

UPCOMING EVENTS

City Carols ON HAY

Date | Sunday 17th December Time | 2:30pm - 4pm

Join us for a time of carols,
music and celebration!



Outside Wesley Uniting Church
Corner of Hay and William St

HEALING THE BROKEN HEART OF AUSTRALIA

7 Evangelistic Healing Evenings / 3 Days Mentoring Men for the Master
3 Days Women-to-Women

2018

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HOBART 19-25 FEB
SYDNEY 26 FEB - 4 MAR



Revival Transformation
I asked the Lord, Why
is Sydney Last?

It's time to Heal the Hurt
through the Generations.
From where it began
230 years ago
to where it will end on
the last day in Sydney 2018.

"Forget the former things;
do not dwell on the past.
See, I am doing a new thing!"
ISAIAH 43: 18-19

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Arrow Head International, Australia in Partnership with
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**Mega Cities 7 Day Healing Meetings
in 8 weeks in 8 capital cities of Australia
starts in Perth, 8th Jan 2018!**

- led by Gloria Miller, Arrowhead Ministries

For more information, visit:

<https://www.healingthebrokenheart-australia.com/>

Aboriginal kids camp

"REMEMBER THE LORD"

8-12 Jan 2018



In January this year, all the children at the Friends Camp in Tweed Heads encountered God in the most powerful way, especially on the last night. Please spread the word if you know any Aboriginal children who would like to attend the January 2018 camp. Prayers appreciated for the camp on every level. For more information please visit:

www.friends-camp.com

SURRENDER

The SURRENDER conference

23-25 March 2018

Belgrave Heights Convention Centre, VIC

The SURRENDER conference is a gathering of Christians from across Australia to share ideas, stories and hope on justice, discipleship and mission. The SURRENDER conference is for people from all walks of life - with workshops for first-timers, amazing keynote speaker and performing artists and, fantastic programs for kids and youth, and heaps more! To register, visit:

<http://surrender.org.au/conference/>

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**And the Word became
flesh and dwelt among us,
and we beheld His glory,
the glory as of the only
begotten of the Father,
full of grace and truth.**

John 1:14

"The word for "dwelt" is the word for "set up a tent" in Greek. I used to think that implied mainly that He was here only temporarily. But when I looked up all the places this word occurs in the New Testament, I found that it does not imply temporary status. For example, in Rev 21:3, where the eternal new heavens and new earth are described, it says, "Behold the dwelling [tent!] of God is with men. He will dwell [pitch his tent!] with them, and they shall be His people." I think what pitching a tent with us implies is that God wants to be on familiar terms with us. He wants to be close. He wants a lot of interaction."

John Piper (desiringGod.org)

Team Bukmak Elcho hit 80% local employment!

For over 30 years, a huge amount of government contract work in indigenous communities has been done by non-indigenous workers in an effort to get work done cheaply and quickly.

In March 2015, two very destructive cyclones crossed Elcho Island in Arnhem Land. Many people around the nation prayed, and there were no injuries or deaths. But many of the 2,200 residents of Galiwin'ku township had to be housed in tents while houses were repaired or rebuilt. The Northern Territory government decided the rebuilding plan had to have maximum local employment.

A big congratulations goes out to the *ALPA Bukmak Constructions* team at Elcho Island who are working on the NT Government cyclone housing rebuild program. For the month of October, they achieved over 80% local Yolngu employment and have proven their capacity to deliver high quality works delivered on time!

This is a great achievement for a team that was only formed early this year. ***Well done team Bukmak - we are all proud of your achievement!***



Photo & details from ALPA website.
<http://www.alpa.asn.au>

ALPA – Arnhem Land Progress Association - was established >40 years ago by the Methodist church to run the stores and supplies network for Arnhem Land indigenous communities.

Profile: Rodney Rivers



Khesed project officer, musician, stockman and highly involved in translation work

Tribe/Language: Moola Bulla people, Gidja people, Gooniyandi people

Raised on Kimberley cattle country in WA, Rodney Rivers, 70, is fluent in 4 Indigenous Australian languages. A talented musician and singer-songwriter, he has performed Australia-wide and has toured with Slim Dusty's guitarist Barry Thornton.

Working as an ethnic and Indigenous translator for the Summer Institute of Linguists in Darwin, he has been significantly involved in Scripture translation work for Australia's first Kriol Bible translation, published by the Bible Society Australia.

Rodney Rivers is on the committee for A National Act of Recognition of the First Peoples of Australia and Torres Strait. A core action is to invite every Australian to gather at Botany Bay, NSW, to publicly denounce and declare unacceptable any false notion of "a land belonging to no one" that there may have been when taking possession of Australia. "We're all going to go there and dig a grave and bury that lie of terra nullius and any personal hang ups people got and have a celebration. Black and white, let's walk away from Botany

Bay and rebuild this nation for the Lord Jesus Christ," said Rodney.

"My passion for Australia is that one day I'd like to see the glory of the Lord cover the earth as the waters cover the sea. The Lord have me a vision back in the mid 1980s. He took me up to a different realm and showed me this global outpouring of the Holy Spirit that started here in Australia. There is a wave coming as well for the South Pacific Islands. My role as an Indigenous person is to prepare the way for what is coming."

Our thanks to 40 Stories for this article. Please promote their website:

<http://40stories.com.au>

Sons of Abraham & ANZAC Tour report in Israel 17 Oct - 4 Nov

By Ps Barbara Miller

We had a number of key areas to focus on:

- 1) Visiting and praying at the sites where God made covenant with Abraham and Abraham built altars to the Lord.
- 2) Hosting a Sons of Abraham conference in Jerusalem with Jewish and Arab pastors as speakers.
- 3) Attending the centenary of the Battle of Beer Sheva on Oct 31 and praying at battle sites throughout Israel and laying wreaths to honour the memory of those who lost their lives.
- 4) Attending an event re the centenary of the Balfour Declaration on 2nd Nov.
- 5) Visiting & praying at the sites holy to Christians so that the Bible comes alive & our faith in the Lord is deepened.
- 6) Visiting Messianic Jewish and Arab pastors and hearing them share from their hearts. This included a worship night we organized in Beer Sheva on Oct 30.
- 7) Praying on the borders of Israel for the protection of the people from terrorism.
- 8) Honouring William Cooper and other events.

For more information visit:

<http://reconciliationandpeace.org/reconciliation-news-buzz/>