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DAY	TIME	FACILITATOR	DESCRIPTION
MONDAY	7.30 pm- 9.00 pm	Marcia Parkes	Meditation/Development
TUESDAY	10.30 am - Noon	Carmel & Bill John	Meditation/Healing
	Committee Meeting	**7pm**	10th June
WEDNESDAY	11.00am-2.30pm	Yvonne Warren & Joanne	Meditation/Development
	7.30pm-9pm	Jo Burgess	Meditation/Development
THURSDAY	Readings \$25	8.30am-1pm	Entry by side door
FRIDAY	7.30 pm - 9.00 pm	Jenny Havebond	Meditation/Development
SUNDAY	3.00 pm & 7.00 pm	Various	Services. All welcome
SATURDAY 14th	COFFEE CLUB 2-4.30pm	ALL WELCOME	\$6 FOR REFRESHMENTS

Our Philosophy is based on Seven Principles



(With liberty of interpretation)

1. *The Fatherhood of God.*
2. *The Brotherhood of Man.*
3. *The immortality of the soul and its personal characteristics*
4. *The proven facts of communication between departed human spirits and mortals*
5. *Personal responsibility.*
6. *Compensation and retribution hereafter for all good and evil deeds done here*
7. *A path of Eternal Progress open to every human soul who wills to tread it by the path of eternal good.*



Dear friends,

What a great workshop we had with Jason McDonald, always a joy to host, and always generous. Jason donated all the proceeds of his workshop to the Church, paying his expenses including his flight down, himself. A friend of our Church for many years. Thank you Jason.

According to the weatherman, this warm spell is just about to end, so once again remind you regarding the air conditioner: that because of the size of our building, it cannot warm whole Church immediately on being switched on. Perhaps a good idea to turn it on half an hour before your Circle is to start. A reminder also to check that aircon, fans and lights are all off when we leave.

In our next newsletter you will see details of the "no smoking policy" now to be in place within all public buildings and environs. Notices will be posted in areas affected in our case. As always the cooperation of everyone will be required.

My thanks to each and every one for the willing way we all work together, as facilitators, speakers, mediums, readers, helping out in so many ways to ensure we continue to thrive. Our membership is at an all time high, everyday our facilities are being used. Well done!

Check out our monthly programme for June, I hope to see you in Church

Charles Freeman Vice President

Annual subscription of \$10 is now due. \$5 for those with concession card.

Place your money in envelope, with ALL your details listed on front, and hand it to Circle leader, or place in safe. Please pay dues as soon as possible, it makes everything smoother as we plan the AGM. Membership entitles you to newsletters each month and membership of Library.

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Paddy took 2 stuffed dogs to the 'Antiques Roadshow'.

"Ooh!" said the presenter, "This is a very rare set, produced by the celebrated Johns Brothers taxidermists who operated in London at the turn of last century. Do you have any idea what they would fetch if they were in good condition?"

Paddy thought for a minute and said, "Sticks?"



PROGRAMME FOR JUNE 2014

DATE	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSON
<u>1st June</u>		
3pm	Dave Everitt	Bill & Carmel John
7 pm	Sylvie	Maree Miller
<u>8th June</u>		
3.pm	Susanna Steel	Jenny Havebond
7pm	Chinta	Assunta Marinelli
<u>14th June</u>	Coffee Club 2pm-4.30pm	Refreshments incl. \$6 All welcome.
<u>15th June</u>	Shirley Darby Paula Finn	Carmel John Marcia Parkes
<u>21st June</u>	Workshop with Shirley Darby	Register 40238406
	"Healing the three layers of the Aura"	10pm-5pm
<u>22nd June</u>		
3pm	Louise Herman	Anona Unicomb
7pm	Terry Tomlin	Mark Boyle
<u>29th June</u>		
	Wilhelm Eibner	Jo Burgess
	Brenton Reilly	Charles Freeman
<u>6th July</u>		
	Susan Glynn	Assunta Martinelli
	Mark Penkala	Maree Miller
Another wonderful line-up of speakers and subjects.		
Susanna Steel, medium joins us with her experience in mediumship		
Chinta- we welcome back Chinta. A very spiritual & talented man who has travelled extensively overseas, lives with African tribes- has wonderful stories to tell, is very talented and plays many unusual instruments.		
Paula Finn- member- first time on platform- will speak of her spiritual journey we welcome Paula to platform.		
Louise Herman- well known medium. Louise travels in Australia and overseas extensively to bring messages from loved ones and proof of survival in Spirit world.		
Wilhelm Eibner- (first time with us) Wil is an experienced Pyschic medium, having worked in Sydney & Newcastle. We look forward to his visit.		
Thank you Jo for organising our speakers, and doing this intro for us.....		

11 Simple Spiritual Truths That Will Bring More Peace Into Your Life

by John Cali and Spirit

The other day my spirit guides sat me down and gave me this list of spiritual truths.

They are nothing you and I did not know. But, if you're like me, you need reminders now and then.

- You were born to have fun. You knew this as a little child. But you forgot. Call up the little child within.
 - You are never alone. Spirit is with you always. Your spirit guides and angels are with you always. Ask them for help when you need it.
 - Your body is your friend, no matter what shape it's in. It wants to serve you. Let it, and you will thrive.
 - There is no challenge in your life you cannot meet successfully. Just trust yourself and Spirit. Then you will resolve all challenges.
 - Life is supposed to be easy. If it's hard work you're not doing it right.
 - Everybody else is okay just as they are. Allow them their path. You just tend to your own path.
 - There is no death. You will eventually shed your body. But **you** will go on. All your relationships will go on.
 - Life is beautiful. Look for the beauty, the good all around you. There you will find healing.
 - There is no limit to what you can have, do, or be. Unless you believe there is.
 - You have never made a mistake. Spirit takes all your "mistakes" and turns them into gifts.
 - If you want more peace in your life, give peace to others.
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 - **Be peace.**
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Readers would know that John Calli regularly is found in our newsletter. Many years ago a church member sent me an email to check out his site. I did, and have been receiving his posts ever since. He is happy for us to include it in news letter,

I WALKING ON THE GRASS

The room was full of pregnant women with their husbands.

The instructor said, "Ladies, remember that exercise is good for you. Walking is especially beneficial. It strengthens the pelvic muscles and will make delivery that much easier.

Just pace yourself, make plenty of stops and try to stay on a soft surface like grass or a path."

"Gentlemen, remember -- you're in this together. It wouldn't hurt you to go walking with her. In fact, that shared experience would be good for you both."

The room suddenly became very quiet as the men absorbed this information.

After a few moments a man, name unknown, at the back of the room, slowly raised his hand.

"Yes?" said the Instructor.

"I was just wondering if it would be all right if she carries a golf bag while we walk?"

Brings a tear to your eye, doesn't it?

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Progress on Coffee Club discussion afternoons.

Thank you to the wonderful people who have been coming along to our Coffee Club.

How blessed are we to be given a beautiful sanctuary in the Church and given the opportunity to be able to share and converse with our members and their friends in a casual atmosphere once a month. Amazing how the Church provides us with a space for so many various activities.

I have noticed over the past 12 months Spirit has been working hard in bringing positive energy and light to a lot of our members. Attracting our light workers to come forward and continue in the work of spirit, teaching, healing and mediumship, it seemed to be the right time to start the Coffee Club. The Coffee Club idea was to help bring like-minded people together to further develop, share experiences and try and answer questions that newer members or friends may be asking. One does not have to be a member of the Church to come along. We share in afternoon tea and get spoilt with Assunta's cooking surprises and other members who bring along a little extra. Very yummy. Our group is growing as people are learning that they can relax in an informal atmosphere to chat and listen.

Since our first gathering we have spoken on subjects such as Near Death Experiences, Proof of Life after Death and Spiritual Healing. Last week's session on Spiritual Healing was really inspiring and went over the time but who was watching. The group decide on the topic. It is funny how we sit and talk and then someone may say something and other attendees light up and are nodding and agreeing with what they are saying and eager to have their say.

It is also a venue for members to get to know each other as many of us are busy in our every day life.

How it works:

Coffee Club attendees agree on the topic of discussion each month and are welcome to submit any topic they like

How the Coffee Club works.

It isn't regimented but we do want everyone to be able to speak if they wish, and everyone to date has wished to speak.

There isn't a time limit but we would like everyone to have a go, so no-one person dominates the session.

We have questions and answers.

We have discussion.

We take the opportunity to develop further from these meetings.

Topics can be researched but mostly we just talk from experience or just talk on the topic .

Dear members if there is a topic you are interested in please come along and join us for an enlightened afternoon on the third Saturday of each month. We would love to see you there.

This month we will be discussing Mediumship & Spirit Communication. Hopefully some more of our mediums will join us for this session.

Until we meet again

Krys Johnson

Thanks Krys for this report, and also thanks for having the initiative to create a new way we can share our experiences and meet people.

BIT AND PIECES

So many things happening, this Church is really being well used. Circles every day, classes three days a week, and workshops and Coffee Club on Saturdays. Not to mention Readers Day each Thursday.

So many people contributing their time and skills.

Sadly haven't much chatty news as I don't get down as often, you probably have heard that new song books are in the making, and now more records of the setting up of our Church are available, I intend to finish off the history I tried to write 10 years ago.

What a joy Jason McDonald is, has so much knowledge to share, and so generous in Spirit. He is a widely read columnist in new age type magazines, (the kind I read) and has his own weekly radio show in Brisbane. We are so fortunate that he supports our Church.

Have you checked out our noticeboard ? Shirley Darby has another workshop this month. Her Astrology classes on Mondays, for enrolled people only, are going very well, amazing some of those studying Astrology for first time at just how much can be learned about themselves, and others. Ilse Kohl having great success within her group classes. Ilse has so much to impart.

Rosie's mediumship classes continue to thrive. Such a great initiative for those wishing to learn more. Our good fortune that Rosie settled in Newcastle.

John of God, the Brazilian Healer is coming to Sydney. It is a three day affair, see notice for all details. It is fairly expensive, but cheaper than travelling to Brazil . This man has been channelling miraculous healing for many years.

Was speaking with Robyn Akins this week, she is doing well, the two grandchildren she is raising are improving in health, still keeping her busy. She misses Church, but has to wait until girls are older. Baby Destiny is now 2. Rob was so busy in the Church, into most things, always bright and cheery. Really miss you Rob.

Coffee Club is a great idea, relaxed, friendly and informative. Not a common mix to find. The food is good too. Both men and women attend, and lots of points of view are expressed, and are discussed .

Next topic “Mediumship and Spirit Communication.”.....Got something to contribute?

How often do you check out the front page, perhaps even ponder over our seven principles? Do you know where they came from and why we adopted them?

How often do you check out the advertisers on our back page, supporting our newsletter, and perhaps patronise one of them? Food for thought?

Signs are shortly to be posted regarding "No smoking" regulations in public buildings, and all members & visitors will be expected to comply with these regulations.

Thanks to those who contributed items this month, as usual all the mistakes are mine,
hope you enjoy reading it..... Editor Alva Macey

The young couple invited their aged pastor for Sunday dinner. While they were in the kitchen preparing the meal, the minister asked their son what they were having. "Goat," the little boy replied. "Goat?" replied the startled man of the cloth, "Are you sure about that?" "Yep," said the youngster. "I heard Pa say to Ma, 'Might as well have the old goat for dinner today as any other day.'"



ASTROLOGICAL GRAND CROSS 2014. Bringing in changes.

CHANGE world wide and personal is happening to all of us.

Last night I was watching a TV show called The Voice. A male contestant who said that he was 56 years old was telling them that he now felt the need to change his lifestyle. Kylie Minogue, who was one of the judges told him that she had a great career overseas and last year she had an 'epifini' about time to change. so she came back to Australia and was now working on this show.

My sister recently suffered a heart attack (from stress). She had worked on Craft stalls for many years and was always busy creating new articles. Last year she started stressing as many of the venues for stall holders were being closed down. People were not buying hand crafted articles anymore. She has four friends that have worked on stalls and created their own crafts who all became ill as well and could not continue to work. So they were all being forced to change their lifestyle. These ladies and my sister now are looking towards finding new interests (most of them in their 70's). My sister is now starting to go to a meditation group and a Cardio class for exercise.

Think about your own life, and the lives of your family and friends. How many of you are going through changes that you never thought could happen?.

Now in 2014 a Grand Cross in Astrology is a joining up of four 'square' aspects. A square is a 90 degree aspect (joining) between two signs. Because signs that are 90 degrees apart have the same 'action' but do it in a different manner there is always conflict and a need for resolution. The Astrological signs that are classed as Action signs are (Aries, Cancer, Libra and Capricorn) Those signs need action in various ways. Mutable signs are (Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius and Pisces) These signs need to communicate in their own way. The Fixed signs are (Taurus, Leo, Scorpio and Aquarius) These signs have 'fixed' ideas as to how things should be.

The Grand Cross (joining four of these square aspects to form a square) is touching on the four Action sign houses in the chart (creating a need for action for all) and the planets travelling through those signs are affecting all humanity. The Planet Uranus, that is connected to the Aquarian Age we are now entering is in Aries/the sign of action. The Planet Jupiter, that is connected with travel, knowledge and optimism is in Cancer, the sign of home and families (particularly Mother) The sign of Mars, (energy, and fighting) is now in the peaceful sign of Libra (peace and partnership). The sign of Pluto (power, renewal, underground) is now in the sign of Capricorn (business, father, responsibility) Uranus in Aries relates to pioneering new Aquarian Age attitudes. Jupiter in Cancer indicates a need to move away from old close ideas in nurturing and have more independent ideas. Mars in Libra, is a need to stand up and fight for partnership rights. Pluto in Capricorn is about going underground (Pluto) to bring out underground happenings in business and controlled groups.

Whenever there is a square aspect in a chart there is a need to work on the energies of the signs and to let go of old habits in order to grow spiritually. It is very rarely that these square aspects join up in a chart and create a square. What then happens is that the stress that is being worked on in one square aspect is connected to the next and the next, so that each one causes more involved stress. It can have a whirl wind affect that pushes you to change and move on. This is an extremely strong aspect and its affects can be seen not only in our own lives but in the dramas that we know are happening all over the world. We have also recently had two eclipses that have worked with this Grand Cross in order to move humanity forward.....from Blog of Shirley Darby...Thanks Shirley.

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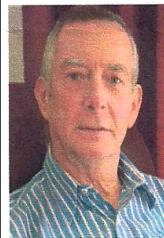
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Be Happy..

*Enjoy every moment
of your life..*

*Life is too short to
waste on grudges..*

*Laugh when you can,
Apologize when you
should..*

*and let go of what you
can't change..*

I always wonder why
somebody isn't doing
something about that.
Then I realized...

I am somebody.

