



September 2026

Service Time - Sunday 10am

WHAT A GOD

Psalm 66:5 says, "Take a good look at God's wonders, they'll take your breath away."

Psalm 66 is a communal hymn of praise. It carries the voice of a worshipping community, not just an individual. It was likely written after a significant moment of deliverance for Israel. The psalmist invites the whole Earth to recognise God's greatness, then narrows the focus to God's people, and finally to each one's own personal testimony.

Sometimes, as Christians, we can forget. We lose our sense of wonder at the miracle of humanity and, in the busyness of life, lose sight of our testimony; the greatness and power of God at work in our lives. Yet as we move through life's challenges, navigating stressful moments, expectations, highs and lows, we return to this simple declaration:

"What a God. Your love has saved my life."

Christianity is not a fake form of reality, nor is it a crutch or escape route. It's holding on to the One who holds everything together. Can you find a space to be still, and know that He is God? Much of life does not make sense, nor does it need to. God makes sense in the moment by moment, through His overshadowing presence. "Come and see the wonders of God."

When we look to Jesus, the Son of God, we are reminded that He is with us. God personified. Your God. Your Saviour. Your Lord. Near, present and close. Each of those names reveals a different experience of the One we call Jesus. This is our testimony. Not that every day is perfect or without its challenges, but that God is faithful, powerful and present. In every season, He is worthy of our worship.

In September, we recognise and celebrate the men of UBC. Fathers, brothers, mentors, and friends. We honour the contribution they make to our lives, value the strength and wisdom they bring and give thanks for each one of them. We also celebrate the goodness and faithfulness of God marking 121 years of ministry in our local community and generations of people who have gathered to worship the Lord.

Take a good look at the wonder of God today.

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
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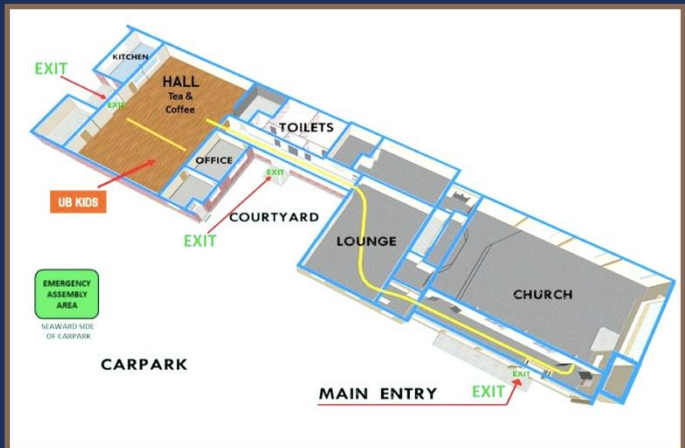
Coffee & Hot Chocolate



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 6th September

Father's Day - Please bring a plate of morning tea to share
Message - Ken Greenwood
Kids Church

Service Host	Dallas
Worship Leader	Kristen
Host Team	Beth, Grenville, Tania, Rhys, Janita, Jenny
Duty Person	Dallas

Sunday 13th September

Message - Pastor Louis Fife
Communion - Grenville
Kids Church

Service Host	Beth
Worship Leader	Nerrelie
Host Team	Betty, Maryanne, Carolyn, John, Lyn
Duty Person	David

Sunday 20th September

Anniversary Sunday - Please bring a plate of morning tea to share
Message - Pastor Louis Fife
Kids Church

Assistant Pastor Forum - 2.30pm to 3.30pm

Service Host	Gabe
Worship Leader	Abbey
Host Team	Betty, Maryanne, Carolyn, John, Lyn
Duty Person	Robbie

Sunday 27th September

Message - Pastor Louis Fife
Kids Church

Service Host	Nerrelie
Worship Leader	Phil
Host Team	David, Melody, Andrew, Rosemary, Peggy, Bronwyn
Duty Person	Nathan



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.



Repent - Be Baptised - Live Empowered By The Holy Spirit
Acts 2:38

Baptism

Is baptism the next step in your faith journey?
See Pastor Louis or one of our Elders TODAY!

Following Jesus is the best thing you can do. Jesus himself was baptised, and he invites everyone who wants to belong in God's family to be baptised too.

Baptism in itself does not save us, but it is a way of telling everyone that you love Jesus and have chosen to follow Him. Some people describe it as a 'public declaration': showing and telling everyone that you're trusting in Jesus as your Saviour (the one who puts things right between us and God), and Lord (the one who is the King of our lives).

EXPLORING BAPTISM

Going all in with Jesus

NATIONAL
BAPTISM WEEK 
crossover
Helping Australian Baptists Share Jesus

2026
Oct 11 - 18

UBC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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

**Sunday
25th October**

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

Printed copies of our 2025/2026 Annual Report will be available Sunday 11th October
(1 per household)

Appointment of Church Leaders & Officers for 2026/2027

Our Annual General Meeting is fast approaching, and we are now preparing for the appointment of our Church Leaders and Officers for the coming year.

Nomination forms will be available in the sunway on Sunday 13th of September.

We encourage everyone to prayerfully consider who God may be placing on your heart to nominate, as well as whether God is perhaps calling you to step forward and serve in a leadership role.

Please place your completed nomination forms in the ballot box located in the Sunway by Sunday 4th October.

Nominations Open: Sunday 13th September

Nominations Close: Sunday 4th October

Voting and ballot declared at our AGM: Sunday 25th October

This Father's Day we are supporting the work of Mission Aviation Fellowship.



fuel for
father's day



Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF) is a global organisation dedicated to overcoming the barriers of isolation.

Through aviation, MAF brings help, hope and healing to some of the world's most remote and isolated communities. For millions of people around the world, isolation is more than simply being far away. It can mean being unable to access basic medical care, clean water, education, disaster relief or development. It can even mean being beyond the reach of the Good News of God's love, simply because the journey is too dangerous, difficult or time-consuming.

It's amazing what one jerry can of fuel can do!

In the remote places MAF serves, just one jerry can of fuel can help power a flight carrying vital help, hope and healing, sometimes arriving just in time.

This Father's Day, Ulverstone Baptist Church is partnering with MAF to help make a difference. Grab a jerry can money box. Fill it with a cash donation and bring it back on Father's Day, Sunday 6th September.

Our collection point will be available at morning tea, where you can return your jerry can. If you would prefer, you can also make a donation by credit card.

Together, we can help overcome isolation and bring help, hope and healing to communities around the world.

One jerry can. One gift. One flight. A world of difference.



FATHER'S DAY

Sunday 6th September at UBC

Celebrating the Dads, Grandads, Stepdads and
other fatherly figures who choose to be there for us.

THANK YOU

Please bring a plate to
share for morning tea.

ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

Sunday 20th September
Celebrating 121 Years



Please bring a plate to share
for morning tea



To the Ends of the Earth

UBC has developed a booklet in honour of those who have gone out from Ulverstone Baptist Church to serve God in cross-cultural mission work. A copy of the booklet is available for viewing in the sunway or in the church hall. If you would like to order a copy, please fill in the order form next to the booklet.



Senior's Coffee Morning

Friday 2nd October 10am to 11.20am

Ulverstone Baptist Church - 60 Alexandra Road

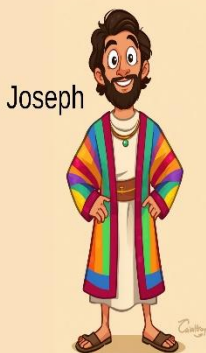


A representative from Respect Care at Home will be joining with us

KIDS CHURCH --- TERM 3

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

Term 3 - Starting Sunday 9th of August
through to Sunday 27th of September



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 UB family, are you able to help?

We are needing an extra someone to help at kids church on
Sunday 27th September, If that someone is YOU, please see Glenelle.

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!

Christmas Lunch 2026

A CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

We hope to be able to once again provide a Christmas lunch at UBC to bless people in the community who find themselves alone on Christmas Day.

This is a beautiful way to extend God's love as a UBC Church family.

We have a team of organisers and are now calling for volunteers to join the teams needed.



SOURCING FOOD DONATIONS (Nov/Dec): Betty plus 2 volunteers

PA SYSTEM 1 volunteer

MC 1 volunteer

SET UP TEAM (Christmas Eve)- Ken G plus 4 volunteers

KITCHEN TEAM (Christmas day): Glennelle plus 6 volunteers

HOST TEAM (Christmas Day) - Gayle plus 4- 6 volunteers

PACKUP/WASH UP TEAM (Christmas Day)- Ken G plus 4 volunteers

If you can help, please sign up for one of the following teams by adding your name to the board in the lounge, or by sending a message to Ken Greenwood on 0434 314 202.

A decision on proceeding with this event will be made after 26 September.

SPRING FOOD DRIVE

Be the reason someone has a meal tomorrow.

Donate non-perishable goods and help those in need this September.

 **City Mission**

Supported by:  **VOS** [DONATE NOW](#)

Collecting donations in the sunway

Tasmanian BAPTISTS



The Tasmanian Baptist Council is seeking people from the NW region who are keen and passionate about serving our state, our teams, and our churches.

Our State Baptist shared vision is simple and bold:
Tasmanian communities transformed by Jesus
through healthy, interdependent churches.

If you sense a call to strengthen our statewide Baptist movement and help shape a healthy future for our churches, this could be a meaningful place to serve.

Please speak with Louis or call the Tasmanian office.

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

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

YOU'RE INVITED — HELP US SHAPE THE FUTURE

Assistant Pastor Forum

20 SEPTEMBER 2026

Join with us to pray, chat, share ideas and dream a little about the possibility of an Assistant Pastor for Ministry

2:30 to 3:30 pm

Creating Safe Spaces

Ulverstone Baptist Church

Saturday, September 12, 2026

The workshop is intended to provide you with training on Safe Church principles and practices.



If you are a pastor, elder, deacon (policy decision maker), a ministry leader, a children's/youth team member or leader, SRE teacher or minister to any vulnerable people, you are required to attend a Safe Church Training course such as this.

This workshop will cover:

- **Duty of care, positional power, transparency and accountability**
- **Protecting vulnerable people, including children at risk of harm – definitions, indicators and response procedures**
- **Information about training, recruiting and supervising leaders**

Presented by Tasmanian Baptists.

Local Church Contact

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Creating Safe Spaces Coordinator

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VENUE Ulverstone Baptist Church

60 Alexandra Rd, Ulverstone, TAS, Australia

WHEN Saturday, September 12, 2026,

Workshop: 1:00 PM Sign in on the day

20 minutes before the start.

Refreshment will be provided.

Pre-registration is essential.

UBC will be covering the \$25 cost of each

UBC participant who attends this day.

Complete the Safe Spaces online module prior to attending the workshop.

The online module can be accessed at creatingsafespaces.org.au

Please note that the cost of the online module is \$15 per person.

Thank you for your contributions. To date we have raised \$ 436.10



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.

It's shoe box time again!

October is just around the corner, which means it's time to fill our Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes!



Last year, our church sent 270 shoeboxes to children in need.

On average, more than one in four children who receive a shoebox also make the life-changing decision to accept Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour.

Based on last year's total, that's around 70 children whose lives were transformed.

Imagine the impact if we could send even more boxes this year!

Shoeboxes and brochures are now available in the Sunway.

Thank you for helping share God's love and hope with children around the world.



Dedication Sunday here at UBC!
Sunday 4th October



LIFE TO *The Full*

Our church will join thousands of other churches across Australia in this survey, to listen, reflect and act for the future.

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2026 NATIONAL CHURCH LIFE SURVEY

Our Survey is on

Sunday 11th October

Please see

Lyn McKay

for more details.

2026ncls.org.au

2026 National
Church Life
Survey



For more information and to register go to
tasbaptists.org.au/product/day-of-abundance

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



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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>

Email: member.care@wec.com.au



Mission

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Safe Church Officer

Nerrelie Cann

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Co-ordinator

Glenelle Collyer

Connect Groups

Co-ordinator

Carolyn Smith