

As Cyclone Alfred looms, we're reminded of the power of the storm—but even more so, the greatness of our God. “Sometimes He calms the storm, and sometimes He lets it rage while bringing peace to His child.” (Leslie Gould)

February was a testing time for us as a corps, especially for many families, with the promotion to glory of a much-loved soldier, and members of our corps family facing illness, and in some cases, major surgeries. Yet, in it all, we witnessed a beautiful faith and the strength of our corps family.

We are seeing evidenced in so many ways that God is in our midst, working out His perfect plan in and through each of us.

This month, as we reflect on Matthew 6:33—“But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness...”—we are reminded that God is in our midst, working in and through His people, drawing us closer to Him.

MATHEW 6:33



Our National Vision

Wherever there is hardship or injustice

Salvos will live, love and fight

Alongside others

To transform Australia one life at time

With the love of Jesus



Welcome!!! We're so happy to have you here. Here at BCT is a place to stay connected, be encouraged, and grow in faith together. Whether you're new or a longtime member, you belong here. Let's keep shining God's love in our lives and community. Blessings to you!



For all matters of Corps/church people & ministries, worship services, business & finance and property, please see our Corps Officers Maj's Ashley & Bronwyn OR our Corps Sgt Maj, Judith

For all other matters relating to community assistance, programs & services as well as community volunteering, then please see our Community Engagement worker Nicole or Corps Officers Maj's Ashley & Bronwyn

Self Denial 2025

Devotions for the Self Denial Appeal are available at the back of the auditorium

OR

Click on this link

<https://www.salvationarmy.org.au/subscribe/sites/auesalvos/files/self-denial/SD25-Devotional.pdf>

Coffee Ministry

Now that I have your attention, there is opportunity to join the coffee ministry team that makes and serves coffee on Sunday morning before the service.

And if you've never used a professional barista machine before, don't panic because we can teach you so that you will be a "coffee crusader!!!"

Please Andrea if you would like to know more.



Wednesday Welcome

We are looking for kind and friendly volunteers to help welcome people as they arrive at our church to receive assistance. A warm greeting can make all the difference, and your presence can help create a comforting and supportive environment. Please see Ashley or Bronwyn for more information



Sunday teaching Bible readings

Mar 2	Matt 6:33 & Col 3:1-4
Mar 9	Matt 6:33 & Deut 6:1-9
Mar 16	Matt 6:33 my church
Mar 23	Matt 6:33-my finances
Mar 30	Matt 6:33-my community

PRAYER

Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you Jeremiah 29:12

Join together in prayer

- **Sunday morning at 9:15am** – 167 Ann St
- **Powerhouse 10am** – last Saturday of each month – 167 Ann St



Praying for others

It is encouraging to know people are praying for you. During this month you are encouraged to bring the following people before God in your regular time of prayer

1 – 9 March

Margaret Just, Graeme & Gwenneth Klee, Gordon & Barbara Knowles, Clarence Ku, Susan Leonard, Eunice Leitch

10 – 16 March

Rebecca Lithgow, Zac Lithgow, Bevon & Marzley Luhrs, Coral Luhrs, Russell & Fiona Luhrs, Ron Cheryl MacDonald, Jonathon Mayor

17 – 23 March

Heather Marshall, Ben McCloud, Victoria Meteyard, Merv Moore, Warran & Andrea Murray, Anna Murray, Sheila Neil, Heather Olm

24 – 31 March

Graham O'Neil, David & Bev Oates, Paul & Lois Parkinson, Colin & Ann Peckett, Edna Reid, Tom Richardson, Pamela Roper, Margaret Saunders, Kevin Seymour



A bit further north...

God put it on my heart and mind so hard and fast that I ended up in Townsville for the flood relief. It took a bit of doing as I was not a member of the SAES but now am. It was very confronting dealing with so many displaced people, but I always manage to laugh at myself. When I went there, I did not have a ticket to come back. This was a little disconcerting, but I just had to trust the process. I dropped the car back to the airport at ridiculous hour in the morning to get back in time for GSA. I was walking across the carpark and noticed people with their luggage. That was when I realized I had best get back to the car and get mine out of the trunk. I do amuse myself. What a gift God has given us when we have the ability to see the silliness of our actions and be able to laugh.



THANK YOU!



Thank you...

It is with great sorrow and gratitude that Sheila has left her position with helping out with Emergency Relief just now. She has held this role on a voluntary basis for quite sometime and been an invaluable sounding board for me. I will miss her. Volunteers are such an invaluable asset to achieve the results that we do with the Salvation Army. If you can contribute at any stage please let us know.



GSA continues to do what it does. This month marks the 15th Anniversary that some silly man named Bill Hunter dared to pray the dangerous prayer of how he could best serve the Lord and here we are. Through a lot of work and effort we continue to help change people's lives.



The Brisbane City Watch House mission just goes from strength to strength and I am so privileged to be a part of it. It has evolved to the point that the Officers now call if they identify someone who could benefit from our assistance and we do our best to organise for someone to attend.

Announcement: Open House Feeding Program Update

You may have noticed that the Open House feeding program has not begun this year. After much reflection, the corps leadership have made the difficult decision to cease this ministry. There were several reasons that contributed to this decision which made it challenging to sustain this program & more importantly, create effective missional connection. There are also the growing number of similar programs already serving our area.

So firstly, we want to express our deepest gratitude to everyone who has been part of this ministry over the past nine years.

Your dedication, time, and love have made a meaningful impact on many lives, and we are truly thankful for your service.

Moving forward, we are exploring new ministry opportunities that will foster deeper, more intentional connections within our entire community. We look forward to sharing these developments with you soon and invite you to join us in shaping the next chapter of our outreach.

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to serving others

If you have any further questions, please contact Nicole.

Email: Nicole.Collins@salvationarmy.org.au

DID YOU KNOW?

The Salvation Army started in a graveyard

When Booth found himself without a church to preach in, he became a travelling preacher, spreading Christianity wherever he could. In 1865, he was invited to preach in London's East End and was provided with a piece of land on which to preach, which just so happened to be situated in a graveyard.

Despite the melancholy surroundings, the graveyard sermons became a big success and the location became the first Salvationists' base of operations, providing an unlikely point of origin.



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SELF DENIAL 2025

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The Self Denial Appeal is an opportunity to trust God with our finances as we consider the sacrifice of one week's salary. You can change lives overseas and let God's overflowing hope be revealed.

Please give generously. Scan the QR code to make your gift today.

Learn more about the Self Denial Appeal:
www.selfdenial.info

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BELIEVE IN GOOD

Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Concert

* 50 cent public transport

* 200m from Central Railway Station

Sunday, 23 March 2025,
2pm

The Salvation Army, Brisbane City Temple

167 Ann St, Brisbane



Gold coin donation to support the Red Shield Appeal

Featuring:

Brisbane City Temple Band
Brisbane City Temple Songsters
Salvation Brass



QUEENSLAND
Missionary Fellowship

Date Claimer!

Friday 14 March, 2025 11.30am

Brisbane City Temple Salvos

167 Ann St,

Enjoy getting together with friends, sharing a chat,
cuppa and lunch (\$5)

An opportunity to encourage our missionaries.



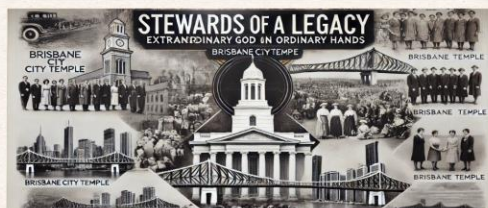
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SAVE THE DATE

26TH - 27TH JULY 2025

“STEWARDS OF A LEGACY”



Celebrating God's faithfulness
across the 140 years of BCT

Honoring the Past, serving the Present,
Shaping the Future

Brisbane City Temple Corps



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What Happens

SUNDAY	
9:15am	Prayer gathering
9:30am	Coffee
10am	Morning Worship
10:30am	Primary, Kids Connection & Junior Soldiers
4pm	God's Sports Arena

TUESDAY	
10am	English Conversation classes
6pm	Young Adults Connect Group Bible Study

WEDNESDAY	
10am-12pm	Emergency relief
12pm	Postponed till further Notice - Open House Community Lunch
6pm	Worship Team Rehearsal
7.30pm	Band Rehearsal

THURSDAY	
10am	mainly music

SATURDAY	
10am- 12pm	Powerhouse Prayer (Last Saturday of the month)

Please note

- Office open Tuesday to Thursday.
- Corps Officers are contactable on Monday
- Office closed on Friday (Corps Officers day off)

Online Giving - Tithes and Offerings

You can make a direct deposit into the corps account.



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Weekday Parking

If you require a parking space during the week please ring the office, Ashley 0402781705 or Bronwyn 0402781693 to check availability.

There are various events or people requesting parking on different days and we need to know in advance available parking spots.

Sunday Parking Options

KING GEORGE SQUARE CAR PARK

Vehicle entry is via Roma or Adelaide streets and exit is via Roma street.
 Cost is \$10 for 3 hours on a Sunday

WICKHAM TERRACE CAR PARK

Located between Wickham Terrace and Turbot street, Spring Hill
 Cost \$6 for four hours on a Sunday

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

2 Corinthians 9:7



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