

2019: NEW FOUNDATIONS

PARRAMATTERS

SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER 2019

Parramatta Salvation Army

THIS SUNDAY: 12NOON. BYO LUNCH. MP1.

CORPS FORUM

Measure twice, cut once...
things we want to get right!

In our worship today we are going to look at the Spiritual Discipline of spiritual friendships. It's true that everybody needs a friend, likewise, every Christian needs a spiritual friend. Calhoun* outlines the benefits of spiritual friendship: experiencing God's love through a friend; appreciating the giftedness of friends; allowing a trusted friend to stretch and challenge you; learning to be sacrificial in time and care; being open about the highs and lows of life; gaining the perspective and support of a fellow believer; having more than allies, colleagues and acquaintances on your faith journey. While friendliness is a common currency within the church, friendship is much more. Spiritual friendship adds another dimension... when friends open their spiritual journey to one another in the presence of Christ, they step onto holy ground. This kind of friendship is what the church needs in our present age. Where believers pursue relationships that will impact their spiritual formation and transform their lives.

* *Spiritual Discipline Handbook page 151*

COMING UP

SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER 2019

9.30am & 11am: Worship

12noon: Corps Forum - BYO lunch

YP SUNDAY & GATHERING 4

SUNDAY 3 NOVEMBER 2019

9.30AM YP WORSHIP [including Junior Soldier Renewal & Enrolment]

12NOON YP SHOWCASE @ Mana Site, Parramatta Park; BYO lunch; including Games for all Generations.

PRAYERPOINTS



Please pray for all those who lost their lives and for those affected by the recent devastating typhoon in Japan.



Continue to remember those in our corps family who are unwell, receiving treatment or have ongoing medical needs. We continue to pray for Johnnie Kwong, Margaret Humbley and Harry Kardi, as well as Barbara Browning.



We remember all the students that have begun their HSC exams this week.



Keep on praying for the build schedule for 426 Church Street.



If you would like us to pray for you or your loved ones, contact either **Marty Bust** or **Dot Griffin** for it to be included in the newsletter.

YP
'young & brave'
SUNDAY
& **PICNIC** Parramatta
CORPS Gathering 4
celebrating Youth & Community

GATHERING 4 PICNIC




Parramatta Park has parking bays and roadside parking in certain areas. There is a space for people to be dropped off right next to where we are gathering. There is plenty of space to set up tables and chairs as well as use the provided 'Mana' picnic area that includes a BBQ. Toilets are nearby.



CORPSNEWS

DUTY ROSTER

This Sunday Kellee and Kate Y are on the roster for morning tea. If you cannot do this week please call Loretta on 0467785786.

2020 CORPS CALENDAR

Last Tuesday night our leadership team, pastoral care team and wider ministry team met to plan the 2020 Corps Calendar. If there are any dates you would like us to remember and include please send them through to Major Sharon. We are looking forward to presenting a number of events as we open the newly renovated 426 Church Street as well as honouring our time spent at the Granville site. A draft calendar will be available at the beginning of December.

CORPS FORUM

This Sunday immediately following worship don't forget to BYO lunch.



SATURDAY 19 OCTOBER

Come and join us from 4.00 pm at 11 Melissa Place, West Pennant Hills for some cricket, tennis, rounders, and mahjong. Plus a dip in the pool to cool off.

We're going to share some Hamburgers (Hamburg, get it?) at 6.00pm.

All catered for!

Please bring your most creative and fun stein, cup, glass, or mug to drink from.

There will be a prize for the wittiest/funniest drinking receptacle.

This is open to all Men, Boys, and Tomboys.

See you there.

Oh, and let us know if you're coming.

We value:

- ♥ Learning to be a follower of Jesus
- ♥ Intergenerational worship
- ♥ Intentionally creating community
- ♥ Flexibility and willingness to adapt
- ♥ Connecting with our multi-cultural context

Working draft compiled from Gathering 3 forum.

COMINGEVENTS

LADIES FELLOWSHIP

WEDNESDAY 23 OCTOBER 2019

**OUTING to Japanese Garden
at Auburn Botanical Gardens**

YOUTH GROUP

This Friday night—Cluedo / murder mystery night. \$2 per person.

5:45 - 6:15 Band / Junior Timbrels

6:15 - 6:45 All-in meal (parents are welcome!!)

6:45 - 7:15 Combined dance

7:15 - 7:45 Youth Timbrels

7:45 - 9:30 Youth Group



JOIN US FOR OUR YOUNG ADULTS

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

December 7, 2019 | 1:00 PM
170 Caroline Chislom Dr, Winston Hills
RSVP by 24 th Nov to Montana



Australian Church Women Inc
AMN 00 030 320 715

World Community Day 2019

*Theme: Women Serving Open Heartedly
Open Hearts, Serving Hearts*

You are invited to World Community Day, a combined service,
sponsored by Australian Church Women Inc.

Featuring: Fellowship of the Least Coin Ingathering and offerings for Asian Church Women's Conference and The Special Project: Hope Street Women's Centre, Darlinghurst, Sydney..

Date: Friday, 25th October
Time: 10.00 am Morning Tea
10.45am Service for WCD
Place: The Salvation Army cnr Victoria St and Good St Granville
In the hall near the gated driveway at bus stop.



SUMMER CARNIVAL

6-10 JAN 2020

PHILLIP ISLAND HIGH SCHOOLERS TO 21 YEARS

\$165 PER PERSON REGOS CLOSE 18 NOV 2019

HIGH SCHOOLERS TO 21 YEARS

REGISTER NOW!

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