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SENIORS MINISTRY



Come together and stay connected

KINGS CORONATION

Can you find yourself
in the photos?

SALVATION ARMY EMPLOYMENT PLUS

Captain Anne Hill
came to visit.

BCOC COMING EVENTS

Don't miss out!



A WORD FROM SHARON

What an amazing 3 months we have enjoyed together! Lots of fun and also moments of contemplation of spiritual matters. We have so enjoyed seeing new folk come along and share fellowship with us - especially at afternoon tea time! Thanks to all of those who contribute to making our Wednesdays such happy times.



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AMAZING THINGS!

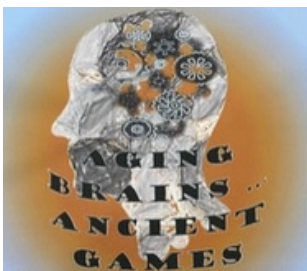


What fun we had delving into the wonder world of amazing things!
From animals to geniuses, to world records, we were truly amazed!
Jessica Cox- first pilot with no arms.
The message focused on the amazing attributes of Jesus.



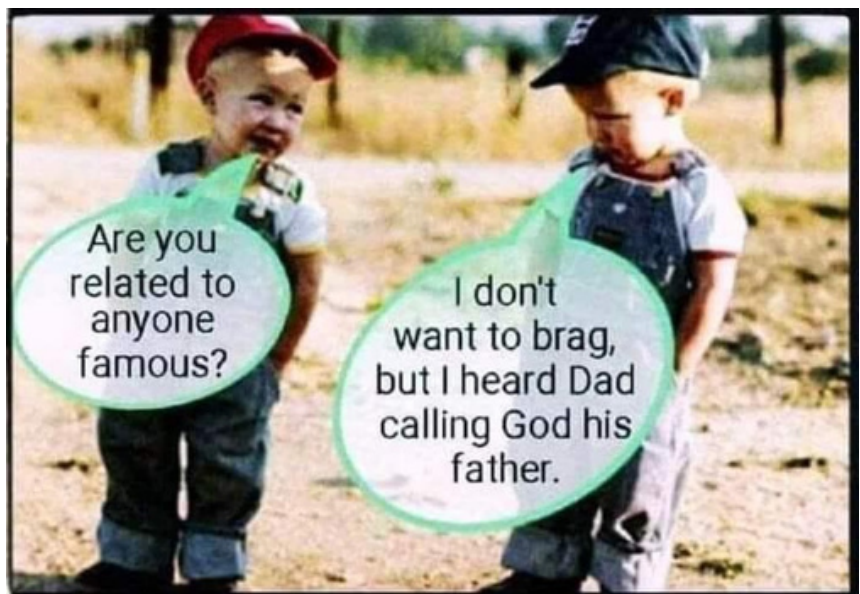
SALVATION ARMY EMPLOYMENT PLUS

Captain Anne Hill gave us a broad and interesting overview of her work as a chaplain at Employment Plus.



AGEING BRAINS.. ANCIENT GAMES

We had fun together, as Ps Gary Lewis explained how challenging our brains, enhances our mental wellbeing as we age.
We played a variety of table games that stretched our thinking.



KING CHARLES 3RD CORONATION AFTERNOON TEA!

Everyone had a fantastic time, as we celebrated The Coronation with a high tea. Lloyd Poole set the atmosphere with British-themed music and soon had us singing along. A big thank you to the wonderful members who made this day so memorable. The ladies who baked, those who served tea, and especially to Vern Board for the amazing decorations.



MISSIONARY AVIATION FELLOWSHIP

Max Myers spoke of his time in Papua New Guinea as a Missionary Aviation Pilot. We learned of the flight dangers, and the miraculous intervention of God, in the ministry to the unsaved there. A freewill offering was given.



**Keep my heart so tender Lord,
For I would walk the narrow way,
Keep my heart so tender, Jesus,
Lest from Thee I stray.**



The troubles of this life may overwhelm us, and batter our emotions, at times causing our hearts to get crusty, or cold towards The Lord. God is the Ruler of day & night, yesterday, today, and tomorrow. Nothing is a surprise to Him. Let's allow our hearts to be softened by the oil of The Holy Spirit, making us pliable and responsive. Max Lucado writes: "An ironman triathlete told me the secret of his success: "You last the long race by running the short ones." In other words, don't swim 5 km; just swim to the next buoy. Never tackle more than the challenge ahead. Didn't Jesus offer the same counsel? "So don't ever worry about tomorrow. After all, tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own." (Matthew 6:34) You don't have wisdom for tomorrow's needs, but you will tomorrow. You don't have resources for tomorrow's needs, but you will tomorrow. You don't have the courage for tomorrow's challenges. But you will when tomorrow comes." Be blessed as you ponder this message. With love, Sharon

BOOK READING – PS GRAEME CANN

Graeme read to us from his newest book – "That they all may be one." The latest in a number of books, this one is based on the Gospel of John.



BCOC COMING EVENTS

PARTNERS GATHERING
SUNDAY 27TH
AUGUST 2023
12.30-2.30PM

Our City Needs A
FATHER

Saturday 2nd
September 2023
9am - 1pm

PSALM 133

"Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brothers to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious oil upon the head, coming down upon the beard, even Aaron's beard. It is like the dew of Hermon coming down upon the mountains of Zion, for there the Lord commanded the blessing -life forevermore."