



## 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.



## TODAY

We continue our series on the "Sermon on the Mount", reflecting on what the blessed child of the kingdom looks like to the world around them.

Today we will look at the close connection between righteousness and hypocrisy, hearing Jesus' warning to 'beware'.

Our 10am service today will look like this:

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



## PRAYER

**Pray** for our AGM that God would be guiding us in our selection of those who would oversee the direction of our church at a key time amidst changes within our local community.

**Continue praying** for Amy, Jono and the family as Amy continues with her treatment on the cancer in her spine. Pray for the family, that they would know God's peace and that God might bring his gracious healing to Amy.

**Pray** for the preparation for our Weekend Away, giving thanks for this opportunity as a church to grow in our fellowship together. And pray for Cameron Blair as he prepares talks on Ephesians to help us "Live For The Gospel".

**Pray** for the ongoing planning for Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care in our new Northern Beaches Hospital and for positive relationships with Healthscope and the new team.

**Pray** for the ongoing efforts to enable our building project to move forward. Pray in particular for Rich Ollerhead and his family as he commits a great deal of time to meetings, discussions and planning.

**Pray** for those sick or recovering; Gudrun Sturdy, David Jackson, Maggie Chaseling, Joy Wilkinson, Ruthie Condon, Sandra Best, Julia Walter, Vic Harper, Jean Tonkin, June Penze, Helen Clapham, Dorrie Bain, Judy Demeral, Tessa Fitzgerald, Wendy Turner.

**Pray** for our mission partners in Christchurch, PNG, Japan and HopeStreet as they make known the good news.

**Pray** for The Gideons and Bible Society as they distribute the good news of Jesus worldwide.

### COMING EVENTS

Prayer gatherings: every Wed 6.30-7:00am  
Fri 7-8pm, Sun 9.30-9.50am

26 Mar Church AGM  
31 Mar-2 Apr Church Weekend Away

### 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

26 MARCH 2017



Be careful not to practice your righteousness in front of others to be seen by them. If you do, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven.

Matthew 6:1

Sunday Services: 8am, 10am & 6pm

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## Living Sincerely Matthew 6:1-18

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# Church Weekend Away 2017



**@ Deer Park  
31 March to  
2 April**

**Sharing life in Christ  
as we learn to live  
for the Gospel**



## NEWS



### 31st March to 2nd April

Church Weekend Away at Deer Park, Port Hacking is coming soon! Speaker: Cameron Blair. Contact either Sylvia (9452 6532) or Sonia (0412 183 590). If you can only make it for the day/a night, special rates are available. Contact either Sylvia or Sonia.

### Church on 2nd April

Next week we will have a 9am combined service for those who can't make the weekend away. There won't be any Kids' Church on the day.



### FFAC AGM today @ 12pm

We will reflect on the past year as well as speak of new things to come in 2017. We will also elect Wardens, Church Council and Nominators.

### Sharing in the Grace of Giving

Today we will hear about the importance of all members of our church giving generously and sacrificially to enable the ministry of our church to thrive. It is vital that we all respond to enable us to meet our costs and plan for the future. As everyone shares in the grace of giving we are enabled to do more and more to see God's kingdom grow.

Giving Update	YTD	Shortfall
Giving	\$42,765	(\$9,567)

### 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

In prayer it is better to have a heart without words than words without a heart.

**John Bunyan**

### Prayer

Prayer is important! A vital part of the spiritual growth of a church. To grow our relationship with God we need to pray individually and corporately. Please join us on 1 of the 3 times each week that we gather for prayer.

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### What Has God Joined Together?

We have received copies of the Sydney Diocese publication engaging with the debate about same sex marriage. Copies are free so please take one to help you think through this matter with others. Additional resources can be found at <http://sydneyanglicans.net/marriage>



### It's BCA Box Opening Time!

Please place your BCA money-box in the designated box on the pew.



### Basecamp

### Katoomba Men's Conference

A time of refreshment, and to renew your strength. 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Aug. **SAVE THE DATE!**  
Call Ross Allan 0404 811 838 to reserve a ticket.



### 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.