

This Sunday at Riverside

How we know we are truly loved? Looking at the fourth time Jesus spoke from the cross Darren will show the lengths that Jesus went to demonstrate his love for you and I.

Next Sunday at Riverside

Darren looks at the implications of Paul's words in 1 Corinthians 3:6-8. How does planting, watering and growing apply to Riverside and our mission.

This Week at Riverside

Monday	28th July	Building Closed	Brekky Packs available
Tuesday	29th July	Café and Play Café Purrana Garden Little Boat, Big River	9am - 2pm 10am 4pm - 5:30pm
Wednesday	30th July	Bubbles Café and Play Café	9:30am - 11:30am 11:30am - 2pm
Thursday	31st July	Café and Play Café Creationships Prayer Meeting	9am - 2pm 10:30am - 12noon 6:45pm
Friday	1st August	Café and Play Café Shout - Youth Alpha	9am - 2pm 6:30pm - 9pm
Saturday	2nd August	Brekky Club Oasis Ladies Meeting	8am - 10am 10:30am
Sunday	3rd August	Prayer Meeting Riverside Worship Splash Worship	9am 9:45am 11.45am

Generous Hearts

For those of you who feel led by the Holy Spirit to give financially to Riverside, whether that be regularly or on special occasions. Please talk to or email Kate for the BPAY details. kate.adami@salvationarmy.org.au
We can also accept EFTPOS through the Café till or cash in the offering.



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Riverside Gawler**

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July 27th

2025

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Riverside Membership Course

I know that a few of you have been waiting a long while for the Riverside membership course to start. Well I am pleased to say that we will begin the first of six sessions looking at membership on the afternoon of Sunday the 3rd of August.

As I have written before all our leadership training and church development will take place under the banner of the Riverside Walk. So the journey of membership will be take place once a month on the dates outlined below.

The course will look at the 11 Doctrines of The Salvation Army interwoven with the local mission, vision and culture of Riverside.

The Riverside Walk - Membership Session 1 - August 3

Why Membership? What does it entail?

Doctrine 1 The Authority of Scripture

Doctrine 2 One God

The Riverside Walk - Membership Session 2 - August 31

Doctrine 3 God is Three Persons

Doctrine 4 The Two Natures of Christ

Doctrine 5 The Fall

The Riverside Walk - Membership Session 3 - September 21

Doctrine 6 The Atonement

Doctrine 7 Repentance, Faith and Regeneration

Doctrine 8 Justified By Grace Through Faith

The Riverside Walk - Membership Session 4 - October 19

Doctrine 9 Continued Obedient Faith

Doctrine 10 Holiness

Doctrine 11 The Afterlife

The Riverside Walk - Celebration Sunday - November 2nd

This day will be reserved for the swearing in of new members within our 9:45am worship service.



If you want to become a member of Riverside or are interested in discovering more of what that might mean please add you name to the sign up sheet in the foyer.

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The New Financial Year

My dear friends, we have ticked over into a new financial year and I want to simply ask that you take a few moments to reflect on your weekly giving at Riverside. The reason we give is not to pay the church staff and cover the church overheads, primarily our giving is an act of worship and trust. When we are cheerfully giving our tithe (10% of our income) we are clearly demonstrating to God that we trust Him and believe his promises to take care of us and provide for all our needs. I believe He sees this as a sign of the authenticity of our relationship with Him.

You might say I can't afford to obey this command, I would simply say you can't afford not to. To honour God in this way opens up the storehouse of heaven. As he sees our genuine trust He honours his promise to bless us. He even goes as far as saying "test me in this". (Malachi 3)

I am aware that money cries out "you need me", "I am your security", "you can't cope without me". But that is exactly what Father God has always said to us his children. So which one are you going to trust more into the next financial year?



on behalf of Riverside Salvos and Gawler Police
Nixon's Function Centre presents an evening with

Aussie Cricket Legend

Ian Chappell

Friday 8th August 2025 : 6:00pm-10:00pm
Nixon's Function Centre, Nixon Tce, Gawler
Dress: Smart - Shirt and Tie
Tickets: \$100 plus booking fee.
(includes three course meal, table wine and live music)

Unique cricketing memorabilia, amazing experiences and great local products up for grabs in the Hope Cup Auction!





Raising funds by Sporting stars

All profits raised go towards supporting those who are experiencing homelessness and doing it tough in the Gawler and Barossa communities.



Order Tickets Via Eventbrite




Shout Youth - Youth Alpha in Term 3

We are running a Youth Alpha in Term 3 on Friday nights. Dinner will be provided at 7pm and follow with a video teaching series, worship and fun activities, finishing at 9pm. Please invite your young person (high school years 7-12). See the flyer on the board or call Kim for more information. 0452 201 271

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Touch Point

Sermon by
Darren Dwyer
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Q1. Has there ever been a moment in your life when you have continued in an action or deed, even when every part of you wants to stop and run away? If so share the experience with the group.

Q2. Jesus could have aborted his rescue mission at any point. Even when he was on the cross the Scriptures say twelve legions of angels were standing ready to intervene. Why do you think he chose to carry on?

Read Matthew 27:45-46

Q3. At noon the sky went dark and at 3pm Jesus spoke. What do you suppose was happening in that three hours of silence?

Theologians have called this the crucifixion within the crucifixion. It is the hour that Jesus had most dreaded. This is the point in the rescue mission where the sins of the world were placed on Jesus' account. It is the time where Jesus was allowed to feel like and be treated as though he had personally committed every sin he was paying for.

Q4. Just reflect for a moment how you have felt when you have sinned or worst still when you have been caught in your sin. Without going into details if you don't want to, describe how you felt.

Q5. Darren said in his sermon Jesus didn't just die for you, he died as if he were you? How does that make you feel?

Darren also said that this is the ultimate demonstration of love. Jesus didn't die to appease an angry Father. The Father, Son and Spirit conspired to do something that would cause them pain and despair as it was the only way to save you.

Q6 When Jesus cried out My God, My God why have you forsaken me how do you think the Father felt?

Q7. Given that all this was done for you are you happy to own the title beloved of God? Are you willing to see yourself as the one that Jesus loves?

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