

Central Vic Salvos

Sunday 28th May 2023

LET'S CELEBRATE PENTECOST!

Greetings, I would like to take a moment to explain the significance of Pentecost —a special event in the Christian calendar. Pentecost is a celebration of the empowering presence of the Holy Spirit in the life of believers like yourself.

Pentecost occurred fifty days after Jesus' resurrection (This Sunday), when the Holy Spirit descended upon the disciples, filling them with power and enabling them to communicate the message of salvation in various languages. This incredible event marked the birth of the Church and the beginning of a new era— a time when the Holy Spirit would dwell within every believer.

The Holy Spirit is the third person of the Trinity—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—and plays a vital role in our lives as Christians. The Spirit empowers us, guides us, comforts us, and reveals the truth of God's Word to us. It is through the Holy Spirit that we are transformed and enabled to live out our faith.

Pentecost reminds us that as believers, we are never alone. The Holy Spirit is our constant companion, helping us grow in our relationship with God and empowering us to serve others. It is through the Spirit's guidance and strength that we are able to bear witness to God's love and share the good news of Jesus Christ with others.

For those who believe, we encourage you to seek a deeper understanding of the Holy Spirit and invite Him to be actively involved in your life. Embrace the empowering presence of the Spirit and allow Him to guide and shape your faith journey.

May your understanding of Pentecost and the Holy Spirit deepen your faith and inspire you to live a life that glorifies God. Blessings

Ronald Stobie (Capt.)



Central Vic Salvos



5-6pm Sunday 28 May 2023 Eaglehawk Corps 51 Church St, Eaglehawk

Please bring a plate of food to share following the meeting







"It is written," he said to them "My house will be called a house of prayer" Matt 21:13

"Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise" James 5:13

Please pray for:

- Those who are unwell physically, emotionally, spiritually, mentally
- For people to start following Jesus as their Lord and Saviour
- For all the corps, programs & services in Central Vic Salvos - Maryborough, Eaglehawk, Castlemaine, Bendigo, Avoca and St. Arnaud.
- Our leaders National, State, Local (Government, Community & Salvo)
- CVS programs & services
- This week we are praying for Southwest NSW area of The Salvation Army.
- Red Shield Appeal

Praise God for:

- Answers to prayer
- People making decisions to follow Jesus! Our 2023 CVS total = 5.
- New faces joining our various CVS programs & services
- For His Holy Spirit







SALVO RESOURCES

- Salvos Online For Salvation Army news, articles & resources go to <u>www.salvosonline.org.au</u>
- KidZone Magazine Check out the KidZone website for extra resources that you can download to your device, or print and do at home! Go to <u>kidzonemag.com.au</u>

DATES TO REMEMBER

MAY 28 CVS Prayer Night | Eaglehawk

JUNE 25 CVS Prayer Night | Castlemaine

JULY 3-6 Junior Creative Arts Camp

Bendigo/Eaglehawk

LOCAL MISSION OPPORTUNITY – SERVING THE HOMELESS – REACH OUT FOR HELPING HANDS!

We are thrilled to be involved in a community partnership, joining eleven other local churches to support the Bendigo Winter Night Shelter (BWNS) in 2023.

We as the local church, will work alongside many others in our city to express love, compassion and to provide shelter, food and dignity for those in great need who experience crisis homelessness over the months of June, July and August in the Bendigo area.

We are specifically reaching out for various roles to serve in this local mission, seeking individuals who would be positioned on a Friday night to help out on these following nights:

> Friday 2 June Friday 14 & 28 July Friday 25 August

If you are unable to do a Friday night, please consider other nights to help across the week. To commit to volunteering with the Winter Night Shelter

please go to https://bwns.org.au/volunteerapplication.

BENDIGO THRIFT SHOP

2B Thistle Street, Golden Square Ph: 03 5441 7608 **Open Hours:** 9am-4:30pm Monday to Friday 9am-1pm Saturday

WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

WEDNESDAY

2.00pm - Bible Study | E 3.00pm- Timbrels | E 3.00pm - Band Practice | E

THURSDAY

6:30pm - Prayer & Bible Study – Epsom

FRIDAY

12.00pm - Community Meal @Hilltop Cafe | B 5.00pm - winter night shelter | Koolamurt

SUNDAY

10.00am - Celebration Service | B E 11.00am - Audio Service | 105.0FM 5.00pm | Foundations except for monthly CVS prayer & worship service | B 5.00pm (monthly) - Prayer & Worship Service | CVS

*School terms only



Spencer Viney who has taken on the role of Ministry Assistant at Bendigo



Salvos.

Bendigo & Eaglehawk Banking Details

Account Name: The Salvation Army BSB: 033-688 Number: 811 119



Bendigo/Eaglehawk



Easy-to-understand, Foundations is for anyone who wants to go deeper into the Christian faith.

It can help you build an intelligent, informed, compassionate faith and will explain the Salvation Army doctrines, and show where they come from.

VISIT BY THE DIVISIONAL COMMANDER

Colonel Kelvin Merrett Sunday June 4 at 10am Bendigo Salvos Worship Centre

FAITH, FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP

When the day of Pentecost came,

they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.

Acts 2:1-2

Sunday June 18 at 10am Join us for church with a difference. The perfect opportunity to invite your family and friends. Bendigo Salvos

EAGLEHAWK THRIFT SHOP

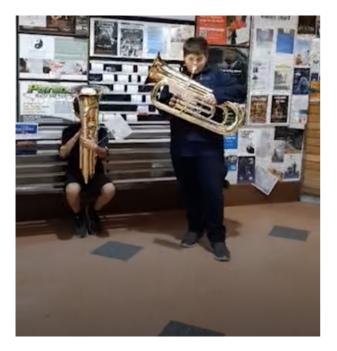
4 Marong Rd, Ironbark Ph: 03 5446 7928 **Open Hours:** 9:30am-5pm Monday to Friday 9:30am-4pm Saturday



Castlemaine

CASTLEMAINE THRIFT SHOP

46 Forest Street, Castlemaine Ph: 03 5470 5636 **Open Hours:** 10am-4pm Monday to Friday 10am-3pm Saturday



WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

MONDAY 3:30pm - Just Brass | C

WEDNESDAY

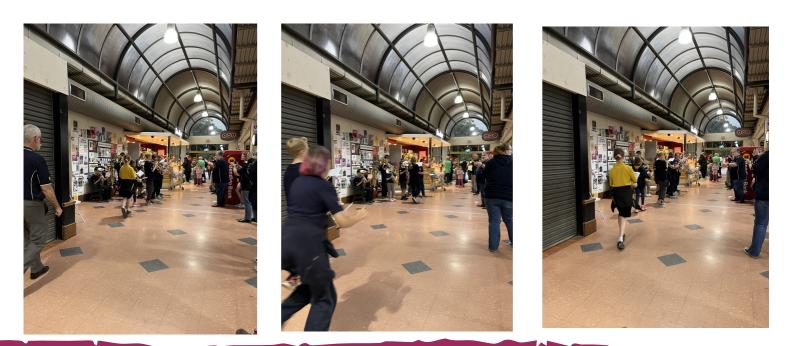
8:30am - Prayer Meeting | C 3.00pm - Band Practice | C & E

SUNDAY

9:45am - Band Rehearsal | C 10:30am - Celebration Service | C 11.00am - Audio Service | 105.0FM 5.00pm (monthly) - Prayer & Worship Service | CVS

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Just a super 'spontaneous' Flash Mob at Maxi IGA by our Just Brass program. If you wish to watch the flash mob go to The Salvation Army Castlemaine Facebook page





MARYBOROUGH THRIFT SHOP

78-80 Alma Street, Maryborough Ph: 03 5459 0501

Open Hours:

9:30am-4:30pm Monday to Friday 9:30am-2pm Saturday

AVOCA THRIFT SHOP

114 High Street, Avoca Ph: 03 5459 0502

Open Hours:

10:00am - 3:30pm Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri 10am-2pm 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

DROP IN CENTRE

Come have a chat, play games and pick up some bread. Monday, Wednesday or Friday 9.30 - 1.30pm

PROMOTED TO GLORY

Gwen Cunningham was promoted to glory this week, please pray for her family.





WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

MONDAY 10:30am - Women's Bible Study* | M

THURSDAY

9:30am - Mainly Music (0-5years)* | M 2.00pm - Indoor Bowls | M 4.00pm - Kids Club (Primary school)* | M 5:15pm - Junior Soldiers* | M

FRIDAY

10.00am - Chapel 1st Friday of Month | M 1.00pm - Victory Over Darkness | M 5.00pm - Youth Life Group (High school)* | M 6.00pm - Youth (High school)* | M

SUNDAY

9:15am - Prayer Meeting | M 10.00am - Celebration Service | M 11.00am - Audio Service | 105.0FM 5.00pm (monthly) - Prayer & Worship Service | CVS

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JUNIOR SOLDIER ENROLMENT

5 New Junior Soldiers will be enrolled this weekend. Please pray for our young people as they make their Junior Soldier promise.



THE SALVATION ARMY CENTRAL VIC SALVOS

BENDIGO

Corps Officer: Maj. Andrew Walker 65 – 71 Mundy Street, Bendigo | 03 5440 8431 corpsofficer.bendigo@salvationarmy.org.au

EAGLEHAWK

Corps Contact: Ken Hollis 51 Church Street, Eaglehawk | 0447 489 914 ken.hollis@salvationarmy.org.au

CASTLEMAINE

Corps Officer: Capt. Amy Jones 47 Kennedy Street, Castlemaine | 03 5470 5389 corpsofficer.castlemaine@salvationarmy.org.au

MARYBOROUGH

Corps Officers: Capt. Amy & Ronald Stobie 27 Wills St, Maryborough | 03 5459 0500 corpsofficer.maryborough@salvationarmy.org.au



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 <u>03 8873 5288.</u> 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.