

## Church Action Plan re COVID-19 (as at 24 March 2020)

	Principle	Practice
1	Our church doors are closed but view our services online.	Under Australian Government public gathering restrictions as at 24 March 2020, our weekly church service has moved online until further notice.  <b>View our Sunday service</b> on Sunday morning at <a href="https://www.lifechurchpanania.org/weekly-word-2020">https://www.lifechurchpanania.org/weekly-word-2020</a>
2	Group activities	<b>Cancelled until further notice:</b> Home Groups, Prayer Groups, Men's Coffee, Communion, morning teas, church lunches. Easter Outreach at Panania shops.
3	Church offering	If you haven't already, <b>please consider organising a direct credit arrangement via internet banking</b> with your bank. Church account details: LifeChurch Panania, BSB 704 922, Account 005 008 757.
4	Maintain communication.	<b>Pray for one another. Pray for Ian and Eleanor and our Church Council</b> that they have will have God's wisdom in charting our course through these hard times.  <b>Pass on email/text messages from the church</b> to those people who are not on email or on the internet. <b>PLEASE ring them</b> to update them.
5	Look out for yourself.  Look out for one another.	If you are unwell, or are on antibiotics, or if your immune system is weak, stay home and keep yourself isolated. Rest until you are completely well.  Stay in touch. Phone, text, email, or snail mail is all ok. <b>Social distance does not mean social isolation. Love one another in new ways.</b>  <b>If you need practical help, contact Ian or Eleanor – 0481 284 394.</b>
6	Handwashing and cleaning	Wash your hands thoroughly / use hand sanitiser provided frequently. Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your elbow (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze. Discard used tissues in the bin.  We need to clean and disinfect church premises more regularly, especially door handles, benches and other high-touch areas, objects and surfaces regularly.
7	Keep a Social Distance, physically	Under Australian Government restrictions as at 24 March, up to 10 people can meet but subject to the 1 person per 4 square metre rule. But our Sunday service has moved online.
9	What does the future hold?	We rest in God's everlasting arms and stand on His promises:  Jeremiah 29:11 "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."  <b>Fear not</b> , is one of the most repeated commands in Scripture. The world is obviously broken, but God still rules and is in control. Be alert, but not alarmed. Be wise, cautious, gracious and calm. Let's support one another, and underneath are God's everlasting arms.