

Dear Church Family,

We trust that you are growing in your personal faith in Christ. We are always encouraged to hear stories of where individuals and families are making an impact in the lives of others through acts of service and obedience to Christ. If ever you would like to tell us something that God is doing in or through your life, we would love to hear from you.

This is a brief note to remind you of a few exciting things that are coming up in and around MCC in the next few months.

Our new theme is **Multiplication**, and our prayer is that God would multiply your influence in your world.

**EX-tend 2010** is just around the corner. We are delighted that Ps Mike Hill, from South Australia, will be coming to speak with us on both **Saturday night 26 June (4 pm) and Sunday 27 June (10 am)**.

On each of the Saturday and Sunday meetings, we will also have special musical items, interviews, worship, times of prayer, and ministry from Ps Mike. Saturday evening will start at 4 pm with a special EX-tend church service that will conclude with a family dinner. Tickets are \$5 each or \$10 for a family and you need to register your name on the list with our church hosts over the next two weeks. On the Sunday you will have opportunity to pledge financial support to the EX-tend program through to June 2011 and also pledge yourself in acts of service and obedience to Christ as part of the Great Commission. It will all take some faith: but that is fine, because without faith it is impossible to please God (Hebrews 11:6)! People of MCC, this is time to sow Seeds of Change.

Please plan to attend both the Saturday *and* Sunday meetings if you possibly can.

Also not far away is **Flow II**. This will focus on developing our capacity to listen to and obey the Holy Spirit as we pray for one another. It will again be an unstructured time in which participation is encouraged. Flow II will be on **7pm Sunday 20 June at MCC**.

You only have to watch the news to know that there is a Federal election due later this year and that the race is tight. There will be plenty of media reports over the next six months about which party promises to put the most cash in our wallets. As Christians, however, it is important that we inform ourselves about the values of the party leaders and the morality of their stances. These are the sort of issues that will be debated at **Make it Count**, a webcast with the Prime Minister and Leader of the Federal Opposition run by the Australian Christian Lobby. Make it Count will be televised for Melville churches by Mount Pleasant Baptist College (**497 Marmion Street, Booragoon**) and you are welcome to attend from **7.30-9.30 pm on Monday 21 June**.

Remember to catch **Ps Lynette Tobin** at MCC this Sunday 13 June and please pray for **Rod** while he visits a persecuted Bible School in Jakarta next week.

God bless you abundantly as you live by faith in Jesus Christ, who loves you and gave himself for you (Galatians 2:20b).

Love  
Rod and Gigi  
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