

2 nd August – 9 th August			NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER SUNDAY, 9 th August 2026	
SUN	9.00am	Morning Worship	Speaker:	Neil Folling
		Special Members Meeting	Worship Leader:	Phil Brady
MON	5.00pm	Drug ARM	Welcomer:	Judy Hawken
	6.15pm	Boys Brigade	Morning Tea:	Marilyn Barnes & Chris Carr
TUE	9.45am	Connect Group	Counting & Lock-Up	Tony Connell & David Barnes
WED	9.30am	Ladies KYB	Bulletin Email List	
THUR	7.00am	Men's Breakfast	If you would like to be added to the bulletin email list, please send an email to the church email advising Marcus and he will add you to the list.	
	9.00am	Thrive & Flourish		
	5.00pm	Drug ARM		
	7.30pm	ASD Support Group		
SUN	9.00am	Morning Worship		

Sound Desk Email

If you have any photos or videos to be included in the Sunday Services, you can email them directly to the Sound Desk Tech Team at sounddeskmbc@gmail.com by 5pm Thursday of each week.

Church Office Hours

The Church office hours are still the same. Tuesdays & Fridays 8.30-11.30 am. Please note office hours can change suddenly depending on things that may be going on at the church.

Did you miss a Service?

If the answer is yes, don't panic we have a way for you to catch up or even if you would like to watch a service again or share it with your family and friends. You can find our previous services on our Facebook page or on our YouTube Page. If you would like a DVD copy, please see an elder or the office and we can make that arrangement for you.

FINANCIAL OFFERING UPDATE		ONLINE BANKING DETAILS			
29/07/2026	\$1,213.50		General	Mission	Property Development
2026-2027 YTD Average	\$1,760.64	BSB	704 - 913		
2026-2027 Budget	\$2,488.26	A/C	400 039 301	400 046 348	100 001 860



Sunday, 2nd August 2026

Integrated Study

Dave Andrews points out that God does not bless those who are happy with the present state of affairs. He blesses those who mourn. Ridley College lecturer Dave Fuller talked once about having a holy dissatisfaction with life. You don't have to look very hard at the world to see that things are not good. Deep down we all have a sense that something is wrong with everything.

Blessed are those who mourn

Opening: What lessons did you get from Sunday's Sermon

Reflect: Why is it so hard for the rich to identify with the poor and 'mourn with those who mourn'?

How does God respond to the plight of the poor? Why?

How is it possible to develop 'sympathy with God'?

Is there a way you could do it?

What would it mean for you to develop more 'empathy with your neighbour'? How?

What did 'wailing', 'lamenting' and 'crying out loud' mean for Jesus?

What would 'wailing', 'lamenting' and 'crying out loud' mean for you?

Challenge: Is there any change, even a very small one, you can make this week to start aligning your life more closely to Jesus' values – by mourning with those who mourn?

Neil Folling

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Welcome to MARYBOROUGH BAPTIST CHURCH

Are you new to town? Just visiting or a newcomer to church-going? We are happy to welcome you and pray that you may experience the presence and blessing of God here today. We invite you to join us after the service for a cuppa and a chat in the hall at the rear of the church

Today's speaker: Neil Folling

Prayer Points:

- Praise God from whom all blessings flow
- Thank God for freedom, financial provision, family and friends
- Pray for Scott & Rebecca
- Pray for wisdom for our Elders as they navigate governance issues; and for our upcoming Special Members meeting
- Pray for those facing illness & distress including Rhys & Jackie, Les & Didy, Stephen, Lisa, Bob, Robbie, Jeanette, Charlotte & others you may know.

If you have any **news, events, prayer requests** to be included in the bulletin, please email either: admin staff – mbhbaptist@mbhbaptist.onmicrosoft.com or drop into Bulletin Notices folder in the letter box by **Wednesday 5pm** of the week you would like it included or you can drop them off into the Bulletin Notices pigeon hole in the office on a Sunday or a day the church office is open.

A message from the COACH Coordinator

Demonstrating faith in your community serves as a catalyst for acts of kindness and compassion. When individuals believe in the goodness of their community, they are more likely to engage in selfless acts to help others. These acts of kindness create a positive feedback loop, inspiring others to follow suit and fostering a culture of generosity within the community.

Source: [How to Foster True Faith Through Community Engagement](#)

"God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his one and only Son into the world so that we might live through him. Love consists in this: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins."

1 John 4:9-10

CHURCH NEWS & EVENTS

ASD Support Group

The **ASD Support Group** will be held this **Thursday, 6th August at 7.30pm** in the Oasis Room. This is a support group for parents and carers of adults and children with ASD. See Denise for more details or visit the Facebook page – **ASD Support Group – Maryborough QLD**.

"Let everyone be subject to the governing authorities, for there is no authority except that which God has established. The authorities that exist have been established by God."
Romans 13:1 NIV

Up Coming Dates:

- 15th August – Paint & Sip
- 23rd August – Boys Brigade Church Parade
- 23rd August – Combined Churches Worship Service
- 25th October – Boys Brigade Church Parade
- 22nd November – Boys Brigade Church Parade

Upcoming Office Closures

- Tuesday, 1st September 2026 – Marcus Away for Supervised Exams

"For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline."
2 Timothy 1:7 NIV

Rosters

Marcus has sent out Roster Availabilities for both the worship and hospitality, for the period of September, October and November. Please have your availabilities to Marcus by Monday, 24th August 2026. If you did not receive this email, please confirm your email details with Marcus ASAP.

If you would like to help with any of the roles on the roster, please talk to Marcus and he will be able to answer any questions you may have about the role you may be interested in doing.

"I baptize you with water for repentance. But after me comes one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire."
Matthew 3:11 NIV