

WELCOME TO

EPPING

SDA CHURCH

THIS SABBATH

ELDER	Jessica Go
SPEAKER	Youth
OFFERING	Local Budget

CHURCH SERVICE LINKS

LIVE STREAM CHURCH SERVICE	> https://www.eppingsda.org.au/
	> https://www.facebook.com/eppingsda

UP COMING EVENTS

April 5	Youth Service / JR Bible study	May 3	Board Meeting
April 10	Brickbubz 9.30am - 11am	May 4	Recipe Club 1.30pm
April 12	Charity Craftees @ 2pm	May 10	Mothers Day
April 21-27	Big Camp 2025, Empower to Go!	June 6-8	Pathfinder Expedition

LAST SABBATH

Epping Church Service - 29th March, 2025





NOTICE BOARD

7 ME APP

A new app will be rolling out to significantly increase communication between the conference, local church and members.

It can be used to:

- Easily find local churches
- Update church membership details
- Submit prayer requests and create prayer groups
- Online lessons studies
- SDA hymnal
- eGiving Offering
- Keep track of local church events and scheduled future events
- Latest news from the division
- Bible study guides
- Shared church calendar

Please update your information by emailing Cyrus at cadungog.c@gmail.com

Further information will be provided shortly. Stay tuned!

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Please pray for those who are ill or facing challenges in their lives
- Please pray for ADRA Blacktown in providing food to the needy
- Please pray for all the members of our local and global churches

BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

Most people, religious or otherwise, have varying levels of ‘goodness’ that we show the world. We save our best behaviour for church. Then comes work, followed by time out with friends. We make less of an effort when we go shopping alone; and finally we can be our true selves at home.

Once home you can breath a sigh of relief, relax, and be yourself. Your true colours come out when no one is around, or when you are with people who love you no matter what. Home is our safe place. But is it a place where it is okay to be self-pandering?

Maybe, home is the gym where we strengthen our spiritual character. Maybe home should be the sparring ring where we let the Holy Spirit coach us as we practice spiritual warfare using fruits of the Spirit. For “unless you manifest meekness, kindness, and courtesy in your home, your religion will be in vain. If there were more genuine home religion, there would be more power in the church” MYP 327.

Sobering really, to think that the spiritual power of a church is a reflection and directly proportional to the spiritual temperature of its homes. God would have us never forget that we are in a war for our souls, and each day’s battle is 24 hours long. May God comfort and strengthen you as you let Him iron out your wrinkles at home.

“The Lord's curse is on the house of the wicked, but he blesses the dwelling of the righteous.” Proverbs 3:33

“Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.” Ephesians 4:32