

Gungahlin

NEWSLETTER

June 2024

When you go through difficulties

But the LORD was with Joseph and showed him mercy, and He gave him favour in the sight of the keeper of the prison.' Genesis 39:21 NKJV

To reach his destiny, Joseph went through betrayal, temptation, slander, and wrongful imprisonment. But he came out on top. Here is what Joseph recognised that you also need to recognise:

- **1) God knows what you're going through, and He cares.** There is a key phrase found five different times in the story of Joseph: 'But the LORD was with Joseph.' Even when everything was going wrong, Joseph never doubted that God was with him.
- 2) You have been given freedom of choice. God gives you the freedom to choose how you will react to your circumstances: faith or doubt, joy or despair, patience or impatience, etc. When you choose to ignore what's right, God won't force His will on you. Sometimes, we bring problems on ourselves and then blame God. We say, 'It must be God's will,' as if God gets pleasure out of planning our mistakes and miseries! The truth of the matter is that God's will isn't always carried out. Yes, He has a plan for our lives, but He has also given us free will. And because He has also given others free will, their mistakes and decisions can hurt us as well.
- **3) God is in control of the final outcome.** He can take every negative circumstance in your life today and turn it around for your good. In the end, Joseph could say, *'You meant it for harm, but God meant it for good'* (see Genesis 50:20). And while God was working to bring good out of his situation, Joseph had to keep trusting Him, even though at the time he did not understand what was happening and you must do that too.

SoulFood: Lam 3:40 – 5:22 Mark 13:1-11 Ps 113 Pro 14:1-4

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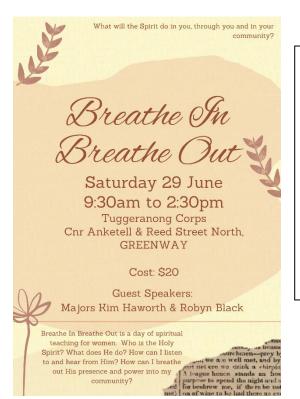
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Breathe In Breathe Out is a day of spiritual teaching for women. Who is the Holy Spirit? What does He do? How can I listen to and hear from Him? How can I breathe out His presence and power into my community? Guest speakers are .Majors Kim Haworth and Robyn Black.

This year Tuggeranong Salvos are hosting the event and you are invited! Register via the link below

https://salvationarmy.typeform.com/BIBOTuggeranong

On Thursday 6th June we received a call to let us know that Solar Panels will be installed on the Church building starting 12th June. This is part of a donation AGL have given The Salvation Army across Australia to install panels on their buildings. These panels and installation will be at no cost to us. We will have 100 panels installed. We are thankful for this wonderful blessing given to us



Corps Name Change: BEGA

An approval has been given for a change of name for Bega Corps in the NSW/ACT Division effective as of 2 June 2024.

Please note the new name for the Corps will be Bega Valley Corps and the rationale for this change is the Local Government Area name for this location.



All volunteers who work in Child-facing roles or are in Leadership roles are now being asked to complete (even if you have only recently completed the old training) the new Safeguarding@TSA Advanced training which replaced the old Safeguarding Principles training.

If you have any concerns or questions, please reach out for support.

June Newsletter

School's Community Worker (30/hrs week)

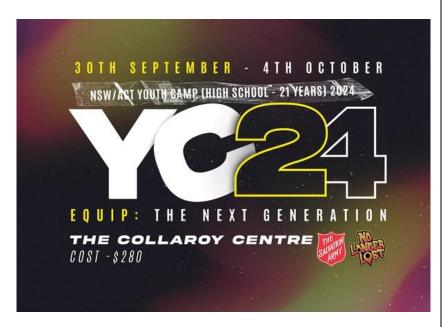
This is a role the Corps has facilitated for a number of years now and is funded by a legacy. We are now in a position rehire for this now

Please pray for the right person and feel free to share this job ad around or post onto your own social media. Please see the link below.

We are flexible in terms of some of the qualifications, so please have a chat to us if you think you are suitable or know someone who is

https://www.seek.com.au/job/76221715





State Youth Camp (formerly Equip) is our yearly combined four night camp during September school holidays. It aims to invite young people to share life with Jesus, experience transformation and step forward confidently in making positive change in their world. Camp is for young people who want to explore and develop their life with Jesus. Camp program includes small groups, youth church, creative and practical electives and loads of fun activities!

DETAILS:

Starts Monday 30th September Concludes Friday 4th October Location: The Collaroy Centre, Sydney

https://salvationarmy.typeform.com/youthcamps24















Worship Arts Team are hosting a Music Team Workshop day for any local Salvo who is leading others in musical worship. Our aim is to encourage our music teams to grow in faith, inspiration, skill and personnel. We want to invest into these musical legends who are often leading our congregations in worship week in, week out.

This is for your entire music team. There will be electives in drums, keys, guitar, bass and vocal. There will also be workshops in 'How to build a worship team', worship leading, musical directing, Multitracks and Resourcing, Rostering & Reporting.

Not to mention a key note, coffee and lunch included! If you want to see your music ministry grow in faith, relationship and craft then this workshop is for you.

Details...

When: Saturday 13th July

Time: 10am-1pm

Registration begins at 9.30am. Teaching begins at 10am. Lunch is provided from 1pm.

Where: Auburn Salvos

166-170 S Parade, Auburn NSW 2144 Cost: **\$20** (coffee and lunch included)

Registrations have now opened!

Rego Link:

https://salvationarmy.typeform.com/to/p2cFJIII

Red shield appeal results as at June 6th

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Bunnings	Casii	LII	IOIAL
18th May	134.85	30	164.85
19th May	71.2	110	181.2
Total	206.05	140	346.05
Total	200.03	140	340.03
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20th May	137.9	20	157.9
21st May	72.25	550	622.25
22nd May	360.85	292	652.85
23rd May	246.35	160	406.35
24th May	181.6	45	226.6
25th May	133.7	20	153.7
Total	1132.65	1087	2219.65
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23rd May	332.4	90	422.4
24th May	232.7	1170	1402.7
25th May	69.75	50	119.75
26th May	33.1	25	58.1
Total	667.95	1335	2002.95
Casey			
24th May	440.3	430	870.3
25th May	293.5	375	668.5
26th May	175.8	115	290.8
Total	909.6	920	1829.6
Amaroo	100.6	425	240.6
24th May	123.6	125	248.6
25th May	170	75	245
26th May	124.25	50	174.25
total	417.85	250	667.85
Street Minis	stry		
	2216.3	2150	
Total	2216.3	2150	4366.3
Omline	50		
Online	50		
Cash	5550.4		
EFT .	5882		
Total	11482.4		11482.4
Money Collected July 2023 -March2024 Total Red Shield Account			4780
23/24	nieia Account		16262.4

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTED EITHER BY VOLUNTEERING OR GIVING

WE ARE OPEN TO FEEDBACK

-LOCATIONS - DID YOUR
COLLECTING SPOT WORK, IS
THERE A BETTER SPOT WE
SHOULD TRY, DID THE TIMES
WORK (WE HAVE ALREADY HAD
FEEDBACK THAT PERHAPS WE
SHOULD START AT 10AM IN
SOME LOCATIONS)