



WELCOME

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

If you are new we would love to get to know you better. Please remember to grab a **welcome pack**, and we'd also love you to fill in our *welcome card* so that we can keep in touch.

At our 10am gathering we run a crèche for toddlers and a Kids' Church program for school aged kids.

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.

Give thanks for our SRE teachers and pray that the break will refresh and encourage them for the term ahead.

Pray for those on holiday, for safe travel and that they would use their time well to deepen their relationship with God and their fellowship with those around them.

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 preparation for Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care in the new NBH. Give thanks for good ongoing relationships with Healthscope

COMING EVENTS

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

3-24 July	Lanhams on Leave
14 July	Friday Friends - Mulready's
26 July	Prayer Meeting
30 July	Mission Giving Day
4-5 Aug	Maximus - Basecamp
5 Aug	Women's Event - "Things I've learnt About Life"



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, Cameron will help us understand how the gospel advances even in the midst of difficult circumstances and why this brings us joy.

Our 10am service today will look like this:

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

and pray as the new team works together.

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 Corrine James that she will feel God's comfort as she continues her cancer treatment. Pray for strength and peace for Marian, Michael and the boys.

Continue praying for Colleen Smith's ongoing rehabilitation and healing.

Continue praying for the Vinks and for Amy's continued response to the medication.

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

WHO WE ARE?

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

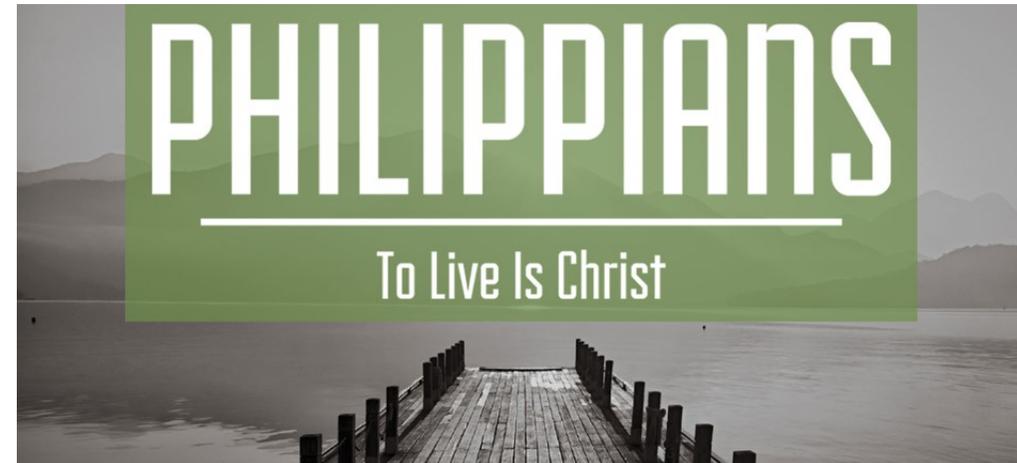
In all we do, we strive to be **Transformed Disciples of Jesus who live for the gospel**. Those growing in our relationship with God and sharing Him with all we meet.



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Knowing Christ - Sharing Life

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Now I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that what has happened to me has actually served to advance the gospel.

Philippians 1: 12

Sunday Services: 8am, 10am & 6pm

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A Single-Minded Obsession Philippians 1:12-18a

Notes from today: _____



NEWS



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.



**Basecamp @
Katoomba
4th-5th August**

Contact Ross Allan on 0404 811 838 for more info.



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

Cost \$179/ child.

<https://trainingregistration.youthworks.net/square-1-2017-kids-registration>

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

We have to pray with our eyes on God, not on the difficulties.

Oswald Chambers



Kids' Church

Today and next week, Kids' Church will be running a holiday program in the large hall. Crèche as usual.



Mission Giving Day 30th July 2017

On July 30 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 the opportunity to return your giving pledges (in today's bulletin).

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.



The Lanhams are on leave from 3rd July to 24th July

If you have any pastoral matters whilst Dave is away please contact either:
Danga on 0450 403 751 or
Cameron on 0422 235 147

Mission News

Latest news from our mission partner, Karen Darda, is available on the back table.



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.



**Morning Tea with Bishop David & Maureen Mulready
Friday 14th July at 10am at FFAC**



Come and hear David and Maureen speak about the places the Lord has taken them over the last 45 years of ministry.
Please put your name down on the RSVP sheet in church or speak to Maggie (9972 9228) or Chris (9451 8886)
OPEN TO ALL AGES | \$10 per head | Transport is available