

# PARRAMATTERS

SUNDAY 10 DECEMBER 2017

Parramatta Salvation Army



## WORSHIP TODAY

**9AM** Easy English Worship  
Chapel at the Willows [Youth]

**10.30AM** Advent Worship

Join us for Morning Tea after worship, served in the Connect Centre opposite the citadel.

## CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP

**9.30AM** Monday 25 December

Offering on Christmas Day:

We'd like to give you two options for your Christmas offering this year. Our Territory's Christmas Appeal will go towards supporting Salvation Army Officers in Indonesia. All unmarked money will go to support the work in Indonesia. Option 2 is to support the ministry of Amy Duncan a young woman who has been in Thailand for five years as a missionary helping abandoned children. To support her ministry please place your offering in an envelope marked: *Amy Duncan Outpour Movement Thailand.*

## 2018

**SUNDAY JAN 14**

**Welcome to Granville**

**+ welcome lunch**

**SUNDAY FEB 25**

**Day of Prayer**

**SATURDAY MARCH 3**

**Smith St Celebration**

**SUNDAY MARCH 4**

**Celebration & Worship**

**SUNDAY MARCH 11**

**Final worship at Smith St**

**SUNDAY MARCH 18**

**Worship begins at 60 Good St**

## PRAYERPOINTS



Please pray for the Christmas Cheer project as it prepares to receive volunteers and clients. Pray for the team of workers who assist Marg Poore.



Pray for the many ministries of the Parramatta Corps as they tell the Christmas Story to the many people and families who attend these ministries throughout the year. Pray that the story of Christ may speak to their hearts and reveal God's saving love.



Pray for those in our church community who are unwell, or recovering from surgery or injuries. Also pray for those who need to go into higher care and are making the transition into a new stage of life.



Pray for the Granville Corps as they merge with Parramatta Corps. Pray that they may feel welcome and included as they make this transition.



Please pray for Daryl and Rachael Parkers baby boy as he has been moved into the high dependency ward.



Please pray for Tanya, a volunteer at the Family Store, who suffered a heart attack on Wednesday.

# CORPSNEWS

## THANK YOU

A massive thank you to everyone who helped with the working bee last Saturday morning. A great effort filling an enormous skip. This takes us a giant step closer to the overall clean-up. Thank you to Leanne West for hosting morning tea and to Peter West for organising the skip.

Thank you to the coordination team for the corps Christmas lunch last Sunday: to Margaret Humbley, Narelle Kuiper, Antoinette Fani Srou and Patricia Yeboah. Also to the people who helped Grant with the Spit Roast: Jeff Parker, Marty Bust, Janet Muir and to the performers: Julie Jurd and Mini God Squad kids, Junior Dance Group, Glen Kuiper. It was a great time of fellowship and we appreciated everyone who contributed and helped in some way.

## CHRISTMAS AT THE FAMILY STORE

The Family Store is celebrating Christmas with live music and great specials on Saturday 16th December from 10am. Thank you to the band and to Genelle Cross who will be our musicians for this event bringing Christmas joy to the shoppers. We are looking for people to help with face painting and also to take part in a letterbox drop... if you are available to help in any way please let Sharon know.

## CHRISTMAS CAROLS

The songsters are caroling at local shopping centres in December. They will be at Winston Hills Saturday 9 December between 10.30am and 12.00pm; Carlingford Court on Thursday 14 and 21 December from 7.00 to 8.30pm. We are looking for kids and adults to help us with handing pamphlets out and with collecting. If you could spare a few hours at any of the above times, please let Tannie Kwong know ([tannie@email.com](mailto:tannie@email.com) 0411 479844).

## NYE GET TOGETHER

All Welcome! New Year's Eve celebrations are on again at the Carger's house. 4pm onwards for a swim, BBQ starts at 6 pm and the fire pits when it gets dark. Please bring your chair, your meat to cook, a bottle of drink and a salad/dessert to share. Send Loretta an email to let her know you're going — [carger.family@gmail.com](mailto:carger.family@gmail.com)

## BUNNINGS CHRISTMAS COLLECTING

If you are able to help with Bunnings Christmas Collections Roster from Monday 18 to Friday 22 December. Please contact Major Bill Mole.

## GRANVILLE CLEANUP ASSISTANCE

Can you spare a couple of hours to help Granville Officers clean up on Saturday 16th December? We will be commencing around 8:30 am and finishing around 2:00 pm. Any time that you can provide would be appreciated. Just let Major Barry Fischle know for planning and catering.

If you would like to give to the kingdom building activities in and through our Corps by transfer please use the following details: **BSB 032078; Account No. 000810288; Account Name - The Salvation Army, Parramatta.** Please include an applicable reference on the transfer so we can accurately record the gift.

If you would like to receive the newsletter by email please send your details to [parramatta.corps@gmail.com](mailto:parramatta.corps@gmail.com)

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## COMINGEVENTS

### GOLDEN YEARS

TUESDAY 12 DECEMBER

Join us at 10am for morning tea then a great morning of **Christmas Celebration Cabaret Style**

Our guest is Lieut Nicola Poore



8 December



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