

Next Week 20th October

<u>10.00 am</u>	A Tonkin
Worship Leader	R. Jackson
Communion Leader	D. Homfray
Children's Church	J. Kelly
Singers	M. Cameron, D. Mountford
Band	M. Burrow, R. Jemmeson, B. Kiley, C. Beasy
Projector/ Sound	D. Kelly / C. Waters
Officer on Duty	J. Cooke
Welcome/Reception	D. Ferrett / J. Ferrett
Helpers	N. Cook, C. Meade, M. Straub, J. Renfree, J. Rosenberg, L. Arnold, C. Staley (reader), D. Shields
Crèche	M. Cox
Cuppa	G. Beruldsen, L. Homfray
Communion Prep.	R. Jackson
Flowers / Cleaning	M. Straub / R. Hawtin & P. Leng
Grounds	M. Cameron
<u>6.00 pm</u>	A. Tonkin
Worship Leader	N. Moritz
Communion Leader	R. Hawtin Prayer - A. Tonkin
Singers	J. Gardner, A. Gray
Band	A. Alabaster, I. Fabich, B. Moritz, C. Waters
Project / Sound	T. Eaton / P. Norris
Officer on Duty	J. Cooke
Reception	A. Munro
Crèche	J. Kelly

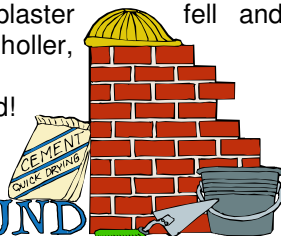
The dilapidated old church building desperately needed re-modeling. So the pastor made an impassioned appeal from his pulpit - looking directly at Brother Goldman, the richest man in town.

In the middle of his plea, a slab of plaster fell from the ceiling and struck the rich man on the shoulder. He quickly jumped to his feet and shouted, "Pastor, I will increase my donation to five thousand dollars."

Before he could sit down again, another slab fell and hit him, then another and another. Finally Goldman screamed at the top of his lungs, "Pastor, I will double my pledge." Then he sat down, just as a larger church of plaster fell and hit him on the head, forcing him to stand again and holler, "Pastor, I will give fifty thousand dollars."

This prompted Deacon Phillips to shout, "Hit him again, Lord!
Hit him again!"

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13th October, 2013

Today I would like to welcome our special guest, Dave Huddleston. Dave serves as the Member Care Team Leader with Campus Crusade for Christ Australia, based in Melbourne. He and his wife Judy have been serving with CCCA for 14 years. They live with their four children in Lilydale and are members of Lilydale Baptist Church where Dave serves as Worship Co-ordinator. Dave's topic for today is **Faith that goes the distance.**

Dave may be a stranger to us, but he has been blessing our church in amazing ways. As a mentor to Joshua Cole we are the beneficiaries of his influence and encouragement in Joshua's life. Dave continues to play a key role in Joshua's development as a minister and leader and we should be very grateful for that.

Dave will be preaching in both services today as well as running a workshop for our worship team. If you would like to know more about Dave's work with CCCA please talk to him after the service and feel free to take some of the information on display.

ANDREW

Welcome

Welcome to church today. If you are a visitor we offer you a special welcome. We hope you enjoy worshipping with us. Please stay for a cup of tea or coffee following the morning service.

Today, Sunday 13th October

10.00 am

David Huddleston

“Faith that Goes the Distance”

Worship Leader

Joshua Cole

Communion Leader

Robyn Hawtin

Reading

John 15: 1-17

6.00 pm

David Huddleston

“Faith that Goes the Distance”

Worship Leader

Brendan Kiley

Communion Leader

Ruth Jackson

Next Week, Sunday, 20th October

10.00 am

Andrew Tonkin

&

“Slaying the Giant”

6.00 pm

John 15: 1-7...

“I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. If anyone does not remain in me, he is like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you.”

Loving God - Loving People

GODLY GENEROUS GENERATIONS GRACE GOSPEL

This Week

Sunday	13th	9.30 am	Prayer
		7.30 pm	Ray on Radio 106.7FM
Monday	14th	11.00 am	Craft Group
		7.30 pm	W.I.G.S.
Tuesday	15th	5.30 pm	Adventure Club
Friday	18th	7.30 pm	Youth Groups
Saturday	19th	2.00 pm	Share Group



Dates for your Diary

October 13	Worship Workshop
October 21	Conference Meeting
October 27	Hymn Singing
November 16	Gingerbread Houses
November 29	Camp Fusion

WIGS

Monday, 14th October
7.30 pm

At the Church

Come and listen to Ruth Jackson and Emily Jemmeson tell us about what they do for their job.

Adventure Club Kitchen

October 15 Janette & Blue Team

NEWS FLASH!

C.W.F. LADIES

A reminder: Tonight, Sunday 13th, is our night to supply supper after the evening service. This is a fund-raising effort. Hope to see you there.

SHARE GROUP

**SATURDAY, 19TH OCTOBER
2 P.M.**

Down Memory Lane

We'll be looking at photos taken at past Share Group meetings. If you have any photos we could use, please let Denis borrow them so he can scan them into his computer before 19th. Please bring something to share for afternoon tea.

“100 Days in the Word”



Family News & Prayer



* Congratulations to Michael Corrie who celebrates his 40th birthday on Thursday, 17th October. Happy birthday, Michael.

PEANUT PALS

How have you been doing this year? Have you remembered your Peanut Pal in her times of sadness, sickness and happiness? It's not too late to send a message to say that she is being thought of, and if you have missed a birthday, a belated card or small gift can still be given. This is a wonderful way, which doesn't take a lot of effort, to make someone feel special, and know she is special to someone. May God bless you as you enjoy being part of this special pastoral ministry.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE

Thank you to all who have brought their boxes back in. Some of these have already been sent to Melbourne. The last day for collection is **today** Sunday, 13th October. Thank you also to all who have given money to cover postage and processing of the boxes and to cover any other expenses that are needed to make sure these boxes get to these children to be blessed at Christmas time. Thank you again for all that you've done and may you also be blessed as you pack these boxes so that these children will know that they are loved.

WORSHIP TEAM (Including tech.)

*Worship Co-ordinator for Lilydale Church of Christ, Dave Huddleston, will be in Mildura **today** to run a workshop specifically for our Worship Team, this includes tech. Dave is also the facilitator for the Personal Formation Group that Josh Cole meets with regularly as part of his ACOM ministry training.*

Dave will be running a creative session called the "Movement of God" which addresses roles in the team/church using an orchestra metaphor, investing in others and raising up the next generation in regards to a worship team.

While this is short notice, this will be a great opportunity for our team, and a great training opportunity specifically relating to worship. Runs from 12 noon to 2.30 pm. Hope you can make it.

Cost is free and lunch will be provided. I will need to know who will be there so that I can arrange catering, thank you.

Youth Groups

Friday, October 18th

IGNITION

Battle Night

At the church \$3

XLR8

Picture this

At the church

Mission Update

Christchurch Cathedral dedication

You've heard of the Crystal Cathedral in Los Angeles? Well, in the wake of rebuilding after the massive earthquake, Christchurch now has a Cardboard Cathedral.

Anglicans turned up in their hundreds on Thursday, 11th August to attend the dedication service for Christchurch's Transitional Cathedral.

Around 600 people from throughout Canterbury and the West Coast attended the ceremony at the A-framed cathedral, which is made up of large cardboard cylinders.

Those spoken to by Radio New Zealand were full of praise for the cathedral's radical design, courtesy of Japanese architect, Shigeru Ban. Bishop Victoria Matthews says she visited the cathedral several times when it was a construction site but wasn't prepared for her reaction the first time she saw it set up as a church. 'The tears came to my eyes and I really had a hard time keeping control because it was just so powerful,' she said.

Bishop Matthews hopes the cathedral will provide a place for Cantabrians to reflect on what is really important in life following the earthquakes. She says it is very special to have the empty chair memorial to the 185 earthquake victims and the site of the CTV building close by.

The Sydney Morning Herald has named the cathedral the ninth best new attraction for globetrotters to visit in 2013. It is open to the public every day from 9 am until 5 pm.

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