



Sydney Bible Baptist College



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TRAINING NATIONALS TO REACH NATIONALS

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Dear Pastor and friend of SBBC,

Greetings in the Saviour's Name,

This year's college graduation week was one of the best in recent years. There was evidence of a ministry of the Spirit of God as each preacher addressed his allocated aspect of "Being filled with the Spirit."

Our graduate, Robert Ayoub, has commenced an internship with Pastor Zaydan at Faith Baptist Church. Many of our night class students are either continuing for another course or transitioning into day time studies. We have already received more applications from full time students than we had last year so we are very encouraged.

In preparation for the beginning of the 2012 college year, please note the following commencement details and pass them on to both continuing and prospective students.

- **Registration Night:** Monday, February 6th
 - 6.00-7.00pm: Registration of all students (new, continuing, full-time and part-time)
 - 7.00pm: Meeting for all lecturers scheduled to teach in the first semester.
 - 7.30pm: Commencement service. Speaker: Pastor Keith Piper.
 - Light refreshments to follow – please bring a plate of finger food to share.
- **Commencement of day lectures:** Tuesday, February 7th
 - 7.00am: Music and English Composition.
 - 7.55am: All other classes.
- **Commencement of Tuesday evening course:** February 7th at 7.30pm
 - Subject: Old Testament Bible History.

Please consult our website, www.metropolitanbaptist.net.au, for course details and if you have any questions, please contact the college office.

We ask for your prayers in the following areas:

- For people who are seriously considering full time study, that they may have deciding grace to do God's will.
- For our lecturers, busy pastors, as they prepare their lectures for 2012.
- For more churches to give regular support to the college ministry. Operating expenses are continuing to escalate and we are praying for others to join the small group of churches who currently support us as a worthy missions project. Please help us to continue to do our best in training the next generation of preachers and missionaries.
- For our new students who will move from the country or from interstate as they settle into the dormitories in the latter part of January. Also, for the completion of internal building work which will facilitate some flexibility in student living arrangements for next year.

In closing, we would like to thank you for your support of the ministry of Sydney Bible Baptist College as we seek to 'Train Nationals to Reach Nationals.'

Yours sincerely in Christ's service,
Trevor Ringwaldt
(Dean of Students)