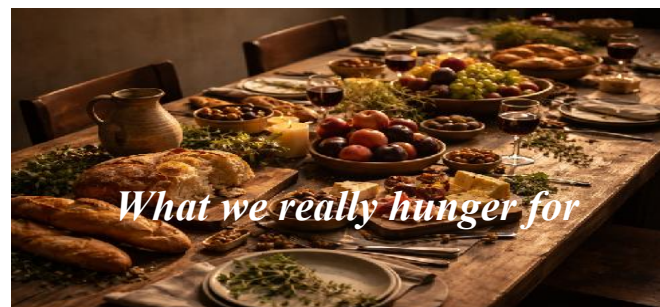


# SYCBaps this week

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Sunday 15 March 2026



## PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

- The **readiness poll** has now closed, with more than 75% of participants indicating that it is time to adopt **Open Icon Baptist Church** as our new name. We will now begin a gradual transition to using that name while we prepare for the constitutional meeting required to make the change formal. More details to follow.
- Next Sunday**, our preacher will be the Revd Andrew Dodd from the Hamilton Baptist Church in Newcastle NSW, one of our Open Baptist partners.
- The worship services for **Holy Week and Easter** will be held online as follows:
  - Palm and Passion Sunday service**  
5:00pm, Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March
  - Holy Week Vespers**  
5:00pm Mon 30<sup>th</sup> March - Wed 1<sup>st</sup> April
  - Maundy Thursday service**  
7:30pm Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April
  - Good Friday service**  
5:00pm Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April
  - Morning Prayer for the Day of Nothingness**  
8:00am Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April
  - Great Paschal Vigil**  
7:30pm Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April
  - Resurrection Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April**  
9:00am Online Liturgy  
10:30am Brunch in Melbourne (location t.b.c.)  
5:00pm Vespers Online

Reading the Bible Through the Week	The readings between Sundays are provided for private reflection or small group prayer services. The readings for Monday - Wednesday are chosen to reflect on the themes from the readings in today's worship. The readings for Thursday - Saturday introduce the themes of next Sunday's readings.	
<b>This Sunday's Worship</b>	1 Samuel 16: 1-13 Ephesians 5: 8-14	Psalm 23 John 9: 1-41
<b>Monday</b>	Isaiah 59: 9-19	Acts 9: 1-20
<b>Tuesday</b>	Isaiah 42: 14-21	Colossians 1: 9-14
<b>Wednesday</b>	Isaiah 60: 17-22	Matthew 9: 27-34
<b>Thursday</b>	Ezekiel 1: 1-3; 2:8 - 3:3	Revelation 10: 1-11
<b>Friday</b>	Ezekiel 33: 10-16	Revelation 11: 15-19
<b>Saturday</b>	Ezekiel 36: 8-15	Luke 24: 44-53
<b>Next Sunday's Worship</b>	Ezekiel 37: 1-14 Romans 8: 6-11	Psalm 130 John 11: 1-45

*This church acknowledges that we live on unceded Aboriginal lands, many of us on the lands of the Boonwurrung and Wurundjeri peoples. We express our gratitude at the sharing of this land; our sorrow for the personal, spiritual, and cultural cost of that sharing; and the hope that we may walk together in harmony in the spirit of reconciliation.*

## WEEKDAY PRAYER

20-30 minute prayer liturgies, held online usually 3 times a day, Monday to Saturday.

**Matins** 8:00am  
**Vespers** 5:00pm  
**Compline** 9:30pm



## PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

**Mon** Steven Wong  
**Tues** Ian Cook  
**Wed** Shelley Taylor  
**Thur** Samara Pitt  
**Fri** Mark Learmonth  
**Sat** Frank Zhang



## BIRTHDAYS

**Mar 20** Mark Learmonth  
**Mar 21** Frank Zhang  
**Mar 30** Tara Filippi  
**Apr 4** Rita Wang  
**Apr 22** Ian Cook



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 BSB: 704 922 Ac.no. 100 005 423  
 For more options and details, see the Money section of the Members Guide on the church website.