



New Connections

At Greater West Salvos– Glenmore Park



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WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAYS

9.30 am

Worship

MONDAYS

6-7.30 pm

***SAGALA

(during school term)

WEDNESDAYS

10-11.30 am

Jitterbugs Playgroup
(during school term)

Community Gathering

@ The Freedom Centre
54 Henry St, Penrith.

10.30 am. Share in a beverage, chat & mingle in a relaxed environment.

***Freedom Chapel,

6pm @ The Freedom Centre

THURSDAYS

10.30 am

***Home League

FRIDAYS

Belong Youth Program

6.30-9.30 pm.

(Fortnightly during school term)

***DETAILS TO COME REGARDING ACTIVITIES RECOMMENCING

'Who we are in this space' – matters!

We are looking at some healthy practices that will assist us through this climate of uncertainty and confusion. 'Who we are in this space' - matters.

At the moment, we are exposed to a tirade of information through all forms of media. However, for the sake of our own health and wellbeing, there is a limit to how much we can absorb. Henri Cloud a Christian Psychologist has given some helpful tips on managing this information overload.

Dispute worry with God's word. Engage in the now instead of the not yet.

I find it incredibly assuring to know that long before the time when society had the wonderful expertise of Psychologists to assist with personal wellbeing, God's word gave us helpful direction to be able to not only survive but flourish through times which are difficult.

Scripture: Matthew 6:30-33 (The Message)

'If God gives such attention to the appearance of wildflowers—most of which are never even seen—don't you think he'll attend to you, take pride in you, do his best for you? What I'm trying to do here is to get you to relax, to not be so preoccupied with getting, so you can respond to God's giving. People who don't know God and the way he works fuss over these things, but you know both God and how he works. Steep your life in God-reality, God-initiative, God-provisions. Don't worry about missing out. You'll find all your everyday human concerns will be met'

To be present in the now, instead of worrying about the future continues to be a challenge for many of us. God's word can be a 'light' to guide and direct us.

Scripture

'When you go through the deep waters, I will be with you. When you go through rivers of difficulty, you will not drownbecause I love you' (Isaiah 43: 2 &4)

This is a promise given to you by God himself. Claim it for yourself today.

Daily Reflection from 'Salvos Central'





Have you had an opportunity yet to tune in to our "Weekends At The Chapel" online services? Our Penrith City Chapel Youtube channel is: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCH7Sf-GvdcJwasGjDs6Qm8g?view_as=subscriber

News from Penrith City Chapel

On Sunday, Mark spoke about our third cultural element, **Every1 SERVES**. He talked about these 5 areas where we can serve:

1. TITLE
2. TALENT
3. TITHE
4. TENACITY
5. TIME

Our consideration of this message is, "how is God asking me to serve?". Are we serving well in one or two areas, but neglecting the others?

Serving is a part of our growing process, and so we may not be running on all "5 cylinders", but they are all areas where we have been instructed through God's Word to serve Him.

And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Colossians 3:17 NIV

This Sunday, Peter will be continuing the Every1 series, speaking on "**Every1 SENT**". Our city desperately needs a church that is SENT to show and share the Good News of Jesus Christ. Prepare your hearts to be stirred to the greatest mission and adventure of all! Have a blessed-rest-of-your-week, and we look forward to seeing you soon!

Loved to love,
Penrith City Chapel Ministry Team

SALVATION ARMY SUNDAY SERVICES

North Brisbane Corps 9.30 am

<http://www.nbcsalvos.live/>

Wollongong Corps 10.00 am

<https://youtube.com/wollongongsalvos>

Launceston Corps 10.00 am

<https://www.salvationarmy.org.au/launceston/>

THE FREEDOM CENTRE

Is still open at 2/54 Henry Street, Penrith. 4721 3076.

Anyone needing **crisis or emergency assistance** must call **1300 371 288** to be assessed.

FOOD DRIVE: Please continue to donate non-perishable food items for The Freedom Centre's pantry. Donations can be dropped in The Freedom Centre but please call first on 4721 3076.

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The Salvation Army acknowledges the Traditional Owners of country throughout Australia and recognises their continuing connection to land, waters and community. We pay our respects to them and their cultures; and to elders both past and present.

PRAYER POINTS

Glenda & family as her Dad passed away. Glenda is isolating at home as she travelled to Victoria to see her Dad.
Two Lethbridge Park community members who have entered rehab. Please pray for successful recovery & that they will be reunited with their children.

Major Erle who is recovering at home.

Gavin,

People affected by Covid19 & health workers,

Governments to make wise decisions at this time,

Member of our church family with an ongoing very difficult work situation,

Christine G (cancer has returned) & her son,

Clients & Staff at The Freedom Centre,

Belong Youth Group & Jitterbugs Playgroup & their helpers,

Youth Group family who have recently lost their mother,

For each other & for people to turn to God at this time.

Please contact Debbie to be added or removed from the Prayer Points.

THE SALVATION ARMY PLANNED GIVING

If you would like to make your regular weekly giving via internet banking our account details are:

Westpac BSB 032-271 Account no 81-1709

Please put your envelope no. or name in the reference field.

If you would like to give cash at this time of isolation please give Pete a call and he will arrange for it to be picked up from you.

A huge thank you to everyone who have continued their giving during this time.

The Freedom Centre Winter Appeal.

Beanies, socks, scarves, gloves and financial donations are needed. These items can be dropped off at The Freedom Centre, 2/54 Henry St, Penrith or at the church. Thank you so much for your support.

Are you interested in helping out at The Freedom Centre?

Would you enjoy connecting with community members?

Do you have a desire to be involved in ministry in a practical way?

Could you assist with people accessing services and information?

Or, maybe you could simply having a cup of coffee and a conversation with someone who needs a listening ear.

ANY amount of time that you could give would be a great support.

There are also wonderful opportunities to be trained in administering welfare support and community engagement.

If you are interested, or have questions, please ask Andrea: andrea.martin@salvationarmy.org.au

Exciting News from Carissa:

During the church service we will be running 2x Kids Ministry Programs.

SUNDAY JITTERBUGS

- 0-5 years
- Jitterbugs Leaders & Helpers
- Story-time, craft and free play

and

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- 5-12 years (school aged children)
- Familiar and New Kids Ministry Leaders
- Bible stories, games & activities, craft and much more

Kids are welcome to share in worship with their

families right at the start of the service and then head out to JB's and Safari during the Kids Ministry time.

The Kids Ministry team is super excited to meet and share with all this Kids this Sunday!

Can't wait to see everyone. Come and see us in the foyer when you arrive. 😊

If you have any questions regarding the new ministries please do not hesitate to call, text or email Carissa.