

This Sunday at Riverside

Today, Colin will be delving into Matthew 11:30 and what it means to find rest for your soul. Colin is a theologian, author and leader in The Salvation Army, we are grateful for his time in sharing with us today.

Next Sunday at Riverside

Darren will be sharing once again on the series about the Holy Spirit. We are enjoying growing our understanding of what it truly means to live with the Holy Spirit in our lives.

This Week at Riverside

Monday	15th June	Building Closed	Brekky Packs available 9am - 10am
Tuesday to Friday		<i>Brekky Club</i>	
Tuesday	16th June	Café and Play Café	9am - 1:30pm
Wednesday	17th June	Bubbles Café and Play Café	9:30am - 11:30am 11:30am - 1:30pm
Thursday	18th June	Café and Play Café Creationships Prayer Meeting	9am - 1:30pm 10am - 12noon 6:45pm
Friday	19th June	Café and Play Café Shout Youth	9am - 1:30pm 7pm - 9pm
Saturday	20th June	Brekky Club WOW Ladies Meeting	9am - 10am 7pm - 9pm
Sunday	21st June	Prayer Meeting Riverside Worship Splash Men's Life Group	9am 9:45am 11:45 am 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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Message from Miriam Gluyas

Friends, I don't like winter. You would think that growing up in Ballarat might have prepared me for it, but three years living in the tropics has not helped. I find myself longing for its end and the arrival of a new season. Spring is my favourite season. I love when the flowers begin to bloom, when everything seems to come alive again. There is beauty, fruit, warmth and growth all around.

I have been reflecting on this in relation to us as a movement. At times, it may feel like we have been in a long winter season. If you look at the trees, you will notice that in winter, deciduous trees shed their leaves. They protect themselves and store their nutrients. But let's be clear, they are not dead. Then spring comes, and with it, new life.

The Israelites understood something about seasons. They experienced long and difficult periods. They escaped from Egypt, wandered for 40 years in the wilderness, crossed into Canaan, celebrated Passover, and then entered cycles of disobedience, oppression and repentance. Their story reminds us that seasons change, but often the turning point came when they forgot God. I sense that we are moving into a season of spring. We have weathered storms, endured the harshness of winter, and remained faithful. God is doing a new thing. For some, it may still feel like winter. For others, signs of spring are already evident. But let me remind you, we are not dead. Spring is coming in greater measure.

And let us never forget, we need Him. A friend from Africa once asked me, "Why in this country, Australia, would I need God? If I need food, I go to The Salvation Army. If I need healing, I go to the doctor. If I need support, I go to the government. But in Africa, if I need food, shelter or healing, I call on God."

Friends, we need Him, perhaps now more than ever. And He is right here. With you, in you, for you. Spring has begun for us as a movement. Let's rely on Him and remain faithful. "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9

Blessings, Miriam Gluyas - Territorial Commander

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Kim at More Conference!

Kim Hamilton-Waycott continues to oversee our Shout Youth Ministry and works within the Crisis Support Team. Kim has dedicated many hours to supporting our local community and gives generously of her time. This year, Kim has been invited to attend More Conference in Queensland, and there are substantial costs associated with this trip. The Salvation Army has covered the cost of the conference, but Kim is paying for flights and accommodation which has added up to \$1400. We would love our church community to rally around Kim to support this cost. If you are able, could you contribute by BPAY - Biller code 438580 Reference 2 023 0 or place some cash in an envelope marked More Conference. Thank you.

Red Shield Appeal 2026 - Thankyou

We are so grateful to everyone who has contributed to Red Shield 2026, we have officially finished the physical collection in our community! We pray that this time has built relationships between our church and local community.

Our total to date is \$23,035.20

We will be keeping Digital Doorknock open until the end of June if anyone would like to give online.



Women of Worth Ladies Meeting - Saturday 20th June

Our next meeting is on Saturday 20th June, 7pm - 9pm. We will have Sue Goodwins from the Grenville Hub to teach us some Line Dancing moves. All ladies welcome, from 13 to 100 years, (minors must be accompanied by an adult). RSVP to Linda on 0437 213 740



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Touch Point

Sermon by
Colin Stoodley
Available on App
and Website



Q1. What are the differences between a life where you follow Jesus, and a life where you don't?

Q2. If you have personally experienced this, what was it like before following Jesus until now?

Q3. What do you find hardest about following Jesus? How do you work through this challenge.

Read Matthew 11:20-30

Q4. What does this tell us about God the Father, Jesus and the Holy Spirit?

Q5. What does this tell us about people?

Q6. What is this calling us to do and how are we going to do it?

Q7. Are there examples in your life where Jesus has worked miracles for you or others? How has this shaped your understanding of God?

Q8. What do you think it means to find rest for your soul? How do you live this out? What is a yoke?

Extended reading:

1 Peter 5:6-9

Psalms 95:1-7



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