

# MBC Building Project Update #38

29 December 2011

Hi Everyone

Our movers and cleaners did a wonderful job yesterday – so much so that we didn't need to do any more work today which was great. However tomorrow (Friday), we will be finishing up the cleaning and setting up the auditorium chairs. If you can assist, please arrive around 9:00am with your vacuum cleaner. For more information on cleaning, contact Max Streidl. For more assistance with the moving, contact Vince Tye – 49421098 or 0417 202 087.

That means that church our first church service is ready to roll at 9:00am on Sunday morning (1<sup>st</sup> January). Please remind any church attendees that may not be aware and we will have signs and a welcomer at Parkside just in case people go to the wrong site. Attached also is a map from Parkside to the new building in case you weren't sure where it was.

Can I please ask for urgent pray also as the last 2 night's rain has exposed some ceiling leaks which run into the crèche cupboard and the Sunday school room. The crèche room is more urgent. The plumber has been at least once to fix the issue to no avail and should have been again today – so pray that this issue has been fixed and the water did not damage the crèche cupboard.

This is a new home for us – as you can appreciate, there may be a period of settling in where each ministry from crèche to welcomers, worship to morning tea will face both exciting changes and also challenges to overcome. Some of the ministries (specifically Sunday school and crèche) may not be fully up and running for a week or two. Also – as exciting as a new building may be, we need to always remember that we a church that loves God and loves people. The focus of our attention on Sunday morning must not be about “what a great building” but “what a great God”. Our building is still our temporary home on the way to the one prepared by our heavenly father. Personally having been involved with this project for so long and seeing to completion has been gratifying, but it does not fill the void in my life that can only be filled by Christ – He is our redeemer, our fortress and strength.

God Bless

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