

Hope Cup Fundraiser - Schnitzel Night

Kelly Magin, team member from the Riverside All Stars, is hosting a Schnitzel night at the Gawler Arms hotel on Monday 15th September. \$5 from each adult schnitzel will be donated to the Hope Cup. Come along for a good meal and to support those doing it tough in our local area. Bookings essential. Don't forget to mention Kelly and the Hope Cup when booking your table and ordering your schnitzel. See flyer for more details.

Kingdom Economics

As you know we have been blessed by Gawler Rotary Club providing money for the installation of a walk-in-freezer room in the kitchen. What this meant was we had two, three door commercial freezers we no longer needed. We could have sold them, but led by a prompt from The Holy Spirit we, as the leadership team, agreed that we should seek to offer these to other Salvo Mission Centres or local Churches free of charge. We sensed that God was saying 'why should the Kingdom pay twice' and more pertinently if we were willing to give these away it would unlock further blessing for us here at Riverside. So on Thursday evening Darren sent out an email offering the two freezers to whoever wanted them. Within 40 minutes they had been claimed. Copper Coast Salvos responded almost immediately saying they desperately needed a freezer for the church and would organise pick up within a week. Then Alice Springs Salvos called saying their large freezer used in their emergency relief program has packed up two days previously and they had no idea how they could afford a new one. We have been able to bless two other churches just by responding to The Holy Spirit's prompts. This is the Kingdom economy at work. I can't wait to see what blessings God unlocks for us as we continue to serve him and listen to his voice.

Follow us on Social Media



You may have noticed Josh and other members of the Riverside community popping up all over the socials! We have created a page to help promote the Riverside Café. You can follow and share on Facebook and Instagram under Riverside Café Gawler. Who will be our next 'person of the week'?

Shout Youth - Youth Alpha

Shout Youth will not be on Friday 12th September due to our leaders being unavailable. We return on Friday 19th September to continue the Youth Alpha course. For more information, contact Kim on 0452 201 271.

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Touch Point

Sermon by
Darren Dwyer
Available on App
and Website



Q1. What do you think God desires most from his children? To put it another way, what is his number one intention for the church?

Read Ephesians 4: 1-4

Q2. Would it surprise you to discover that God's ultimate desire for the church (that is the local church and the church universal) is unity. Why do you think this is?

Read Ephesians 1: 9-10, Ephesians 2:19 and Ephesians 3:10-11

The plan of God is outlined by Paul in the first three chapters of Ephesians, as evidenced by the passages you have just read.

Q3. Having read these passages do you have a clearer understanding of God's desire for unity? Could you put this into your own words?

Q4. Darren in his sermon said that we need to get to grips with God's plan being more about 'us', and less about 'me'. Do you agree with his statement?

Q5. Why in your opinion is it so spiritually unhealthy for someone to say I can follow Jesus but not be part of a church?

Darren said that it is ultimately because we haven't sought unity in the way God wants that has caused people to leave the church. As you read Ephesians 4, Paul outlines how we achieve unity. It is not a strategy we put in place, but a character we need to pursue.

Q7. So are you humble and gentle all the time? Are you patient and make allowances out of love? Do you work hard at maintaining peace by godly connections? Are you working for unity in the body because that is what God desires? If not, why not?



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This Sunday at Riverside

This week, Darren is back to continue our journey through the book of Ephesians, Chapter 4. He is looking at God's desire for the church. It might surprise you to find out that he wants unity above all things.

Next Sunday at Riverside

Next week, Darren will continue to unpack Ephesians, Chapter 4 and will focus on what it really means to be humble and why that is crucial to the health of the church.

This Week at Riverside

Monday	8 th September	Building Closed	Brekky Packs available
Tuesday	9 th September	Café and Play Café Little Boat, Big River	9am - 2pm 4pm - 5:30pm
Wednesday	10 th September	Bubbles Café and Play Café	9:30am - 11:30am 11:30am - 2pm
Thursday	11 th September	Café and Play Café Creationships Prayer Meeting	9am - 2pm 10:30am - 12noon 6:45pm
Friday	12 th September	Café and Play Café NO Shout Youth	9am - 2pm NO
Saturday	13 th September	Brekky Club	9am - 10am
Sunday	14 th September	Prayer Meeting Riverside Worship Splash Worship	9am 9:45am - 11:15am 11:45am - 12:30pm

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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How is your Parenting?

On this Father's Day can I encourage you all to register and come along to the viewing of 'SEEN' at Riverside on the 25th of September. I do this because I know the importance of positive and healthy parenting and the impacts it has on the next generation.

SEEN is a ground breaking feature-length documentary that not only explores the transformative power of personal healing for parents but also delves into the scientifically supported effects of such healing on parenting and its impact on child brain development.

By focusing on the unexplored aspect of parents confronting their own childhood coping mechanisms, "SEEN" provides, by beautiful storytelling, a compelling voice for us all to consider how our 'fathering' and 'mothering' of our kids has been impacted by our own experiences in childhood.



Thursday, 25th Sept 2025 | 9:30am

RIVERSIDE SALVOS CHURCH
17 EDITH ST, GAWLER EAST

Creche available but numbers limited. Register interest quickly.

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