

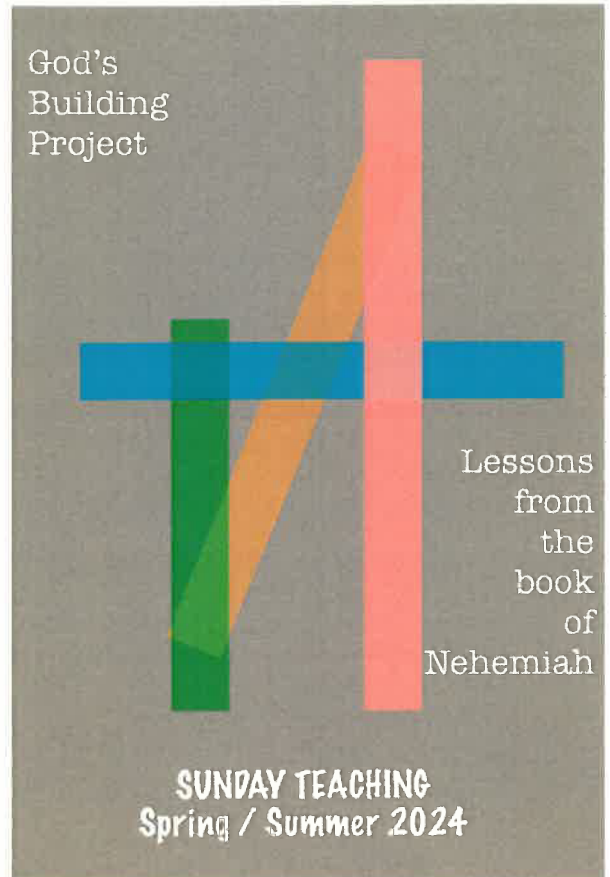
## Mid-week at LABC

There is much that goes on at LABC during the week. But if there is only one thing you are able to plug into outside of Sunday we would encourage you to attend home groups and the prayer meeting. The focus of these times is spiritual growth as we seek to grow together in maturity in Christ.

If you are interested in joining a home group, please speak to one of the elders (Matt, Keith C).

The central prayer meeting should be the heart beat of any local church as we gather as children to bring our needs to our loving heavenly father. We gather at the church building for our central prayer meeting from 8pm-9pm. Details below:

Apr 24th - Home group	June 12th - Central prayer
May 1st - District Prayer Mtg	June 19th - Home group
May 8th - Home group	June 26th - Central Prayer
May 15th - Central prayer	July 3rd - Church meeting
May 22nd - Home group	July 10th - Home group
May 29th - Central prayer	July 17th - Central Prayer
June 5th - Home group	July 24th - Home group



### Sunday mornings: Nehemiah

Life can feel so busy that we can often feel consumed with the matters of our own lives and that of our immediate family. We order our priorities around our needs and the needs of our loved ones and after that, depending on what capacity remains, we might have time and resource for others, for God.

Nehemiah challenges us to look at life differently; to consider what matters to God and pursue those things with courage and faith. Remarkably such a lifestyle, rather than placing heavier burdens on our shoulders, is a yoke that is strangely easy and light. Nehemiah lives conscious of the gracious hand of God upon his life and perhaps we should too.

Apr 21st	Nehemiah 1&2
Apr 28th	Nehemiah 3
May 5th*	Nehemiah 4
May 12th	Nehemiah 5
May 19th	<i>Pentecost Sunday</i>
May 26th	<i>John Benton</i>
June 2nd*	One-off
June 9th	<i>Tom Copperwheat</i>
June 16th	Nehemiah 6
June 23rd	Nehemiah 7
June 30th	Nehemiah 8
July 7th*	Nehemiah 9v1-37
July 14th	Nehemiah 9v38-10v39
July 21st	Nehemiah 11 & 12
July 28th	Nehemiah 13

\*Service to include communion

### Sunday afternoon/evenings

As a church, we believe that all of Sunday is the Lord's day and so meet at the beginning and end of the day. On the first Sunday of the month, we meet at 4pm for an all-age prayer meeting which is followed by tea and toast. This is a great time as a church family consisting of young and old to come together as we seek God's face in prayer.

On the third Sunday of the month we have a Sunday evening service at 6pm where, as a church, we partake of the Lord's supper as we remind ourselves of Christ's love for us.

On the remaining Sundays, in our 6pm evening service, we are looking together at a series of questions about living the Christian life, particularly in relation to the church. The format of these times will include a presentation of what the Bible teaches and also makes time for questions.

Apr 21st*	Communion Service
Apr 28th	<i>Pete Fuggle</i>
May 5th*	4pm All-age service
May 12th	What is a Christian?
May 19th*	Communion Service
May 26th	<i>David Chapman</i>
June 2nd	4pm All-age service
June 9th	<i>Tom Copperwheat</i>
June 16th*	Communion service
June 23rd	What is a church?
June 30th	Why should I be baptised?
July 7th	All-age service
July 14th	What is membership all about?
July 21st*	Communion Service
July 28th	Who is the Lord's supper for?