



## WELCOME

**WELCOME** It's great to have you here today. We really hope you enjoy our time together.

A special welcome to Mike Hastie, from Roseville Anglican, who is joining us as guest preacher today.

If you are new please remember to grab a **welcome pack**, and fill in our *welcome card* so that we can keep in touch.

At our 10am gathering there's a Kids' Church for all ages.

Please join us for morning tea after the service.



## PRAYER

**Pray** for God's grace to deepen our fellowship and encourage us in our partnership in the Gospel together.

**Give thanks** for God's love and kindness to us all, that while turning away from Him, He showed us great mercy so that Christ died for us.

**Pray** for our SRE teaches and their classes. Pray for God's grace in their teaching and that many would come to know his loving kindness.

**Pray** for those amongst us who are struggling emotionally and physically, that they would know rest and peace in God and the support of those around them.

**Pray** for our community as it continues to undergo change and disruption. And pray that we might be a light and a caring church within it

**Pray** for preparation for Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care in the new NBH. Give thanks for good ongoing relationships with Healthscope and pray as the new team works together.

### COMING EVENTS

Prayer gatherings: every Wed 6.30-7:00am & Sun 9.30-9.50am

24 July	Lanhams back on board
26 July	Prayer Meeting
30 July	Mission Giving Day
5 Aug	Women's Event - "Things I've learnt About Life"
6 Aug	Confirmation @ 6pm



## TODAY

Paul's letter to the Philippians is deeply personal and wonderfully encouraging. Paul reminds them of God's sovereign work in calling them to faith and of their assurance of standing firm to the end.

Today, Mike will help us understand Paul's reflections on the incarnation of Jesus. That God became one of us is wonderful and mind-blowing all at the same time.

Our 10am service sus' today will look like this:

Welcome	Bible Reading
Songs	Sermon
Notices	Song
Kids' Spot	Morning Tea

**Pray** for our church to grow as Transformed Disciples of Jesus, who Live for the Gospel, encouraging each other to be connected to Jesus and living lives that shine the gospel to those around us.

**Pray** for Ali Evans, recovering from brain surgery to remove a cyst. Pray for God's healing hand and His peace during recovery.

**Pray** for Ruthie Condon, undergoing further brain surgery in August. Pray for God's protection as they attempt to remove the tumour and for peace and strength for her family.

**Continue praying** for Corrine James as she continues treatment. Pray for healing and peace.

**Pray** for those sick or in need; Amy Vink, Helen Harper, Colleen Smith, Betty O'Brien, the Burroughs family, Joy Wilkinson, David Jackson, Maggie Chaseling, Sandra Best, Julia Walter, Vic Harper, June Penze, Helen Clapham, Dorrie Bain, Judy Dermal, Wendy Turner.

### WHO WE ARE?

Here at Frenchs Forest Anglican our mission is: **"To Know Life in Christ and to Share in His Love"**.

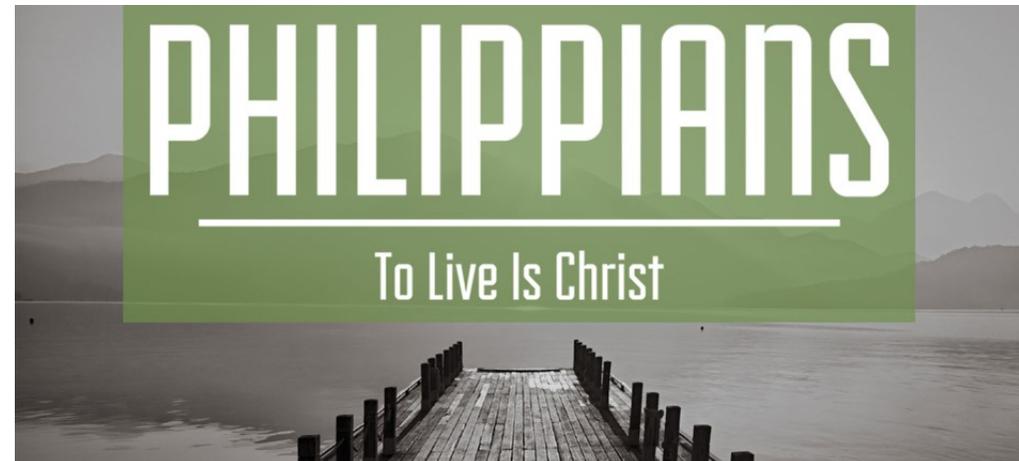
In all we do, we strive to be **Transformed Disciples of Jesus who live for the gospel**. Those growing in our relationship with God and sharing Him with all we meet.



# frenchs forest anglican church

Knowing Christ - Sharing Life

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In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus:  
Who, being in very nature God,  
did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage;  
rather, he made himself nothing  
by taking the very nature of a servant,  
being made in human likeness.  
**Philippians 2:5-7**

**Sunday Services:** 8am, 10am & 6pm

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# Living A Life Worthy Of The Gospel Philippians 2:1-11

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## NEWS



### Mission Giving Day 30th July 2017

In two weeks we will hold our Mission Sunday. We will be spending time hearing about our mission partners and praying for their work of the Gospel locally and abroad. This day will also be an opportunity to return your giving pledges. We are reminded that this world is God's mission field and we are co-workers and are called to participate in his work in this world.

### MAXIMUS REAL MEN REAL ANSWERS Basecamp @ Katoomba 4th-5th August

Contact Ross Allan on 0404 811 838 for more info.



### Mainly Music Morning Tea

Please support this strategic ministry today by signing up for a date on the new semester roster. We really value your help.

### Sharing in the Grace of Giving

We give thanks to God to those who give regularly to support the ministry of our church. We are thankful that we are slowly getting closer to the level of giving that helps us cover the day-to-day expenses of our church.

Giving Update	June Giving	Surplus/ Shortfall
General Giving	\$21,168	(\$749)
Building Fund	\$1,600	(\$66)
Far Fund	\$3,810	\$1,227

### Giving at Church

We don't take up a collection but have 'Giving Boxes' at each entrance to support the work of our church. You can give electronically via our new church bank account:  
Account Name: Frenchs Forest Anglican Church. BSB: 032123 Acc: 407085  
Identify: "Giving"

### Quote of the week

"Let your Christianity be so unmistakeable and your walk so straightforward, that all who see you may have no doubt whose you are and whom you serve."  
J C Ryle



### Confirmation 6th August @ 6pm

Please be praying for Kat Brian, Miranda Lanham and Alex Kilby, who are being confirmed. Pray for their preparation and understanding and for those who are supporting them.



### Square 1 Primary Camp for Years 3-6 27th - 29th October

Cost \$179/ child. Register below  
<https://trainingregistration.youthworks.net/square-1-2017-kids-registration>



### Operation Christmas Child

July is Toy Month! We need lots more so please consider donating before the end of the month.

### What is life like for you right now?

There are times in life that can feel more difficult than others. The Cottage Counselling Centre is a local Christian counselling service. Phone: (02) 9972 0141  
Email: <http://cottagecounselling.org.au>



### Connect Groups

Our Connect Groups are a great way to build relationships, share life and get to know God better. Men's, Women's and mixed groups meet every day of the week. Contact Dave Lanham (9975 5410) about joining a group.



## Church Prayer Gathering

### Wednesday 26th July, 7.30 - 8.30pm

**As God's church today, we need to seek Him to pour out his Spirit upon us so to transform and grow us into a people who desire more in the relationships He has given us. Please join with others in gathering to pray for God's blessing upon us.**