Cappuccino | flat white | long black
\$4

Regular tea and coffee still available for free

FOR YOUR SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE



MISSED A SERVICE?

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



Ulverstone
Baptist Church

Allow Us To Serve You!

Sunday 5th July

Message - Pastor Louis Fife

Kids Church

Forum - Building A Missional Church - 4pm

Service Host	Gabe
Worship Leader	Abbey
Host Team	David, Melody, Andrew, Rosemary, Peggy, Bronwyn
Duty Person	David

Sunday 12th July

Message - Pastor Louis Fife

Gathering around the Lord's table - Carolyn

No Kids Church - Term Holiday

Service Host	Nerrelie
Worship Leader	Kristen
Host Team	David, Melody, Andrew, Rosemary, Peggy, Bronwyn
Duty Person	Robbie

Sunday 19th July

Message - David Blyth

Bring & Share Sunday - Please bring a plate of morning tea to share

No Kids Church - Term Holiday

Service Host	Andrew
Worship Leader	Yvette
Host Team	Beth, Grenville, Tania, Rhys, Janita , Jenny
Duty Person	Nathan

Sunday 26th July

Message - Pastor Louis Fife

No Kids Church - Term Holiday

Service Host	Gabe
Worship Leader	Abbey
Host Team	Beth, Grenville, Tania, Rhys, Janita , Jenny
Duty Person	Milton

PRAISE REPORT
 Proclaim the greatness of the Lord with me and let us exalt His name together. I sought the Lord, and He answered me. Psalm 34:3-4

Name _____ Date _____
 Report _____

Strictly Confidential
 Can be shared with the church

PRAYER REQUEST
 If we ask anything according to His will, He will hear us. John 5:14

Name _____ Date _____
 Request _____

Strictly Confidential
 Can be shared with the church

It is an honour to pray for you in your moment of need. Please fill out this card and give it to either the Pastor, Service Leader or someone on the Host team before the service.
 We love to hear how God has answered your prayer, so please be sure to fill out a Praise Report.
 Would you like us to contact you? Y N Phone _____

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.

CONNECT GROUPS

Because Life Is Better Together

Ask about finding your group TODAY!

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



To receive your weekly reCharge subscribe directly to Tas Baptist.



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and supported by the Central Coast Council,

ULVERSTONE WINTER SHELTER PROJECT



MORE THAN A PLACE TO STAY

The Winter Shelter is about more than providing a bed for the night. It is about creating a space where people are welcomed with dignity, known by name, and offered genuine hospitality in the midst of a difficult season.

Through the simple but powerful acts of sharing a meal, offering warmth, listening well, and showing up consistently, partner churches and volunteers help create a sense of safety and belonging for each guest. For some, this may be a brief moment of rest and refuge. For others, it can be the beginning of renewed hope and connection.

Together, these small and faithful acts speak loudly. They reflect the heart of Jesus and demonstrate that the church can be a place of welcome, compassion, and practical love – more than a place to stay.

For any of our UBC family members requiring a Pastor's reference as part of their application to assist with the Winter Project, Pastor Louis is very happy for you to list his name as a referee.

There's a place for everyone on the Ulverstone Winter Shelter team.

Every role helps create a safe place for someone in need.

We would love you to join us

*Register
Now* →



Mentoring

**Real conversations.
Meaningful connections.**

Stronger community.



Mentoring isn't about having all the answers. It's about showing up, listening, and walking alongside someone on their journey.

Devonport Chaplaincy Mentoring brings together volunteers from all walks of life to support young people in our community. Whether you're motivated by faith, compassion, community, or simply a desire to make a difference—you belong here.

WHY BECOME A MENTOR?

Whatever your background or beliefs, you can:



MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE

Help a young person feel valued, stronger and more confident.



BUILD CONNECTIONS

Form meaningful relationships and learn from each other.



SHARE WHAT MATTERS

Your life experience, values and perspective can help guide the way.



GROW YOUR COMMUNITY

Be part of a supportive network creating positive change together.



**BE PART OF
SOMETHING THAT
CHANGES LIVES.**

*Become a
mentor today.*



Young people need
**MORE MENTORS.
YOU CAN HELP.**



Young people in Devonport are looking for someone who will listen, respect them, and believe in their potential.

Could that be you?



OUR VALUES



COMPASSION

We care for people with kindness and empathy.



RESPECT

We value every person and treat others with dignity.



INCLUSIVITY

We welcome and support people of all backgrounds.



HOPE

We believe in the potential of every young person.



COMMUNITY

We work together for a stronger, connected community.

All people. All backgrounds.
ONE COMMUNITY.

We welcome people of all faiths, cultures, genders, and identities. What matters most is your respect, reliability and willingness to listen.



**DIFFERENT
PERSPECTIVES.
SHARED
HUMANITY.**



**KINDNESS.
RESPECT.
OPEN-MINDED
CONNECTION.**



**TOGETHER,
WE CAN BUILD
A BETTER
COMMUNITY.**



**DEVONPORT
CHAPLAINCY**

HOPE • CARE • COMMUNITY



Interested?
LET'S HAVE A CHAT.
No experience needed—just a willingness to care.

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Supporting young people • Strengthening community • Creating hope

CONNECT GROUPS

Are you interested in helping people connect and grow in faith?
We are looking for people who would be willing to lead a Connect Group
or open their home to host a new group.
If this is something you would like to explore,
please speak with Carolyn Smith.

If you're interested in joining a Connect Group, I'd love to hear from you as well.
Connect Groups are a wonderful way to build friendships,
encourage one another, and grow together in your walk with Christ.



Safe Church Training

SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER
1 PM TO 4PM
@ ULVERSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH

For leadership, host team leaders, ministry leaders,
connect group leaders, the pastoral care team, worship and
service leaders and anyone working with children and youth.



KIDS CHURCH TERM 2

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!

Ulverstone Baptist Church

MEN'S DINNER

SATURDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER

River Arms Ulverstone @6pm

RSVP to Cameron 0418 237 442 or Rhys 0439 147 493
by Wednesday 2nd September

Thank you for your contributions. To date we have raised \$ 340.40



Look for the 10¢ mark

Two ways to participate....

Collect eligible bottles and cans and put them in our collection bin here at UBC in the hall. We will take them to the collection point for you.

Download the Recycle Rewards App and Select Ulverstone Baptist Indoor Playground Fund as your chosen charity. Take your bottles and cans to the Recycle Rewards Return Point in Alexandra Road, Ulverstone.

The 10 cent container refund will go directly to UBC.

BUILDING A MISSIONAL CHURCH

*Where worship meets witness—
and faith moves beyond the walls*

Forum . Sunday 5th July . 3.30PM

(Not 4pm as previously advertised)

Church, we are hosting a forum for anyone who wants to understand how our worship services and our personal faith practices work together to shape a healthy, balanced church.

This session follows up on the challenge Andrew Turner, CEO of CROSSOVER, gave us about the Australian church today, and how we can grow in both our public and private expressions of faith.

If you're interested in being part of shaping our future and strengthening our community presence, we'd love you to come, listen, and join the conversation. Pastor Louis

*From July we have a ladies
tea/coffee catch up,
2pm @ Daltons
on the 2nd Friday of each month.*

*If you are interested in attending
please give your phone number to
Kate on 0400158902, and she will
text you a monthly invitation.*



Kitchen Chopping Boards - A Little TLC Needed



Our kitchen chopping boards are due for a light sand and a fresh coat of food-safe oil. If you're able to lend a hand with this simple maintenance task, please see Glenelle or Yvette.

Thank you for helping keep our kitchen well cared for!

Handmade cards, lovingly created
by some of our UBC ladies

Happy Birthday, Anniversaries,
Get Well Wishes,
& Thinking of You.

Cost: \$3 per card
All proceeds will go toward
our UBC Playground.

Cards will be available for
purchase during morning tea



Sunday 19th July
Bring and share a plate
for Morning Tea

PRAYER GATHERINGS

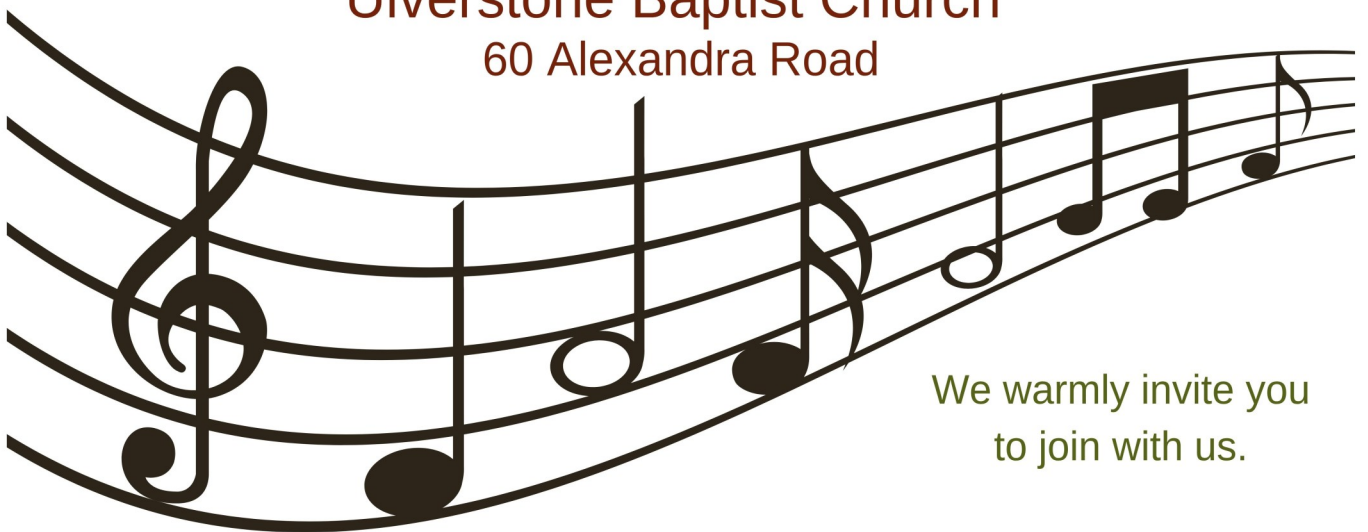
“Prayer should not be regarded as a duty which must be performed, but rather as a privilege to be enjoyed, a rare delight that is always revealing some new beauty.” E.M. Bounds

June	Monday 15 th (@7pm)	
July	Monday 6 th (@7pm)	Thursday 23 rd (@11am)
August	Monday 3 rd (@7pm)	Thursday 20 th (@11am)
September	Monday 7 th (@7pm)	Thursday 17 th (@11am)
October	Monday 5 th (@7pm)	Thursday 22 nd (@11am)
November	Monday 9 th (@7pm)	
December	Monday 7 th (@7pm)	

An hour of prayer, in the UBC lounge

SENIOR'S COFFEE MORNING

Ulverstone Baptist Church
60 Alexandra Road



We warmly invite you
to join with us.

Friday 7th August - 10am to 11.20am

A musical presentation from the Ulverstone Senior Citizens Choir
All welcome to come. Bring a friend.

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 contact,

Merilyn van Rooyen 0487 305 876

Yvette Smith 0409163 660

Peter Porch 0417 442 161

Robert Cunningham 0472 632 107

REGISTER NOW!

Day
of
Abundance

FILLED BEYOND MEASURE



WITH
TRACY VALENTINE
President
Baptist Women of the Pacific

10am-3pm, Saturday
24 October, 2026
Riverlands Longford

Tasmanian
BAPTISTS



EmpowHer

Registrations are open!

BE ENCOURAGED towards your God-given potential at this special one-day gathering. Treat yourself to enjoy the company of other women, eat some delicious food, hear some great teaching, and go away inspired and refreshed.

This is a statewide event. Invite your girlfriends, co-workers, family-members and even your next-door-neighbour!

\$55 EARLYBIRD, until 31 July 2026

\$65 REGULAR, until 15 Sep 2026

\$75 LATE, until 23 October 2026

KEYNOTE SPEAKER Tracy Valentine, President, Baptist Women of the Pacific

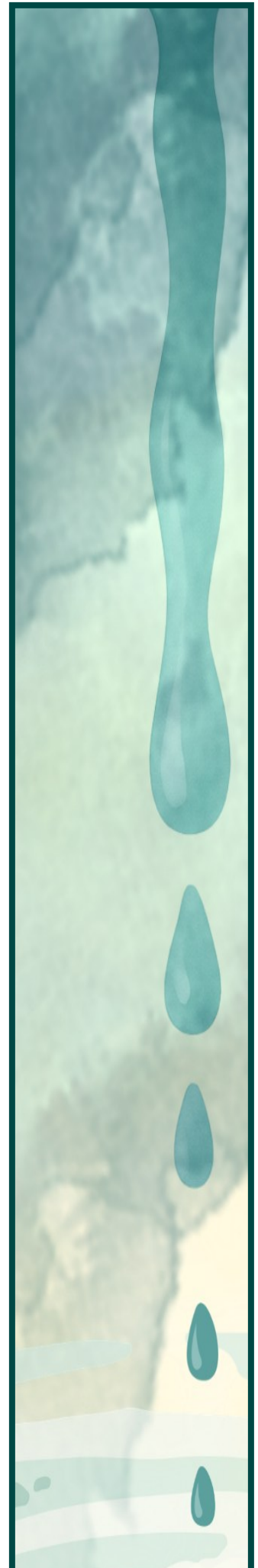
Tracy's life, ministry and career experience is diverse.

Brisbane-based Tracy Valentine recently commenced a four year term as the president of Baptist Women of the Pacific – a network of women's ministries in nations including Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Papua New Guinea, Papua and West Papua, Tonga and Vanuatu.

The 53-year-old, who is married to Glenn and has three adult children, has long been an advocate for Baptist women and served in a range of church-related roles, including as a pastor (in roles specifically ministering to children and families), as a chaplain, and in state and national roles with the Baptist Church. Tracy currently works as a mission engagement manager – seniors and disability for Carinity, an outreach of Queensland Baptists that provides a range of services, including residential aged care, disability and family support services, and chaplains in hospitals, prisons, and aged care communities.

Order your tickets here.

[EmpowHer Day of Abundance - Tasmanian Baptists](#)





PRAY

For our Ulverstone Community

We pray for our community and surrounding towns. Thank you for the beauty of our beaches, our parks and the rich rural farmland that surrounds us. May Your presence be known in every part of our town. We're grateful for the community of people we share life with each day. We pray for our Central Coast Councillors and workers, police, doctors, ambulance personnel and fire fighters - for all who serve and care for our community. Grant them wisdom in their decisions, strength in their work and protection in all they do. We pray for our neighbours and families who need to know You as their Lord and Saviour. For those who may be struggling, displaced, or finding it hard in these economic times may they find safety, refuge, and hope.

For us as a church in our community

Lord, we pray for us as a church - that You would give us creativity and courage in sharing the gospel. Help us to take time to be present in people's lives, showing compassion, kindness and love in all we do. May we recognise the opportunities You place before us and help us to be relevant and real as we share your love and the gift of salvation You offer to all.

For the churches of Ulverstone

We pray for the local churches of Ulverstone and the ongoing ministry we share together. May our unity in Christ strengthen our witness and deepen our impact in the community. We pray that through our collective efforts, people will be stirred to seek truth, find hope, and discover the life found only in Jesus.

For our schools

Let's pray for the schools in our community - for the work of Devonport Chaplaincy, New Mornings, teachers, and students. May God's presence be known in every classroom. We pray for revival among our young people, that many would come to faith and choose to follow Jesus wholeheartedly.

For our local mission footprint

We give thanks for the local mission work in our community - For New Mornings, City Mission, Cup of Kindness and the upcoming Winter Shelter project. We pray for God's blessing over their efforts, that each will continue to be a valued and effective part of His Kingdom work, bringing hope, care, and the love of Christ to those they serve.

For Steve, Coralie and Lucas Preston

We thank you Lord, for Steve, Coralie and Lucas, and for the faithful work they do through WEC Australia. Thank you for their years of dedication and service. We pray that you would continue to encourage them, and give them strength and endurance, and bless them richly as they serve You and others.

For Baptist Ministries and Global Mission

We pray for the ongoing work of Baptist World Aid Australia, Crossover, and Baptist Mission Australia. May the Gospel they share be received with open hearts. We ask that God continues to equip and encourage them as they provide valuable support to churches across Australia and beyond our shores.

For Samaritan's Purse - Operation Christmas Child

We pray for the ministry of Samaritan's Purse and the Operation Christmas Child project. Lord bless every child who receives a gift-filled shoebox - may each one experience Your love in a personal way. We pray that lives, families, and communities would be transformed through the gospel and the discipleship outreach that follows.

For Vision Radio

We pray for the ministry of Vision Radio. May the music they play encourage and bless every listener, and may their interviews challenge, and speak deeply into people's hearts. We ask that as Your Word is read and shared through their broadcasts, it would reach many and draw lives closer to you.

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
click on "Get Connected"
then click on "Giving"



Thank you for your faithfulness,
generosity and commitment each week

Values Over Vision



Mission

Loving As Jesus Loved - Everyone, Everywhere

Discipleship

Maturing In Christ, Empowered By The Holy Spirit

Fellowship

Showing Up To Build Up

Service

Serving Generously - Blessing Others

Beyond Our Community

Supporting Mission

in prayer and heart.

Steve and Coralie Preston served with WEC in Spain doing cross cultural/church planting ministry for 12.5 years (2000-2013) before they returned to Australia to take up the role of WEC Australia National Directors/Leadership Team from 2015-2022.

They are now involved in training and mentoring for Short and Long term Candidates who are preparing for cross cultural ministry, and also national administration, promoting prayer and Christ centred community across the mission and beyond.



For more information
visit: <http://www.wec.com.au>
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Mission

Connection



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