

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sun, 11th — Sat, 17th Sept 2016

11th Sept, SUNDAY:

9.30am Worship
10.45am Morning Tea
1.30pm Bible Study
(Howard)

12th Sept, MONDAY:

10am Knitters & Natters

12th Sept, TUESDAY:

9am AA
1.30pm Bible Study
(Howard)
4:00 to 5:00pm Kids Club

13th Sept, WEDNESDAY:

10am-12 Doorways
12.00-1.30pm "Lunch is on us"
3.00pm Contemporary
Band practice

14th Sept, THURSDAY:

10am Home League
4.30pm Band Practice

15th Sept, FRIDAY:

10am-12noon Doorways
12—1.30pm "Lunch is on us"

16th Sept, SATURDAY:

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sun, 18th — Sat, 24th Sept 2016

18th Sept, SUNDAY:

9.30am Worship
10.45am Morning Tea
1.30pm Bible Study
(Howard)

19th Sept, MONDAY:

10.00am Knitters & Natters

20th Sept, TUESDAY:

9.00am AA
1.30pm Bible Study
(Howard)
4:00 to 5:00pm Kids Club

21st Sept, WEDNESDAY:

10am-12 Doorways
12.00-1.30pm "Lunch is on us"
3.00pm Contemporary
Band practice

22nd Sept, THURSDAY:

10.00am Home League
4.30pm Band Practice

23rd Sept, FRIDAY:

10am—12 noon Doorways
12-1.30pm "Lunch is on us"

24th Sept, SATURDAY:



The Salvation Army

Gympie

Sunday, 11th September
& Sunday, 18th September 2016

The Salvation Army Gympie is a faith community that encourages ongoing personal spiritual growth to equip people to love and serve God and the community through practical Christianity.

Good morning and a warm welcome to everyone who has been able to join us this morning.

It Is All About HIM

When Sheri got engaged, her single friend Amy celebrated with her. She planned a bridal shower, helped pick out her wedding dress, walked down the aisle just before her, and stood by her side during the ceremony. When Sheri and her husband had children, Amy gave baby showers and rejoiced in her friend's blessings.

Sheri told Amy later, "You've comforted me during hard times, but the way I especially know you love me is that you rejoice with me in my good times. You haven't let any jealousy hold you back from celebrating with me."

When John's disciples heard that a new rabbi named Jesus was gaining followers, they thought John might be jealous (John 3:26). They came to him and said, "He is baptizing, and all are coming to Him!" But John celebrated Jesus' ministry. He said, "I have been sent before Him. . . . The friend of the bridegroom, who stands and hears him, rejoices greatly because of the bridegroom's voice. Therefore this joy of mine is fulfilled" (vv.28-29).

An attitude of humility should also characterize us. Rather than desiring attention for ourselves, everything we do should bring glory to our Savior. "He must increase, but I must decrease" (v.30).

Not I but Christ be honored, loved, exalted; Not I but Christ be seen, be known, be heard; Not I but Christ in every look and action; Not I but Christ in every thought and word.

—Whiddington

If we want an increase of Christ, there must be a decrease of self.

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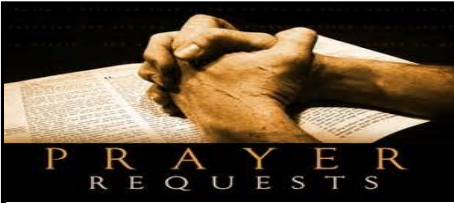
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- Don is in Eden Rehab in Cooroy for 2 wks for intense therapy. Pray this will be helpful for him.

DISCRIMINATION CASE

This has been settled out of court. We thank God for this amazing answer to prayer. All details are confidential.



- General Andre & Comm Silvia Cox
- Lt Cols David & Sandra Godkin, and Mjr Peter & Miriam Sutcliffe their leadership of this Division.
- Helen as she teaches RI
- Corps ministries and leaders.
- Children at school that they will be able to stand firm in their faith
- Irene is still far from well. Pray for wisdom for the doctors as they help her.
- Lisa and the team as they prepare for Term 3 Kids Club.
- Elma has been quite unwell. She is waiting to see a specialist. Please pray that treatment will be speedy.
- Stephen needs work. Please pray for a job for him.
- Margaret and Laurie as they recover
- Leanne (one of our friends) commences chemo on 12th September, following which she will have surgery. Although cancer is large, it is confined and doctors are hopeful of a good outcome. Please pray for an awareness of God in this situation for her and her husband Alan, and healing for her. Please pray also for accommodation post surgery for ongoing treatment and checkups where they can have their dog.

Play Equipment

We have been concerned with the way our property is being treated, in particular the games tables.

There are signs that ask for parents to supervise the use of these and make sure toys are put away but still we are finding equipment all over the floor.

Parents, if your children use these, please make sure they put equipment away and treat it with care.

If this does not improve we will have to consider not letting children use them. We certainly hope we do not need to do this we do want these items to be a source of enjoyment.

**Put Away the Old...
Before
Starting the New!!!**



HERVEY BAY ANNIVERSARY: What a great weekend. We pray you were blessed as you shared with other corps folk. Let's continue to pray for each other and the different ministries each corps has in their local communities.

While Majors Brian and Clair are on Furlough the meeting will be looked after by:

16th October: Majors Peter and Miriam Sutcliffe

23rd October: Majors Kevin and Glenda Hentzschel

30th October: Gail Davidson

Please support these people as they come to minister.

Appointment Announcements: For those who are interested there is a list on the notice board of this years moves. Col Neil and Dorothy's daughter and son-in-law Majors Warren and Denise Parkinson have been appointed to Noosa/Coolum corps which will be nice for Neil and Dorothy.

Please pray for officers as they prepare to move to their new appointments.

GALA Ball: This is another venture of the Family Store and will be held in November at the Civic Centre. More details closer to date. **Laura is needing GREEN or WHITE Christmas trees.** If you have one that you could lend (or one to give away) please let Laura know.



YOU CAN HELP!

(For those who cannot physically help)

As you know we offer FREE showers to the homeless. Shower packs are part of this.

They include:- **Soap, deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste, razor and shampoo.**
If you would like to help by donating any of these items they would be very welcome.

We have also commenced FREE BREAKFASTS Monday – Friday. You can also help with **donations of cereal** if you would like to be part of this.

The use of our washing machine has also increased and we have obtained a second one to use. We also have a second clothes dryer as well. **Washing powder** is also provided. If you would like to help with providing this I know you will be blessed.

Please see Major Clair if you have any questions.

The police have charged a young man with stealing from our corps and shop this week. We commend Laura for her vigilance and prompt action in following this up. New security cameras have been approved and will be installed soon. This will also help in identifying people who are stealing our property.

BE STRONG
& COURAGEOUS
DO NOT BE AFRAID
DO NOT BE DISCOURAGED
— FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD —
Will Be
WITH YOU
WHEREVER YOU GO
JOSHUA 1:9

Over the next 3 weeks we will be focusing on different aspects of prayer:
We pray that “CRYING OUT” to God was helpful to you.

The other aspects will be “Fasting”, “Praise” and “Whatever”. I heard a quote once:

“If you sell yourself out to prayer your best days are just ahead of you but if you don’t your best days are behind you.”

We pray that what we share will revitalize your prayer life and we learn more about these aspects of prayer.

WHO’S THE BOSS?

Do you often wonder where your money goes? If so, come along to this free basic budgeting workshop, find the leaks and be in control of your spending.

**Thursday, 22nd September 2016
9:30am to 3pm**

This is a free course and open to anyone.
Please see Julie if you are interested in attending.
RSVP Monday, 19th September 2016



'OTHERS' T-shirts

They are \$20 each, or if 5 or more shirts are ordered on the one form, the price is reduced to \$17.50 per shirt. Please see Major Clair if you are interested in ordering. The logo on the back of the t-shirt reads:

You are not here in the world for yourself. You have been sent here for others. The world is waiting for you! - Catherine Booth

