

## A SMALL CHURCH WITH A BIG HEART

CHELSEA NEWSLETTER

22nd January 2017



### RIPPLES

Scholars tell us that a stone dropped into still water causes ripples whose effect goes on eternally. Their vibration never ceases. Sages have said that one loving thought cast into the sea of life has infinite value. Its' vital waves go on and on and on, blending with other loving thoughts, strengthening, intensifying, multiplying their immortal good.

Why not pray this prayer:

Dear God, as I watch the dawn slowly breaking across the morning sky, bathing earth with warming rays of light, I feel an awareness of Your spirit rising within me. Filled with an unmistakable sense of You, I cannot nor will not turn away from the beauty of Your light – the light within me and the world.

I see people and situations through spiritual vision. I see all people as You intended them to be – there is no race, no age, no gender. There is only love, for we are all Your love in expression.

I magnify Your presence by sharing with others  
- through my words and actions –  
the message of Your love.  
Amen.

## The Pastor Is In



Pastor Judi is available all day Monday & Wednesdays and Friday afternoons. In times of crisis do not hesitate to call Judi and she will respond as soon as she is able. **All it takes is a phone call on 0423 375 714** to make a convenient time to get together.

## Latest News

**Prayer meeting and Bible study** have recommenced Friday mornings from 10 to 11.30am. Bible study is concentrating on the book of Ecclesiastes.

**Your Pantry & Holiday Breakfast** What an amazing 4 weeks! A fantastic job all round to those who assisted with the Holiday Breakfast. Your Pantry is receiving some great donations thank you to all and to Sam for offering time in helping out.

**The Clean Up continues** Thanks to Judy Orchard who 'worked her fingers to the bone' to wash the plates and cups in the kitchen, disinfect the cupboards and the bins. We are progressively tidying up the site and would appreciate others of the congregation who could offer a few hours to help in the vestry, foyer and chapel area.

**Mens Drop In Afternoon.** Another new program for 2017 is a Friday afternoon drop in time for men. To be run from 2-4pm with opportunity of just a chat over a cuppa or a friendly game of pool or table tennis. Please let Noel know if you are interested.

# Chelsea Community Church of Christ Services

## CHURCH SERVICES 10 am Sunday



**22 Jan 2017**

**Speaker: Fiona - Don't be afraid my Child!**

**Reading: Chosen by Speaker - Noel**

**Communion: Noel / Judi**

**29 Jan 2017**

**Speaker: Judi - The Beautitudes**

**Reading: Noel - Psalm 15**

**Chris - Matthew 5:1-12**

**Communion: Chris / Judy**

**5 Feb 2017**

**Speaker: Judi - Lectio Divina**

**Reading: Congregation Participation**

**Psalms 112:1-9 - read 3 times through**

**Communion: Bob / Chris**

## Country Gospellaires

*Next appearing - 22 January 2017*

The 4th Sunday of every month dust off those vocal chords and come along and enjoy some good old-fashioned Gospels in a warm and friendly environment.

## WHAT'S ON

<b>MONDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fit Mums</li> <li>Ladies in the shed</li> <li>Music with Mummies</li> </ul>	8-9.00 Hall 9.30-12.30pm 9.30-10.30 chapel
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CS Mornington in the Mens Shed</li> <li>Music for Mommies</li> </ul>	Men's Shed 9-12 noon 9-12noon chapel
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community Breakfast</li> <li>Men's Shed</li> </ul>	8-10am—hall 9-2pm—backyard
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Men's Shed</li> <li>AA in the Chapel</li> </ul>	9-2pm—backyard 11am—chapel
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prayer Meeting</li> <li>Bible Study for Women</li> <li>CS Aust</li> <li>Afternoon Games</li> </ul>	10—1030am Annex 1030—1130am Annex Men's Shed 9-12noon Annex 12 -3.30pm
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ladies in the shed</li> </ul>	10-1pm
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Worship Service</li> <li>Childrens Program</li> </ul>	10-11am—chapel Followed by cuppa—hall

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