

HAPPENINGS

News of churches of Christ in Australia – August 2019

Welcome to the seventh issue of *Happenings* for 2019. If you have news, please send it to tedpaull@hotmail.com or ring (02) 9888 9664, (02) 9878 3008 or (02) 9878 1078 or mail it to P O Box 41 NORTH RYDE NSW 1670. If you would like to receive your personal email copy of *Happenings*, please let us know.

Ted Paull

NSW Baptisms

Shania Rose Boudville was baptised into Christ by **Frank Cunningham** at the Blacktown church building on Friday afternoon July 26. She is the daughter of **Shane & Lagi** of the Southwest church.



Brethren from the Southwest and Bankstown churches attended this wonderful occasion as Shania and family have been involved with both congregations through the years.

Kelvin Chan, husband of **Leah** (who used to be at Eastside, Sydney), was baptised on Thursday, July 25 by **Jay Sabio** at Prince Alfred Park in Sydney. The couple now lives in Canberra.

Afternoon Singing

Wintersong 2019 is planned for 2pm on Sunday August 4 at the Belmore Rd (Melbourne) building. They have invited participants to share lunch beforehand at 100 Rostrevor Parade, Mont Albert North.

Women's Singing Class

The next ladies' singing class at the Macquarie church in Sydney is planned for Monday August 5 at 7.30pm. There will not be a class in September.

Places of Worship

The **Ballina**, NSW church has a change of meeting place. The new address is Kentwell Community Centre, 20 Bangalow Rd, (cnr Moon St) Ballina NSW 2478, 10am for Bible Study and 11am for Worship.

There is family living in **Clermont**, QLD. They have worship on Sunday at 9am. They are **Joshua and Mia Parker**, 30 Daintree Street, phone 0431 604 816.

Toowoomba lectureship

This year the theme is "The Big Picture – Tracing the Bible's Wonderful Story of Redemption from Beginning to End!" and the date will be September 27-29. Speakers planned are **Daniel Smith, Albert Gyamfi, Brett Rutherford, Trevor Major, Ian Coker**, and **Daniel McDonald**. All are welcome to join them as they walk through Biblical history and find where we stand in relation to God's wonderful plan. For information contact: (07) 4630 1505, www.gippschurch.com.

Bible Quiz Venue Change

On August 10-11 the Southwest (NSW) church plans to hold its annual Bible Quiz weekend. This year's challenge will be on 1st and 2nd Thessalonians starting on Saturday evening with dinner at 6pm now in the St. Helens Park Community Hall, Kellerman Drive, St Helens Park. Participants are invited to share in worship and lunch with the congregation on Sunday. Enquiries to **Frank Cunningham** 0418 618 415 and stand_firm@hotmail.com.

NSW Combined Seminar

This marriage seminar is a combined effort for the Bankstown, Southwest (Campbelltown) & Windang (Wollongong) congregations and is to be held on the morning and afternoon of Sunday September 29 in the hall used by the Southwest congregation – at Ambarvale Community Centre, 16 Wickfield Circuit, Ambarvale. Speakers will be **David Payne** and **Michael Bargholz**. The lessons will be: Establishing a Godly Marriage, Maintaining a Godly Marriage and Raising Godly Children. For information contact: **Les Totman** lestotman@yahoo.com.au 0431 710 178, or **Frank Cunningham** 0418 618 415 and stand_firm@hotmail.com.

Tassie Seminar

The Mersey Bluff church in Devonport plans a Family Seminar on the theme “Spotlight on the Family” for August 30-31. This will be on Friday evening beginning at 6pm with a welcome dinner then a lesson on “The Family”. The Saturday session will begin at 10am with lessons on “Marriage” and “Singles”, followed by lunch and a 1pm lesson on “Children”. For more information go to merseybluffcofc.com.au.

Saving Light

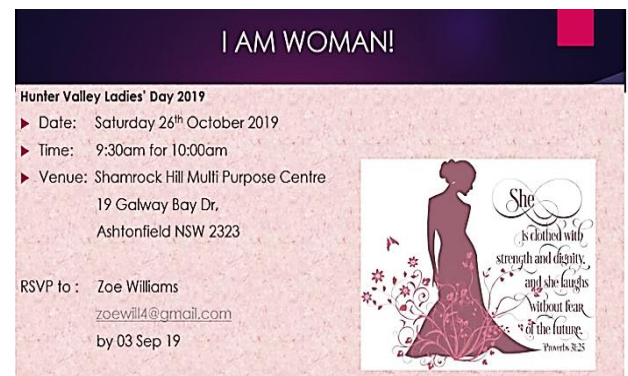
This series is planned for Thursday-Sunday, October 10-13, at the Heidelberg West church with five lessons on the theme of: “Ancient Wisdom for Today's World” taught by **Ted Paull**. For information contact: **Graham Wall** 0423 866 915 or gjwall@hotmail.com,

Revive Camp

Camp Revive 2019 is planned for October 4-6 (7pm Friday till 1.30pm Sunday). The theme is “Around the Bible in 48 Hours” with speaker **Nathan Wilson**. The location is Lyrebird Park, 510 Beenak Rd, Yellingbo, Vic. Costs are: Early bird (20/9/19) Vic=\$140, Non-Vic =\$120: Full price Vic=\$180 Non-Vic=\$160. For more information infocamprevive@gmail.com or call **Dale Christensen** 0403 793 353 or **David Chao** 0430 041 109.

Ladies Day

The Hunter Valley (NSW) ladies are planning a Ladies Day on the theme of “I Am Woman”- Proverbs 31:25, on



Saturday October 26, starting at 10am. The Venue will be The Shamrock Hill Multi-Purpose Centre, 19 Galway Bay Drive, Ashtonfield. RSVP to **Zoe Williams**, zoewill4@gmail.com by September 3.

CALENDAR

August 4th

Wintersong @ Belmore Rd, Melbourne

August 5th

Ladies Singing Class @ Macquarie, Sydney

August 10th

Bible Quiz @ Southwest, NSW

August 30th-31st

Family Seminar @ Mersey Bluff, Devonport, Tas

September 27th-29th

Lectureship @ Toowoomba, Qld

September 29th

Combined Family Seminar @ Southwest, NSW

October 4th-6th

Camp Revive @ Yellingbo, Vic

October 10th-13th

Saving Light Series @ Heidelberg West, Melbourne

October 26th

Ladies Day @ Ashtonfield, Hunter Valley, NSW