

# ***HAPPENINGS***

## *News of churches of Christ in Australia – June 2019*

Welcome to the fifth issue of *Happenings* for 2019. If you have news, please send it to [tedpaull@hotmail.com](mailto: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

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### ***New South Wales Baptisms***

The Hawkesbury congregation reports two baptisms in May. They, and heaven, are rejoicing with **Louise Freeland** who was baptised on Sunday May 19, and **Geoff Hatch** who was baptised on Tuesday May 21.

### ***MSOBS Lectureship***

This is planned for July 17-21 at the Macquarie church in Sydney. **Dale & Sheila Hartman** will be the overseas teachers on the theme, "The Certainty of Christianity".

### ***Singing***

The Autumn Songfest at Ferntree Gully in Melbourne had 29 participants who joined in fellowship with singing and food.

### ***More Singing***

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

### ***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**.

### ***Combined Seminar***

This marriage seminar is a combined effort for the Bankstown, Campbelltown & Windang congregations and is to be held on Sunday September 29 in the hall used by the Southwest (Campbelltown) congregation. Speakers will be **David Payne** and **Michael Bargholz**.

### ***Hartmans & Students Help***

**Kent and Nancy Hartman** plus 5 students from Oklahoma Christian University are spending several weeks in Australia. They are assisting with the work of the Coffs Harbour and Campbelltown congregations in preaching, teaching and community projects. They also visited the Canberra and Macquarie congregations and helped with Camp Soul in NSW and the Southeast Men's Retreat in Victoria.

### ***Congregational Men's Retreat***

The men of the Southeast (Melbourne) congregation are looking forward to a "Godly Guys' Getaway" on the second weekend of June 7-9. They will be focussing on how they can be the men God has called them to be, and **Kent Hartman, Martyn Wolstenholme** and **Frank Cunningham** will lead their consideration of this.

### ***Questions Coming***

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.

### ***Women's Singing Class***

The next ladies' singing class at the Macquarie church in Sydney is planned for Monday June 3 at 7.30pm. The following class will be held on July 1.

### ***Toowoomba lectureship***

This year the theme is "The Big Picture – God's Plan Through Time" and the date will be September 27-29. All are welcome to join them as they walk through Biblical history and find where we stand in God's plan of redemption.

### ***Youth & Young Adult Camp***

The youth and young adult Camp Soul hosted by Southwest church was held on the weekend of May 24-26 with over 40 people attending for the weekend and 65 for worship on Sunday. **Christian & Nick Bargholz** were the speakers and brought lessons on "Stepping Out of the Crowd", encouraging the attendees of all ages to move out of their cliques and comfort areas to interact with different age groups and share Jesus with those yet to know Him.

### ***Revive Camp***

Camp Revive 2019 is planned for the date of October 4-6 (7pm Fri till 1.30pm Sun). 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 you can email [infocamprevive@gmail.com](mailto:infocamprevive@gmail.com) or call Dale Christensen 0403 793 353 or David Chao 0430 041 109.

### ***Seminars in States***

**Daniel Stockstill** from the USA plans to conduct seminars in several states as follows: June 13-15, Macquarie, Sydney; June 25-29, Holland Park, Brisbane (at Redlands College); July 4-6, Malaga, Perth; July 13-17, Belmore Rd, Melbourne.

### **CALENDAR**

#### **June 4th**

**Ladies Singing Class @  
Macquarie, Sydney**

#### **June 7th-9th**

**Congregational Men's Retreat  
@ Southeast, Melbourne**

#### **June 13th-15th**

**Seminar @ Macquarie, Sydney**

#### **June 25th-29th**

**Seminar @ Holland Park,  
Brisbane**

#### **July 1st**

**Ladies Singing Class @  
Macquarie, Sydney**

#### **July 4th-6th**

**Seminar @ Malaga, Perth**

#### **July 13th-17th**

**Seminar @ Belmore Rd,  
Melbourne**

#### **July 17th-21st**

**MSOBS Lectureship @  
Macquarie, Sydney**

#### **August 4th**

**Wintersong @ Belmore Rd,  
Melbourne**

#### **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**