



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	
Junior Soldiers	During the meeting every 2nd Sunday	
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	10:00 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.

Blacktown City Corps Newsletter

9th November 2014



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

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:
gail_salmon@bigpond.com



Corps Officers

Captains William & Susanne Geracia

REMEMBERANCE SERVICE tonight at Parramatta Corps, 6pm.

REVIVE (Youth Group) 14th November—Mystery Theatre



November 15th PRAYER MEETING—7 pm. Please come along and join with us.

November 16th (next Sunday) following the meeting there will be a rehearsal for the Carols in the Carpark drama—please see Maddie Muir for more details.

December 7th after the meeting there will be a FULL rehearsal for the Carols with the band, singers and actors. Please see Naarah with any questions.



Thanksgiving Service and Dinner November 30th at 6pm. Please see the noticeboard to sign up—pay on the night. (\$8 per person, under 5 free, \$24 family of 4). Last day to sign up is November 23rd.

CAROLS IN THE CARPARK December 14th. Please see Susanne or Naarah if you can help in any way. A list of 'jobs that can be done' is on the notice board. It's not too late to help! See Naarah or Susanne if interested.

White fairy lights and also gazebos are needed for the Carols in the Carpark event—if you can please lend these items see Susanne or Naarah.

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Happy Anniversary

Don & Bronwyn Jenkins



3rd November Laura Batcheldor



Congratulations to Cherylee on the Marriage of her daughter Lisa Reeves yesterday. Our thoughts and prayers are with Lisa and her husband as they begin a new life together.

There are a couple of families who will be moving away very soon. Bruce & Tracey Sheaves have sold their house and are moving to Qld.

Stephen, Karen, Michaela, Wendy and Isaac have been reassigned to Townsville.

Please pray for these families that they will be assured of our prayers as they settle into their new surroundings and to know they will be missed from our Fellowship at Blacktown. God Bless.



Willing Volunteers to clean the building once a month.



HOME LEAGUE SCHEDULE:

- ⇒ 11th Nov. Remembrance Day
- ⇒ 18th Nov. Guest Speaker—Lt Pat Cory—Granville Corps Officer
- ⇒ 25th Nov. Christmas Service—Captain Bill & Susanne.

COMING EVENTS: Please check the notice board for all coming events:



November 29th at 7:30pm

The Festival of Christmas Band Programme

will be held here at our hall. Tell your friends. Come and enjoy a great night of music.

It would assist us greatly if you would like to donate a cake or slice or something for the supper following the programme. If you cannot make it to the programme donations can be accepted before that and we can use the facilities of the freezer. Many thanks.



Corps Camp: Sign Up Sheet on the noticeboard: PLEASE Sign up NOW to show your interest.

- ◆ Stanwell Tops—June 26-28th 2015
- ◆ Guests Majors Gary & Judith Baker
- ◆ 236 days away!
- ◆ Prices (can pay over time to Susanne but must be paid in full before going to camp. Under 3 free. 3-5 years \$20. 6-12 years \$63. 13 years and up \$73. These prices are per person per night.

WEEKLY GIVING

Open Plate Giving \$ 48.95
Planned Giving \$ 1,000.00



Sermon Series

Please read and let God open your hearts.

“Dear Friends, Healthy relationships are vital to our existence and our wellbeing. Relationships are important to us, but are they healthy? Over the next three weeks we will be exploring what God says about different relationships that we enter into and are a part of. We will explore our relationships with God, with ourselves, with others, and what to do when we are in an unhealthy relationship. We will explore passages such as John 1:12-13, Genesis 1:26-31, Genesis 2:18-25, and 1 Corinthians 12:14-23. Come and let's journey together through our own relationships and our relationships with each other as the Body of Christ.” Blessings Bill & Susanne



Christmas is a time to celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. What better way to celebrate this season than to have a party and sing some carols. This year we are wanting to take the party to our community by having carols in the carpark. In order to do this, we need your help. There are many opportunities for you to get involved. Including market stalls, drama, show casing of our talented Corps folk. We are even hoping to have a choir. But in order to do this, we need you to express your interest in being part of this exciting event and sign up today. Please see Naarah or Captain Susan if you require and further info—sheets are on the Notice Board.

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.

PRAYER LIST



Please pray for our Officers, Captain Bill & Susanne and their family as they minister to us.

Pray for Wayne in PNG.

Pray for Rena with continued serious health concerns.

Please continue to pray for Kath Paddison as she seeks to do God's will.

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

Continue to pray for Gavin, Jen, Charlotte and Avery (who is still far from well).

Pray for Doug Turner as he is at home recovering from a hip replacement.

Pray for a revival in ourselves, our Corps, our City, our Army and Leaders.

This week pray especially for: Bob & Debbie Rogan, Max & Natalia Roorda, Peter, Tina, James, Jessica & Emily Rumble, David & Gail Salmon, Bruce & Tracey Sheaves.

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