



Central Vic Salvos

18th May 2025

INSIDE OUT REVERSE COLOURING

This term at Kids club in Maryborough, we are mixing themes from the Disney animation 'Inside Out' and stories from the life of Jesus. These sources engage us in thinking about how emotions work. We'll look into the stories of Jesus and ask first of all "How does Jesus feel?" and then, "What does Jesus do?" As followers of Jesus, we want to follow his pattern for handling our emotions. So this is an important part of children's faith development as they learn to firstly recognize their own emotions and then choose what to do.

Here is some of the art from our first week:

This art process is called 'Reverse colouring pages'. In standard colouring books, a black line image is provided, and the colour is added within the lines of the image. Full disclosure: I detest colouring pages – along with many of educators and child-advocates and wellbeing agents.

In Reverse Colouring, the colourful page is given and the artist adds their own black lines interpreting the colours with whatever shapes or narrative images they choose.



The imagination is ignited by the coloured patches – there are so many possibilities. You can see how various artists from Kids Club have created strikingly different images from the same set of blotchy hues.

I especially value this art making process for the alignment it has with how we interact with our emotions. We are rational and emotional, instinctive and reflective beings with a complex brain but it's our feelings that most often arise first, which we then find meaning for, drawing a reasoning story of interpretation over how we feel.

Across my decades of study, research, writing and thinking about intergenerational faith formation I've seen that the most significant thing a church can do to nurture and strengthen the faith of its children is for the grown-ups to take care of their own 'emotional hygiene', setting the example for children to follow. We need to spend time looking at the colours on our page, reviewing the impact that grief, loss, trauma, criticism and suffering of all kinds have had on us, and become sensitive to the way we have drawn our story over the top; how do we see ourselves, and what do we do when we feel difficult emotions? Do we jump to defenses, to angry attacks, to fawning and over-people-pleasing, to blaming and shaming others? In my years in Christian communities, I've seen plenty more poor behaviour by adults than by children.

So this wall of art is a celebration of the emotional flourishing of our children, and a call to us as adults, parents, leaders, fellow travelers with children to do some serious spiritual reverse colouring.

Beth (Castlemaine)



RED Shield

Greater Bendigo is looking for team leaders for each static point. If you can help please call Major Karen.

GREATER BENDIGO



MARYBOROUGH RED SHIELD STATIC POINTS

ALDI 21st - 23rd May

IGA 28th - 30th May

Please sign up in the foyer for an hour or two.



MARYBOROUGH



RED SHIELD APPEAL

GREATER BENDIGO

The Red Shield Appeal is just around the corner and we need your help. We are looking for passionate and community minded people to volunteer as team leaders at our various collection points. If you are interested please contact Major Karen Armstrong on 5459 0507, Corps Officer Ashir Morris on 5440 8431 or Caroline Carter on 5440 8434.

We also urgently need your support to help man our collection points. The various collection points are below and a roster will be drawn up to put your name down. Be the hope someone needs.

- Eaglehawk IGA & Golden Square Woolworths - 12 - 17 May
- Kangaroo Flat and Long Gully IGA - 19 - 24 May
- Coles Bendigo - 19 - 24 May
- Marketplace and Lansell square - 26 - 31 May
- Kangaroo Flat and Epsom Bunnings - 2 - 7 June
- Caravan and Leisure show Bendigo Showgrounds - 30, 31 May & 1 June
- Intersection collection - 24, 25 & 31 May



CASTLEMAINE RED SHIELD

May 24 Red Shield IGA Sausage Sizzle

May 24/25 & 31 Red Shield Collection

Contact Beth for more information

CASTLEMAINE



 **RED SHIELD APPEAL**

SALVO YOUTH CAR WASH



FRIDAY 23RD OF MAY
5:00PM - 7:00PM
27 WILLS ST, MARYBOROUGH

SAUSAGE SIZZLE \$2	CARD & CASH ACCEPTED	CAR WASH \$10
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BYO SNACKS | DRINKS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE

MARYBOROUGH SALVOS TRIVIA NIGHT

6PM SAT 31ST MAY
DOORS OPEN AT 5:30PM
(27 Wills St, Maryborough)

INCLUDING A SILENT AUCTION

ADULTS \$10 | U16 \$5 | U5 FREE

BOOK A TABLE OF 8, OR BOOK A SPOT FOR YOURSELF AND WE'LL ADD YOU TO A TABLE
PH: 03 5459 0500
@MARYBOROUGHSSALVOS

 **RED SHIELD APPEAL**
LEAVE NO ONE IN NEED

THIS IS AN ALCOHOL FREE EVENT

HELP US RAISE FUNDS SO WE CAN CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THOSE IN NEED IN OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY



Central Vic Salvos

CENTRAL VIC SALVOS MONTHLY

Prayer & Worship Night

5-6pm
Sunday 25th May 2025
Bendigo Corps
65-71 Mundy St, Bendigo

Please bring a plate of food to share following the meeting

For Grade 3 to Yr 8

junior creative arts camp

Cost \$275

JULY 7-10

Concert on Thursday, 10 July, 5pm
@Merri-Bek Salvos
15 Headley St., Coburg North

Rutherford Park & Country Retreat
290 Kangaroo Road, Blomfield VIC

For more information please contact Julia Roper
julia.ropar@salvationarmy.org.au

<https://salvationarmy.typeform.com/to/upu1Tnmz>

PRAISE GOD FOR:

- Please continue to spend time daily in **ADORATION** of our Amazing and Awesome God, reflecting on God Himself, Praising Him for and in His Love, for His Power and Majesty, for His Wonderful gift of Christ.
- Praise Him for our families and friends, our neighbours and all the people He calls us into a relationship with.
- Praise Him for the Vision and Mission of The Salvation Army, and the part Central Vic Salvos has, the part we each have, in 'preaching' the Gospel message to all nations.
- Praise Him for all the committed and faithful followers of Christ throughout Central Vic Salvos.
- Praise Him for all those who have recently made a decision to follow Jesus and Praise Him for all those who have yet to make that decision (through the help of the ministry of Central Vic Salvos)
- Continue to offer prayers of **THANKSGIVING** - being thankful and grateful for everything that God gives you, for everything that God does for you, even the tough times that we go through, knowing that God will use them for our spiritual growth, if we allow Him to.



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- Our Mission and Vision as we share the love of Jesus by: Caring for people, creating faith pathways, building healthy communities and working for justice, so that wherever there is hardship or injustice, Salvos will live, love and fight alongside others, **TO TRANSFORM** Central Victoria **ONE LIFE AT A TIME WITH THE LOVE OF JESUS.**
- For every officer, soldier, adherent, employee, youth and child, that we will each be active in sharing our faith and spreading the Gospel message, reaching out in practical ways to minister to the needs of our communities, to daily put our faith in action.
- For **PROTECTION** for our Church Leaders - (Major Karen Armstrong, Captains Ashir Morris and Hummera Ashir, Beth Waldron Anstice and Captains Heather and Peter Stamp) and their families - if we are advancing the Kingdom of God, we will come under attack of the enemy, and those in leadership are prime targets. Use scripture (Isa. 54:17, Ps 91, Ps 23, Isa. 45:2) Cover them in the Blood of Jesus. May they always seek God first, in everything they do.
- Pray for yourselves and families - we all need protection from the enemy if we are living according to God's will for us.

Psalm 86: 11-13

'Teach me Your ways, O Lord, that I may live according to Your truth! Grant me purity of heart, so that I may honour You. With all my heart I will praise You, O Lord my God. I will give glory to Your Name forever, for Your love for me is very great.'



EAGLEHAWK EVENTS FOR THE 2ND HALF OF THE YEAR

July

Making a Psalm 23 bracelet

August

Scrapbook of Faith

September

Knitting / Crocheting for a
cause

October

High Tea

November

Chocolate Making workshop

December

Getting ready for Christmas.



WORSHIP PAINTING DAY

Tuesday 17th June from 10am

Come along if you are interested in discovering a
new way to worship God.

WORSHIP THROUGH CREATIVITY:

Ephesians 2:10 emphasizes that Christians are created in Christ Jesus for good works, including artistic expression, which can be an act of worship.



Live painting is an act of creativity. The act of creativity reminds us that we worship and are made in the image of an Eternally Creative God.

Art is valued and inspired by God as a means of reflecting and glorifying the wonder of God.



INSPIRED ARTISTS:

Exodus 35:35 mentions that God filled the Israelites with skill to create artistic works for the Tabernacle, highlighting His inspiration of artists for worship.

Maryborough



Maryborough
Salvo's Play Space
Commencing June 5th
Thursday's 9.30am - 11.00am*
27 Wills Street, Maryborough



Free Indoor/Outdoor Play, Music, Reading, Friends and Healthy Snack. Something for everyone, bring a gold coin donation and a piece of fruit. From birth to school age. Contact: 5459 0500 *during school terms

NOON PRAYER

Thursday's @ 12pm
27 Wills Street
Maryborough

Everyone welcome
Please join us as we spend
time in prayer as a church

For more information
Please contact Liz Conway – 0487 921 857

The Salvation Army logo clothes

For Sale

second hand items for a donation

Central Vic Salvos Clothing

\$40 for a Hoody

\$35 for Polo

\$20 for a T-Shirt

Limited sizes available



Castlemaine

DIARY DATES

**May 17 Family Fun Night –
Party Games and Food**

**May 18 Castlemaine Leadership
Lunch**

**May 24/25 & 31 Red Shield
Collection**

SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND BAKE SALE

Saturday May 24



9am-2pm



Outside IGA Castlemaine
Hargrave Street entrance.
Castlemaine



**RED
SHIELD
APPEAL**

Castlemaine



UNSHAKEABLE

SAVE THE DATE

KIDS CAMP 2025

Monday 22nd Sept >>>> Thursday 25th Sept



CYC Phillip Island Adventure Resort



NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

THE PREMINENCE OF CHRIST

Col 1: 15-20

Saturday 7th June 2025

10.00am to 4.00pm



Church of Christ
66 Blakely Rd
Castlemaine

**Salvos leading 11am-noon
Incorporating call to prayer
for Victorian Division of
The Salvation Army**



**Castlemaine
Salvo's**

Playgroup

Monday 10am – 11:30am*

47 Kennedy Street, Castlemaine

Free Indoor/Outdoor Play, Craft,
Singing, Music, Food Play, Reading,
Friends and Healthy Snack.
Something for everyone,
bring a gold coin donation and a piece of fruit.
From birth to school age.
Contact Vicki 0418 138 435
*during school terms



Castlemaine



Central Vic Salvos

PRAYER MEETINGS

In line with the Division-wide call to prayer, during the week beginning June 1 CVS Corps will be holding local prayer meetings to pray for our division and the 'Recasting the Net' principles and developments.



Thank you to Pinchapoo and The Salvation Army Bendigo for the hygiene products. With this generous contribution, the Salvation Army is able to assist Bendigo Health to provide patients being admitted to or discharged from hospital and need personal hygiene items such as toothpaste, shampoo and conditioner etc. These are important but often overlooked items and can make a big difference for people at a very vulnerable time in their lives.



COMMUNITY MEALS



The Hilltop Cafe provides delicious free meals three days per week.

Monday: 12.00pm - 1.00pm (meals by impact recovery)

Thursday: 12.00pm - 1.00pm

Friday: 10.00am - 12.15pm (meals by MADCOW)

DISCOVERY CHURCH

Alpha

Discovery church is starting a new program called Alpha

Alpha is a beginners course for people who want to know who God is and our place in the world.

Starting 9th of march 5:00pm

If you are interested please contact
Kenneth: 0466 233 230
or
Captain Ashir: 0408 746 144

Bendigo

DROP IN

Why not drop into the Worship Centre on a Thursdays between 2.00pm - 5.00pm and have a chat with Dave or our friendly Chaplain Shiralee or come to the Church Service on a Sunday from 10.00am - 12.00pm

Chapel Service

Come along for our Chapel service. A relaxed service where we celebrate God and who he created us to be.

Every Thursday 11:15am-11:45am
Worship centre, enter via back gate

Bendigo



Thrift Shops

BENDIGO THRIFT SHOP

2B Thistle Street, Golden Square

Ph: (03) 5459 0504

Open Hours:

9am-4:30pm Monday to Friday

9am-2pm Saturday

BENDIGO CBD THRIFT SHOP

18 Pall Mall, Bendigo

Ph: (03) 5459 0509

Open Hours:

9:30am-4:00pm

Monday to Saturday

EAGLEHAWK THRIFT SHOP

4 Marong Rd, Ironbark

Ph: (03) 5459 0508

Open Hours:

9:30am-5pm Monday to Friday

9:30am-4pm Saturday

CASTLEMAINE THRIFT SHOP

46 Forest Street, Castlemaine

Ph: (03) 5459 0506

Open Hours:

10am-4pm Monday to Friday

10am-3pm Saturday

ST ARNAUD THRIFT SHOP

70-72 Napier Street, St Arnaud

Ph: (03) 5459 0503

Open Hours:

9:30am - 3:30pm Monday to Friday

10am-2pm Saturday

AVOCA THRIFT SHOP

114 High Street, Avoca

Ph: (03) 5459 0502

Open Hours:

10:00am - 3:30pm Mon, Wed, Fri

BENDIGO

MONDAY

12.00pm - Community Meal

1.00pm - Art Space

12.30pm to 3.00pm - Free Showers

12.30 to 2.30pm - Clothes Washing

TUESDAY

12.30pm to 3.00pm - Free Showers

THURSDAY

9.30am to 12.30pm - Free Showers

10.30 to 1.30pm - Clothes Washing

11.15am - Chapel

12.00pm - Community Meal

1.00pm - Art Space

3.00 to 5.00pm - Drop in space

6.00 to 7.15pm - Zac's Place

12.00 to 2.00pm - Free Hair cuts

(see Hair Aid poster)

FRIDAY

9.30am to 12.30pm - Free Showers

SUNDAY

10.00am - Celebration Service

11.30am-12.30pm - Free Showers

4.00pm - Discovery Church

CASTLEMAINE

MONDAY

10.00am - Playgroup

WEDNESDAY

9.30am to 12.00pm Doorways

FRIDAY

9.30am to 12.00pm - Doorways

SUNDAY

10.30am - Worship Service

65-71 Mundy St, Bendigo

47 Kennedy St, Castlemaine

WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

MARYBOROUGH

MONDAY

9:30am to 12.30pm - Doorways

10:30am - Women's Fellowship

WEDNESDAY

9:30am to 12.30pm - Doorways

THURSDAY

12.00pm - Noon Prayer

2.00pm - Bowls

4.00pm - Kids Club *

FRIDAY

9:30am to 12.30pm - Doorways

5.00pm - Faith Chats *

6.00pm - Youth Group *

SUNDAY

9:15am - Prayer Meeting

10.00am - Celebration Service

(All Age Worship 1st, Corps Lunch 3rd Sunday)

12.00pm - Junior Soldiers (3rd Sunday)

27 Wills St, Maryborough

EAGLEHAWK

SUNDAY

9:40am - prayers

10.00am - Celebration Service

TUESDAYS

3:35 to 5pm - Choir Practice.

THURSDAY

1.30pm - Crafty Skills Community

3.00pm - Bible Study (fortnightly)*

4:30 pm - Prayer Meeting - Hall

51 Church St, Eaglehawk

*not on during school Holidays



Contact Us

THE SALVATION ARMY CENTRAL VIC SALVOS

BENDIGO

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CASTLEMAINE

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EAGLEHAWK

Corps Officer: Maj. Karen Armstrong
51 Church Street, Eaglehawk | (03) 5459 0507
corpsofficer.eaglehawk@salvationarmy.org.au

MARYBOROUGH

27 Wills St, Maryborough | 03 5459 0500
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2 WAYS TO GIVE



IN PERSON
PLACE YOUR CASH
OR ENVELOPES IN
THE OFFERING PLATE



ONLINE
VIA BPAY
BILLER CODE: 437855
REFERENCE #: 10009



doorways

Doorways is our Community Support program. It is the entryway through which those experiencing hardship and/or disadvantage can take proactive steps to find the support they need to overcome life's challenges and find long-term solutions. We offer a range of services from emergency relief to case management and more.

If you are experiencing hardship or financial difficulties, please call the
Salvos Phone Assistance Line (PAL) on 03 8873 5288.
This service operates Monday to Friday between 9am and 4pm.

Please be aware no assistance interviews will be conducted from our local sites. Community members presenting to any of our Central Vic Salvos sites will be invited to contact Salvos PAL.



The Salvation Army Central Victoria acknowledges the Dja Dja Wurrung and Taungurung Peoples of the Kulin Nation, the Traditional owners of the land on which we meet and work and pay our respect to Elders past, present and future. We value and include people of all cultures, languages, abilities, sexual orientations, gender identities, gender expressions and intersex status. We are committed to providing programs that are fully inclusive. We are committed to the safety and wellbeing of people of all ages, particularly children.