



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

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 Andrew and Sarah as they take time off over the next couple of weeks. Pray for God's blessing and a time of refreshment and renewal. Pray also for those covering their roles in children's and youth ministry in their absence.

Pray for those amongst us who are struggling emotionally and physically.

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.

Pray for our church that as we reflect on what it is to be Transformed Disciples of Jesus, who Live for the Gospel, that we would encourage each other to be connected to Jesus and living lives that shine the gospel to those around us.

Continuing praying for the Vinks as they



TODAY

Today we come to the end of our series on the "Sermon on the Mount", where we have been reflecting on what a disciple looks like to the world around them.

Our passage asks us about the way we have been listening to Jesus' words along the way. The wise listen and receive firm foundation for life. Yet there is warning for those who do not. Our 10am service today will look like this:

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

serve at SMBC and plan for the coming year, trusting in God's grace and strength.

Pray for strength and peace for Helen Harper as she awaits information on her medical condition.

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

Pray for Karen Darda as she returns from Japan in August and for her preparation for ministry amongst Japanese people living in Dubai (UAE) in January 2018.

Pray for our mission partners in HopeStreet, Christchurch, Tanzania, PNG and Japan as they bring the good news of Jesus to their local communities.

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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"Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock."

Matthew 7:24

COMING EVENTS

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

26 May	OCC Sewing Morning
27 May	Equip
27 May	BBQ at Bunnings for OCC
31 May	Maximus - State of Origin 1 & BBQ

Knowing Christ - Sharing Life

Sunday Services: 8am, 10am & 6pm

67 Bantry Bay Road

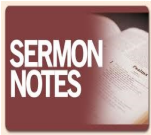
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Living Wisely Matthew 7:24-29

Notes from today: _____



Mainly Music
Mainly Music is on Monday at 10am. A fun, interactive music program for young children and their parents/caregivers
Contact Bee 0406 409 964



Triple f meets on Friday afternoons in the church hall during school term, 4:00 - 5:30pm. For children in years 1-5. Cost \$3 per week or \$5 per family.
More info contact:
Danga - 0450 403 751



Alby's is on Friday nights from 7:00-8:30pm during school term. School years 6-8. Cost is \$2 per week, supper included.
More info contact:
Danga - 0450 403 751



Fi is on Friday nights from 7:00-9:00pm during school term. Schools years 9-12. Cost is \$3 per week, supper included.
More info contact:
Cameron - 0422 235 147



NEWS



Getting Involved in 2017

If you haven't done so recently, please fill in a 'Serving in 2017' slip to indicate how you will get involved in serving week-to-week at church, then place it in the Offertory Box. Opportunities include Morning Tea, Creche, and other weekly roles at church.



What is life like for you at the moment?

There are times in life that can feel more difficult than others. If you are struggling at the moment, you may like to contact The Cottage Counselling Centre. This is a local Christian counselling service. Phone: (02) 9972 0141
Email: <http://cottagecounselling.org.au>
The Cottage is committed to protecting the privacy of their clients.



Equip Women's Conference 2017

At Darling Harbour
Saturday 27th May 3.45-8.15pm
Speakers include Carmelina Read
Groups of 10: \$75 pp. Contact Kate Lowry for details and group bookings on 0434 867 220
andrewkate95@hotmail.com

Giving Update	YTD To April	Surplus/ Shortfall
General Giving	\$81,879	(\$5,788)
Building Fund	\$7,327	\$658
Far Fund	\$12,535	\$2,202

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

"On Christ the solid rock I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand."
Edward Mote



Some Upcoming Events

State of Origin & BBQ
31st May, 7pm @ 67 Bantry Bay Road
Contact Pete Fitzgerald - 0408 723 552

Football Golf
9th July, 3pm @ Northbridge Golf Course
Contact: Rich Ollerhead - 0408 443 383

Basecamp—Katoomba Men's Conference
4th-5th August @ KCC Katoomba
Contact: Ross Allan - 0404 811 838

Have you Started a New Habit?

Regularly reading God's Word is vital to grow in our relationship with Him.
<http://25words.biblesociety.org.au/>
And don't forget to bring your own Bible to church each Sunday.

OCC BBQ & Cake Stall—Help Needed!

Saturday 27th May, 8am-4pm
75kg of sausages, 50+ loaves of bread, 35kg onions! That's what it takes to run the bbq at Bunnings, Belrose. And we've put our hand up to do just that! Why? To raise money for OCC. Our goal is to pack 300 boxes this year. There'll be a cake and jam stall too so if you could help us on the bbq and cake stall or bake for the stall please email the office.



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.