



Blacktown City Corps

Opportunities for Ministry

Oasis	Sunday	9:00 am
Family Worship	Sunday	10:30 am
Delve Bible Study	2nd Sunday of each month	1:30 pm
Koinonia (FELLOWSHIP LUNCH)	4th Sunday each month	
PRISM Program	Monday	7:00 pm
Ladies Fellowship	Tuesday	
	Morning tea	10:30 am
	Home League	11:00 am
Ensemble Practice	Tuesday	7:30 pm
Kids at Play	Wednesday	10:30 am
Band Practice	Wednesday	7:30 pm
Know your Bible	Thursday	9:30—10:30 am
Timbrels / Your Group /Life	6:30 every second Friday Night.	

Please note: Any inclusions in the Newsletter please contact Captain Bill or Susanne or Gail Salmon.

Gail can be contacted on 4733 2401 (leave a message) or email:
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Blacktown City Corps Newsletter

6th July 2014



Visitors are always welcome at Blacktown. Please share in a time of fellowship during morning tea following the Service.

Corps Officers

Captains William & Susanne Geracia

2 Kempsey St. Blacktown

OASIS meeting for all leaders TODAY after Church. Get your lunch and then come back to the Oasis room for 1pm. Thank you.

Youth Group Meeting after Church July 13th at 1pm.

Captain Susanne has not been well. She is also flying back to New York in 2 weeks. Pray for her and Elaina as they prepare for this trip.



What an exciting event coming up on Sunday July 13th—we are going to be DEDICATING Cruz Dobing! What a wonderful chance to enjoy God’s goodness in our lives.

Tithe envelopes for the new financial year are at the back of the hall—please get yours today and if your name isn’t on one and you would like one, see Susanne.



Our Corps Camp is on again! Change of date: June 26th—28th 2015 at Stanwell Tops. More information to follow!

DON'T FORGET to check out the NOTICBOARD for new calendar information.

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SPECIAL NOTE: We are still looking for a ‘willing volunteer’ to help Bill with pub ministry on a Friday night. If you feel this could be your way to minister to others, please see Bill as soon as possible.

Sermon Series

Philippians 3:12-21

Please read and let God open your hearts.



JULY BIRTHDAYS



6th Craig McCready

8th Stephen White

10th Christine Bellamy

10th Isaac White

11th John Hughes Snr.



Happy Anniversary

8th July Barbara & John Hughes

PRAISE THE LORD!! We have 2 people who have volunteered for Ministry on Saturday mornings at Westpoint! THANK YOU!

HOME LEAGUE SCHEDULE:

- ⇒ 8th July 'Let's Bear it' Leader - Betty
- ⇒ 15th July Maree Hill
- ⇒ 22nd July Captain Susanne
- ⇒ 29th July Captain Bill



COMING EVENTS:



Prayer Meeting July 19th 7 pm.



Parramatta Missionary Morning July 23rd



Just Men Conference 25th—27th July—If you want to attend, please see Bill! Would love to see a good roll up from the men of the Corps! Chick Yuill is not to be missed. **Bill needs to know TODAY if you are attending this conference.**

Youth & Kids Ministry Conference August 1-3. If you love kids and have a heart for Kids Ministry then this is for you! Register online at salvos.org/more

WEEKLY GIVING

Open Plate Giving \$ 107.50

Planned Giving \$ 975.00

D/D \$ 1,356.00

EMERGENCY ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED: Tina, who attends our meetings, is looking for some temporary emergency accommodation. If you have a spare room where Tina could stay, please let her know today.

Our Congratulations to Ivan Kelly (see the following story)...

The Paul Harris Fellowship Award was presented to Ivan Kelly 2 weeks ago by the Rotary Club of Blacktown. Ivan Kelly is a well known and well respected member of the Rotary Club and was chosen for his award from his work in Rotary with both raising funds and the setting up of a WELL in Monrovia via the Save Water Save Lives programme. Ivan was instrumental in assisting with the setting up of a SCHOOL and other sections of the school for orphans. This has since gone on to involve the purchase of land and starting market gardens to make the school self sufficient.

In his vote of thanks Ivan explained how he first became involved in Rotary in 1975.



The only way to see life clearly is to focus on Christ.

PRAYER LIST



Please pray our Officers, Captain Bill & Susanne and their family as they minister to us. Pray for Captain Bill's mum who is far from well.

Pray for Rena with continued serious health concerns.

Continue to pray for Tracey Sheaves for a speedy recovery from her surgery.

Continue to pray for Sandra Robinson and her family as she is still recovering from her surgery.

Pray for Whitney Kuiper for a speedy recovery from Glandular Fever and as she is now in Africa.

Pray for Noelene Kelly as she is recovering from hip surgery.

Pray for Estelle Ring and her family as they have all been unwell.

Continue to pray for Cadets Chris & Kay Ford and Jessica & Sara as they continue their studies at The Training College and prepare for commissioning.

This week pray especially for: Cherylee Reeves, Estelle, Paul, Gaylene, Julie & Bronwyn Ring, Wayne & Janine Robins, Nigel, Linda, Joshua & Samuel Robinson.

Give thanks to God for the answers to prayers and for the many blessings he gives us daily.