

## "A CHURCH FOR ALL"

### CHELSEA NEWSLETTER

30 March 2014



The way to reach children today is to help them WONDER—wonder about the awe and mystery of God. When children wonder they find new in the familiar and extraordinary in the ordinary.

#### WONDER ALSO BEGINS WITH US.

Why not rekindle your sense of wonder by committing to a habit of daily wondering.

Commit to writing or doodling about what you wonder about God and His Word.

For writers a 'wonder book' like a simple journal can be useful.

For those of you who need to move to think, why not take a 'wondering walk'. Step outside and wander, paying attention to the familiar and unfamiliar sights and sounds you encounter.

Try to see everything around you like you've never seen it before.

For those who love to sketch and draw—wondering can be ignited by gazing at God's creation—things that you typically take for granted.

As Jesus taught with coins, seeds, loaves and fish, He helped us find extraordinary faith in everyday objects, creating unexpected relationships between things seen and unseen.

HMM—I WONDER!!



## 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.

### WOMEN'S ONLY BIBLE STUDY GROUP

Is anyone interested in attending a female only Bible Study Group—either on a Wednesday morning or a Friday morning. If so, please let Judi know. This will be held in the front room of the Annexe.

### CALLING ALL TRIVIA BUFFS!!!

As mentioned 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 Sunday 4th May. If interested, we encourage you to try and fill a table where possible. We need to know definite numbers so we can cater appropriately for attendees. Please complete the sheet that is stuck on the notice board in the hall.

### World Vision Support

Our regular monthly donation of \$48 to support our World Vision Child is sadly being pressured—if you are able to offer a regular gold coin donation to help please speak to Val.

# Chelsea Church of Christ Services

## **CHURCH SERVICES 10 am Sunday**

30 March 2014

Speaker: Tania from Parkdale CofC

Reading: Luke 15:1-3 & 11B-32

Theme: Parables of the Lost



6 April 2014

Speaker: Urban Neighbours of Hope

Reading: John 11:1-45

UNOH will offer items for sale to assist with their work.

13 April 2014 PALM SUNDAY

Speaker: Colin

Reading: Matt 27:11-54

Theme: Palm Sunday

## **CHILDREN'S SERVICES 10 am Sunday**

30 March 2014

How does Jesus help us when we feel lost—we will explore 3 LOST stories while playing a game of hide and seek. 'historical' map

6 April 2014

We will wonder at the journey of Jesus as He heads towards Jerusalem. We will make Palms to use for next Sunday for Palm Sunday.

13 April 2014

We will be preparing for our Easter Sunday Service and practice a short story to present to the rest of the congregation.

## **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: Community Breakfast 8-10 am,  
Men's Shed 9am-12  
Women's Group 2nd Wed of month

Bible Study for Women every Wed 10.30-11.30am  
(Annexe)

Thursday: Men's shed 9-12  
AA Meeting in Chapel 11am  
Community Lunch 11am-1.00pm

Friday: starting May 2nd 4.30-6.30pm in Hall—Kids Klub  
for 6-12 yr olds. Runs 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month

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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