

This Sunday at Riverside

Today Darren will be looking at the peace and unity that Jesus has brought to those who believe and will explain what it means. Read Ephesians 2

Chapter 2:11-16

Next Sunday at Riverside

Next week is Palm Sunday so Darren will be looking at Palm Sunday through the lens of Paul's teaching in Ephesians Chapter 2:16-22 continuing on from last week.

This Week at Riverside

Tuesday	8th April	Bubbles Café and Play Café Puruna Garden Club	9:30am - 11:30am 11:30am - 2pm 10am
Wednesday	9th April	Bubbles Café and Play Café Café and Play Café	9:30am - 11:30am 11:30am - 2pm 9am - 2pm
Thursday	10th April	Home League Creationships Prayer Meeting	10am - 12pm 12pm - 1pm 6:45pm
Friday	11th April	Café and Play Café Shout Youth	9am - 2pm 7pm - 9pm
Saturday	12th April	Brekky Club Prayer Meeting	8am - 10am 9am
Sunday	13th April	Riverside Worship Splash	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.

Play Café

The Café and Soft Play Area is open from 11:30am - 2pm on Tuesday and Wednesday, and 9am - 2pm on Thursday and Friday. Cost is \$2 per child, pay at the Café. Come for our Brunch or Lunch Session in the Soft Play Area. **Please make sure you book on the Eventbrite Link which is pinned to the top of our Facebook page and Website.**



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April 6th

2025

17 Edith Street Gawler East
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The Luke Drama

Information Session

WHAT

The Luke Drama is an amazing way to present the Gospel to our Community. If you love to act and want to bring this amazing message to life in front of a live audience please come along to the info session.

WHEN

Saturday, 26th April, at 6pm

WHERE

Riverside Salvos, 17 Edith Street, Gawler East

Refreshments Provided

Introduction to The Luke Drama

Read through the script

Finalise cast positions

Pray

Please come and bring anyone else along who might be interested in being involved. We need cast members and support team members, too.

For more information contact Jonathan Finch

jefinch22@gmail.com

Maundy Thursday Passover Meal - 17th April - 5:30-7pm

Tickets are now available to purchase for the Passover Meal on Thursday 17th April. Cost is \$5 per person. You will receive a physical ticket, so please bring that back with you. Kim Hamilton-Waycott will be in the foyer after the morning service, and also after Splash. We can accept cash or EFTPOS. You can also see Reception during the week. Don't forget to invite your friends and family.

Last ticket sales on Sunday 13th April so we can finalise numbers.

Teddy Bears Picnic

Tanunda Town Band presents TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC on Saturday 26th April, from 1:30pm - 3:30pm.

If you go down to Tanunda Oval, you're in for a Beary Big Surprise !

There will be family fun and games for all ages, along with lively tunes from Bluey to Swifty.

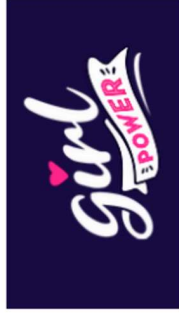
Walk the Red Carpet in the Teddy Bear Parade for your chance to win a prize. Blow a note on a Beary Big Trombone, eat Bear Honey Biscuits and so much more !

Lent Prayer Calendar - 50 Days of Prayer for Riverside

We are now entering our 6th week of Lent. Please continue to use the Lent Prayer Calendar to uphold the ministries within Riverside, but also to bless our neighbours and surrounding community. Copies are available on the information table.

Girl Power Workshops - 16th April 2025

Andrea White from Together We make a Difference is running another Girl Power Workshop this April School Holidays, on Wednesday 16th April, 9:30am - 12:30pm. Designed for Girls aged 8-12 years old, the program aims to foster a positive mindset, inner confidence and resilience in girls from a young age. The workshop is called "What Makes You, YOU? Cost is \$65 per child. Places are limited, so enrol now at <https://www.togetherwemakeadifference.com.au/girlpower>



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Touch Point

The Walls come Tumbling Down

Q1 If I was to ask you why did Jesus die on the cross, how would you answer that question?

Read Ephesians 2:11-16

Q2. Now that you have read this passage would you add any other reasons for Jesus dying on the cross? What did you discover?

Q3. Why do you think we know Ephesians 2:1-10 better than we know Ephesians 2:11-22?

We live in a very self-centred, self-absorbed and individualistic society here in Australia. We can actually make our salvation and experience of God fit quite neatly into that kind of societal norm. Yet in Ephesians 2:11-22 we get to consider a bigger reality for the cross of Jesus and why it happened. Not only was the separation between us and God dealt with, but the wall of hostility between people was also completely dismantled.

Q4. What people groups or nations do you find it hard to love or even like? Can you be honest enough to share your reasons. Have you constructed a wall of hostility without even realising it?

Q5. Does a wall of hostility exist between you and anyone at Riverside?

Q6. If such a wall exists what does that say about your understanding of the cross of Christ and his death on it? What can you do about your bricks in that wall, those are the ones you are responsible for?

Q7. Darren said that Father doesn't want lots of individual personal relationships with his children, he wants a family. How would you describe what Darren is saying? What would it look like at Riverside?

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