



# Central Vic Salvos

19th May 2024



In the book of Acts Chapter four the believers were one in heart and mind. No one claimed that any of their possessions were their own, but they shared everything they had. Barnabas whose name means "Son of encouragement," sold a field he owned and brought the money and laid it at the disciple's feet.

Barnabas accompanied Paul to Antioch, taking a letter with them for the church. Barnabas delivered the letter, Acts 15:31, When the people read it they were very happy because the message was very encouraging.

So you see Barnabas lived up to his names meaning.

God never intended for us to struggle through life alone.

In the scriptures we notice God provides friends for our support.

King David had Jonathan, Naomi had her daughter in law. Even Jesus, when He knew what lay before Him, asked Peter, James and John to come and pray with Him, when He was facing death on the cross.

During our lifetime there will be many times when we need encouragement, times when we just don't seem to be handling life's challenges. It's great then to have someone to listen and understand your situation and encourage you to carry on.

I hope we all have someone like that in our lives, someone to turn to when things become difficult.

As the pandemic isolated us from personal contact with one another we used social media, texts, phone calls to encourage, just like that letter that Barnabas delivered.

In Deuteronomy 3:28 The Lord said to Moses, "But command Joshua and encourage and strengthen him; for he shall go over before this people, and he shall cause them to inherit the land."

1 Thessalonians 3:2-3 Timothy who is a beloved brother and coworker in God service, was sent to strengthen people's faith and encourage their hearts so that no one would be shaken by their current persecution.

In Act 27 it tells us that the storm was so violent, the ship would be ship wrecked, and that Paul, encouraged those on board that they would be safe.

Be assured as you encourage others you will be encouraged yourselves.

**Eddie Anderson (Eaglehawk)**



# Red Shield Appeal



## Greater Bendigo



### RED SHIELD APPEAL



**May 10 - June 2 2024**

You can make a positive difference for people who are doing life tough by helping collect for this year's Red Shield Appeal. All funds we collect will come back directly to the Bendigo region.

**To register for an online collection page please go to**

<https://digitaldoorknock.salvationarmy.org.au/greater-bendigo-salvos>

**To register to collect please email**

[corpsofficer.bendigo@salvationarmy.org.au](mailto:corpsofficer.bendigo@salvationarmy.org.au) or speak to one of the officer team.

We need collectors for the following dates:

- **Intersection - Saturday May 25**
- **Shopping Centres - May 13 to June 1**
- **Doorknock - Sunday May 26**

## Castlemaine



We are looking for volunteers for RSA collecting at Castlemaine Newsagency. If interested could people contact Captain Amy Jones or Sharna Calabro as soon as possible if you can help

**Monday May 20 - Saturday May 25**

IGA Long Gully

Woolworths Golden Square

**Saturday May 25**

Intersection collection

**Sunday May 26**

Girton doorknock day

**Monday May 27 - Saturday June 1**

Lansell Square

Bendigo Marketplace

**Friday May 31 - Sunday June 2**

Bendigo Indoor Caravan Leisure

Roadshow at the showgrounds

## Red Shield Fundraiser

**Escape to the Chateau**

**Wednesday 26th June - 6.30pm**

**\$20 entry**

**Venue - 55 Evergreen Bvd, Jackass Flat**

**All money raised is going to Red Shield**



Central Vic Salvos would like to thank everyone who volunteers to help out at each site We could not do what we do without you.



Central Vic Salvos



National **Volunteer** Week  
20-26 MAY 2024  
Something for Everyone



# Red Shield Appeal

## Maryborough



We are looking for volunteers for RSA collecting at Aldi and IGA. if you can help for a couple of hours please fill out the roster on reception desk.

MARYBOROUGH SALVOS  
**TRIVIA NIGHT**  
*with Silent Auction!*

**SAT 01 JUNE**

**Start at 7:00PM**  
Doors open at 6:30PM

**ADULTS \$15 | U16 \$10 | U5 FREE**

MONEY RAISED WILL BE USED TO SUPPORT OUR LOCAL EMERGENCY RELIEF PROGRAMS AND SERVICES SO WE CAN CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THOSE IN NEED IN OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY.

27 WILLS ST, MARYBOROUGH  
CARD & CASH ACCEPTED

# SALVO YOUTH CAR WASH

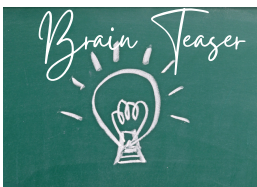
Friday 24th of May 5:00pm - 7:00pm

**THE SALVATION ARMY** | **Red Shield Appeal**  
Leave no one in need

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| SAUSAGE SIZZLE<br><b>\$2</b> | <b>CARD &amp; CASH ACCEPTED</b> | CAR WASH<br><b>\$10</b> |
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### STAFF PROFILE - Joyce - Admin Team Member

**What's your favourite kind of flower:** Pink Roses  
**Favourite Colour:** Pink  
**Sweet or Savory:** Sweet  
**Favourite bible verse what is it?** Philippians 4:6-7  
**If someone offered you the chance to go to outer space, would you go?** Yes, I enjoy travelling so why not.  
**Favourite travel destination:** London and Europe  
**What's your favorite season, and why:** Summer, love going to the beach creating memories with the family  
**What's the cutest dog breed of all time:** Dachshund



What has to be broken before you can use it?

It is impossible for most people to lick their own elbow. (try it!)

RANDOM FACT







## RED SHIELD APPEAL LAUNCH 2024

Friday the 10th of May saw the official launch of the Red Shield Appeal 2024 for Central Vic Salvos. This year in doing something a little bit different we had the launch in the mall right in the heart of Bendigo. With many people from salvos, and community coming to share in the momentous occasion. Among the many guests we had our very own Josh come and share his story about how The Salvation Army has had a positive impact on his life. Josh's story is one of where the Salvos were there for him no matter what and though every step of his journey to the point that Josh now celebrates that he gets to work for the Salvos and is able to help others just like he was helped. If you don't know Josh's story I encourage you to reach out to him and I am sure he would be happy to share it with you.

This year as we collect all around our community, I would like to encourage you to help out where ever you can. We have static points, intersections, door knocking, car wash, trivia night and online just to name a few. There is really something for everybody to get involved in. All funds raised through Central Vic Salvos stays in Central Vic Salvos so we have an opportunity to raise funds that support our front line social programs and the best part is you don't know what impact you will have or the conversation that happen while we are in the community collecting.

Blessings.

Ronald Stobie







# Central Vic Salvos

**"It is written," he said to them "My house will be called a house of prayer" Matt 21:13**

"Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise" James 5:13

**Please pray for:**

- For people to start following Jesus as their Lord and Saviour
- Those who are unwell - physically, emotionally, spiritually, mentally
- This week, we are praying for the Outer and Northwest Melbourne Area Leadership Teams. The teams are spread across a culturally and economically diverse area that takes in suburbs like Sunbury, Craigieburn, Merri-bek and Altona. The Area Officer responsible for leading mission in this area is Major Rebecca Inglis.
- For all the corps, programs & services in Central Vic Salvos - Bendigo, Castlemaine, Eaglehawk, Maryborough, Avoca and St. Arnaud.
- Our leaders - National, State, Local (Government, Community & Salvo)
- CVS programs & services

**Praise God for:**

- New faces joining our various CVS programs & services
- People making decisions to follow Jesus! (15)
- Answers to prayer
- For His Holy Spirit
- Community



A YEAR OF  
**PRAYER**

**Acts 2:3-4**

They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

**For Grade 3 to Yr 8**

**Cost \$260**

**junior creative arts camp**

**JULY 1-4**

Concert on Thursday, 4 July, 5pm @Merri-Bek Salvos 15 Headley St, Coburg North

Rutherford Park & Country Retreat 290 Kangaroo Road, Blomfield VIC

For more information please contact Julia Roper [julia.roper@salvationarmy.org.au](mailto:julia.roper@salvationarmy.org.au)

<https://salvationarmy.typeform.com/to/vN5oPIXk>

CENTRAL VIC SALVOS MONTHLY

**Prayer & Worship Night**

**5-6pm**  
**Sunday 26th May 2024**  
Bendigo Corps  
65-71 Mundy St, Bendigo

*Please bring a plate of food to share following the meeting*



## Bendigo

### MELBOURNE STAFF SONGSTERS

**SATURDAY JUNE 15**

**3pm-5pm:** Family Fun Day

**5pm – 6pm:** Community Concert

Featuring

The Melbourne Staff Songsters and Women Of Note Choir

**SUNDAY JUNE 16**

**10am:** Family Worship led by Staff Songsters



65-71 Mundy Street, Bendigo



*Bendigo*

## Eaglehawk

**BIBLE STUDY DATES**

Friday's 31 May

## Castlemaine

**NO SUNDAY  
WORSHIP**

**MAY 26TH**

**DUE TO IT BEING  
DOORKNOCK SUNDAY  
WORKING WITH GIRTON  
COLLEGE ON  
DOORKNOCKING LOCAL  
AREA.**



*Castlemaine*





# Weekly Programs/Thrift Shops

## BENDIGO THRIFT SHOP

2B Thistle Street, Golden Square  
Ph: 03 5441 7608

### Open Hours:

9am-4:30pm Monday to Friday  
9am-2pm Saturday

## BENDIGO CBD THRIFT SHOP

18 Pall Mall, Bendigo  
Ph: 03 5459 0509

### Open Hours:

9:30am-4:00pm  
Monday to Saturday

## EAGLEHAWK THRIFT SHOP

4 Marong Rd, Ironbark  
Ph: 03 5446 7928

### Open Hours:

9:30am-5pm Monday to Friday  
9:30am-4pm Saturday

## CASTLEMAINE THRIFT SHOP

46 Forest Street, Castlemaine  
Ph: 03 5470 5636

### Open Hours:

10am-4pm Monday to Friday  
10am-3pm Saturday

## ST ARNAUD THRIFT SHOP

70-72 Napier Street, St Arnaud  
Ph: 03 5459 0503

### Open Hours:

9:30am - 3:30pm Monday to Friday  
10am-2pm Saturday

## AVOCA THRIFT SHOP

114 High Street, Avoca  
Ph: 03 5459 0502

### Open Hours:

10:00am - 3:30pm Mon, Wed, Fri

## EAGLEHAWK

### WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

#### SUNDAY

9:40am - prays  
10.00am - Celebration Service

#### THURSDAY

1.30pm - Crafty Skills Community  
4:30 pm - Prayer meeting  
Contact Pauline and Eddie Anderson  
0427 812 866

#### FRIDAY

1.30pm - Bible Study (fortnightly)

51 Church St, Eaglehawk

## CASTLEMAINE

### WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

#### Monday

9.30am - 11.00am Maine Minis\*

#### Wednesday

9.30am - 12.30pm Doorways  
3.45pm - 5.00pm Junior Soldiers\*

#### Friday

9.30am - 12.30pm Doorways

#### Sunday

10.30am - Worship Service

47 Kennedy St, Castlemaine  
\*School terms only

## BENDIGO

### WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES THURSDAY

11.15am - Chapel  
12.00pm - Community Meal  
1.00pm - Art Space

#### SUNDAY

10.00am - Celebration Service  
4.00pm - Bible Study

65-71 Mundy St, Bendigo

## MARYBOROUGH

### WEEKLY PROGRAMS & SERVICES

#### MONDAY

9:30am to 1.30pm - Doorways  
10:30am - Women's Bible Study\*

#### WEDNESDAY

9:30am to 1.30pm - Doorways

#### THURSDAY

10:30am - Mainly Music (0-5years)\*  
2.00pm - Indoor Bowls  
4.00pm - Kids Club (Primary school)\*  
5:15pm - Junior Soldiers\*

#### FRIDAY

9:30am to 1.30pm - Doorways  
5.00pm - Youth Life Group (High school)\*  
6.00pm - Youth (High school)\*

#### SUNDAY

9:15am - Prayer Meeting  
10.00am - Celebration Service  
(Pancake church 1st sunday, Bible Discussion  
and corps lunch 3rd Sunday)  
27 Wills St, Maryborough

\*School terms only





# Contact Us

## THE SALVATION ARMY CENTRAL VIC SALVOS

### BENDIGO

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### CASTLEMAINE

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### EAGLEHAWK

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### MARYBOROUGH

**Corps Officers:** Capt. Amy & Ronald Stobie  
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**Bendigo Banking Details**  
Account Name: The Salvation Army  
BSB: 033-688 Acc No: 811 119

**Eaglehawk Banking Details**  
Account Name: The Salvation Army  
BSB: 033-688 Number: 803 234



# doorways

Doorways is our Community Support program. It is the entryway through which those experiencing hardship and/or disadvantage can take proactive steps to find the support they need to overcome life's challenges and find long-term solutions. We offer a range of services from emergency relief to case management and more.

If you are experiencing hardship or financial difficulties, please call the  
Salvos Phone Assistance Line (PAL) on 03 8873 5288.  
This service operates Monday to Friday between 9am and 4pm.

Please be aware no assistance interviews will be conducted from our local sites. Community members presenting to any of our Central Vic Salvos sites will be invited to contact Salvos PAL.



The Salvation Army Central Victoria acknowledges the Dja Dja Wurrung and Taungurung Peoples of the Kulin Nation, the Traditional owners of the land on which we meet and work and pay our respect to Elders past, present and future. We value and include people of all cultures, languages, abilities, sexual orientations, gender identities, gender expressions and intersex status. We are committed to providing programs that are fully inclusive. We are committed to the safety and wellbeing of people of all ages, particularly children.