



# Bible Quiz

## Esther

Match the question with the answer on the right.

- \_\_\_ Who was the king of Persia?
- \_\_\_ Who disobeyed the king by not coming when he commanded?
- \_\_\_ Mordecai was of which tribe of Israel?
- \_\_\_ Who wanted to destroy all the Hebrews in the kingdom?
- \_\_\_ What did Esther ask Mordecai and the Hebrews to do before she went before the king?
- \_\_\_ What did the king do when Esther came before him uninvited?
- \_\_\_ Who did Queen Esther invite to her banquets?
- \_\_\_ How did the king reward Mordecai for saving his life?
- \_\_\_ How did the king stop the destruction of the Hebrews?
- \_\_\_ Which holiday celebrates deliverance of the Hebrews?

- 1. Benjamin
- 2. Haman
- 3. Letters were sent throughout Persia allowing the Hebrews to defend themselves.
- 4. Held out his golden scepter.
- 5. Purim
- 6. Haman led him through the streets on horseback.
- 7. Queen Vashti
- 8. King Ahasuerus
- 9. Fast
- 10. The king & Haman



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### Hello church family

I'm aware there are people doing it tough out there. We seem to be able to see the light at the end of the tunnel as restrictions are so cautiously loosened. We can have a small number of visitors in our home. We can get out a bit more for shopping and exercise. But I know first-hand that not everyone is doing as well as they would like. Living in close quarters with people for such an extended time is paying its toll on us. (Love you, honey). I think the original fear of catching a rampant disease has given way to simply coping with those whom we have spent the majority of our time over the last couple of months. For some of us, the "getting back to normal" is just as scary as coping with life in isolation. Please, if you are doing it tough, if you're feeling low, angry or irritable, don't take it out on those around you – call someone. Talk about it. Do something about it. Keep in touch with family and friends. Be kind to your spouse and children.

Firstly, remember it is "not the test that is the test, but how we respond to the test that's the test". Our attitude goes a long way as to how we cope with any situation. As Christ followers, I think we have so much to be able to tap into. We need to remember that "greater is he that is within me than he that is in the world." And as we have been studying in Romans 8, we know that we are never alone, never abandoned, and never powerless. We have security, hope and love in the Lord. We need to get back into good habits, like getting up at our usual time, eating regular meals and getting some exercise. And don't forget that part of our regular routine should be starting our day with time in God's presence, taking in the word and having our morning talk with Jesus. If we take care of our spirit, and focus our eyes on Jesus for the day, our mental health, emotional health and well-being will follow.

Try not to lose your sense of humour. Remember, "A merry heart is as good as medicine." (Prov 17:22) Sure, we need to not get complacent with hygiene and social isolation and keeping safe. But let's not allow ourselves to become depressed and despairing over this situation. Remember there are friends and family who love you. I encourage you to call someone if you are feeling lost or down or anxious. Very often, just talking with someone can lift off the cloud. There are so many things to do to stay grounded and feel connected. One of my favourite "escapes" is the "Holderness Family". Penn and Kim Holderness are an American couple who have found that the best way to cope with life is to see the funny side, even in challenging times. Find a way to "blow off steam". Go for a walk or turn up the music and dance like a crazy person. Share your stories. Have a laugh. Phone a friend. What ideas do you have for coping? What are your stories? Do you have a humorous story to share? Send it in an email and we will include it in next week's newsletter.

The Holderness Family You Tube

Focus on the Family Australia

You Version Bible App – many great Scripture plans to follow.

Pastor Glenda

# May Birthdays



- Keith WATERS 11th
- Lynn JENSEN 13th
- Jo CHISHESHE 14th
- Russell DORLING 15th
- Ngani KAKA 15th
- Lily DEEVERS 17th
- Sheila WHITNEY 19th
- Keith WIEGOLD 20th
- James WATSON 21st
- Konyi KAKA 21st
- Alan RIDLEY 23rd
- Richard ELLIOTT 23rd
- Sabit KAKA 26th
- Tamikah PRIOR 27th
- Rheema DIB 27th
- Josiah HARDING 28th

A merry heart doeth good like a medicine



National church leaders from across the country have united together in a call to Australian Christians to pray in response to the Corona virus that is gripping the world.

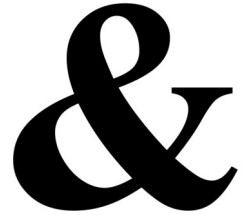
We are simply asking all Christians to set their alarms to pray for 19 minutes at 1900hrs (7pm) each day, no matter what their time zone.

## Live Streaming / Pre-recorded on Facebook:

- ⇒ Moe New Life Christian Centre -10am on Sunday am
- ⇒ Churchill Christian Fellowship - 2pm service
- ⇒ Arm Chair Chat - Various speakers Wednesday 7pm.

## Messenger:

- ⇒ New Life Girls 2020 - Friday 5pm



## Zoom Meetings:

- ⇒ KYB - Monday 2pm (see back page)
- ⇒ Leader's Meetings Monthly - Monday evening
- ⇒ Children's Church - Friday 4pm
- ⇒ Youth Group - Saturday 7pm

For **Zoom Meetings** you need an 'invitation' to attend.

**ASK AND YOU WILL RECEIVE**

IT'S HARD TO GET IN SHAPE SPIRITUALLY IF YOU ONLY WORK OUT ON SUNDAY



**Prayer Meeting is back on at Moe New Life. Wednesday 8-9am**

If you are unable to make it to church, and you're wondering 'how am I going to bless God with my Tithes/Offerings'??

You can do it from the comfort of your lounge room through online banking or you can do a direct deposit at the Commonwealth Bank anywhere in Australia.

### BANK DETAILS

**MOE NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN CENTRE**  
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**REF 'TITHE', 'OFFERING' or 'MISSIONS'**

What Am I?

I'm curved but I'm not a banana  
 I'm mentioned in the first book of the Bible but I'm not a snake  
 I'm colourful but I'm not a parrot  
 I'm mentioned in a Wizard Of Oz song but I'm not a Yellow Brick Road  
 I'm found near a leprechaun but I'm not a pot of gold

