"A CHURCH FOR ALL"

16 March 2014

CHELSEA NEWSLETTER

Chelsea Church of Christ

I'd like to share with you a piece from the great author and cartoonist Leunig who penned in his little book

"When I Talk to You"

Dear God,

We give thanks for places of simplicity and peace.

Let us find such a place within ourselves.

We give thanks for places of refuge and beauty.

Let us find such a place within ourselves.

We give thanks for places of nature's truth and freedom, of joy, inspiration and renewal, places where all creatures may find acceptance and belonging.

Let us search for these places:

In the world, in ourselves and in others.

Let us restore them.

Let us strengthen and protect them and let us create them.

May we mend this outer world according to the truth of our inner life and may our souls be shaped and nour-

ished by nature's eternal wisdom.

Amen.



The Pastor Is In

Please phone me on 0423 375 714 or catch me at the church on Wednesdays and Sundays. **PASTOR JUDI UPCOMING EVENTS**

NEW KIDS KLUB

Starting May 2nd aimed at Primary school children from 6-12 yrs. The Klub will run from 4.30-6.30pm fortnightly, 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month. Activities will include:

Art/Craft Games Exploring our World Stories/Drama

Anyone willing to come along to assist would be most WELCOME. A 'working with children's permit' is required.

NEW WOMEN'S ONLY BIBLE STUDY GROUP

Starting Wednesday 19th March from 10-30-11.30am in the front room of the Annexe. There have been a number of requests to restart a Bible study group. We are going to explore one just for Women. Participants can come early to share breakfast together or arrive afterwards.

CALLING ALL TRIVIA BUFFS!!!

As mentioned on Sunday we are keen to run some regular family fun activities—perhaps one every quarter. Jean has kindly offered to run a Trivia afternoon after church on a Sunday. Participants are asked to bring a plate to share. Please let Jean or myself know if you are interested as we would like to get as many people as possible. the plan is to run this in early May if enough interest is generated.

Please stay in touch with Janice via email if possible.

Email address is: janiceadams@y7mail.com. I am sure she'd love to hear from you.





CHURCH SERVICES 10 am Sunday

16 March 2014

Speaker: Victor Reading: Luke 13:31-35 Theme: Jesus sorrow for Jerusalen

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Speaker: Steve Rose Reading: Luke 13:1-9 Theme: Repent or Perish

30 March 2014

Speaker: Tania Rose from Parkdale CofChrist Reading: Luke 15:1-3 & 11B-32 Theme: Parables of the Lost

CHILDREN'S SERVICES 10 am Sunday

16 March 2014

Children will explore the story of the Israelites wandering in the desert and we will make our own 'historical' map

23 March 2014

We will learn about God's patience with us when we do something wrong—His love never stops for us. We will make Love hearts to give to our families

30 March 2014

How does Jesus helps us when we feel lost—we will explore 3 LOST stories while playing a game of hide and seek,

REGULAR WHAT'S ON

Pastoral Care and Support : available from

Minister Judi. Call church or Mobile

0423 375 714

Tuesday:Kankama facilities Men's Shed 9-12noon

Wednesday: <u>Community Breakfast</u> 8-10 am, <u>Men's Shed</u> 9am-12 Women's Group 2nd Wed of month

<u>Bible Study for Women every Wed</u> 10.30-11.30am (Annexe)

Thursday: Men's shed 9–12

<u>AA</u> Meeting in Chapel 11am <u>Community Lunch</u> 11am—1.00pm

Friday: starting April 18th 4.30-6.30pm in Hall—**Kids Klub** for 6-12 yr olds.

Connecting Skills Australia @ the Men's Shed 9-12

Sunday: Worship & Kid's Sunday School 10 am each week

Discussions group 12 noon, Last Sunday each month

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