



REUNION | REFRESHMENT | REVIVAL  
MCC GENERAL CONFERENCE  
3-6 JULY 2025

### General Conference

**Discussion Circles** are the main way that you can give feedback on bylaw proposals, motions and other items of business,

before the General Conference Business Meeting. Everyone in MCC can participate. Items to be discussed will be sent out in a Discussion Pack by the end of the first week of February, prior to the Discussion Circles starting.

Notes from each session will be shared on the General Conference Business Meeting page after each Discussion Circle, so that you can see what was said in all the Discussion Circles.

The Business Meeting pack will contain the final versions of Bylaw proposals, motions and other business, once the feedback from Discussion Circles has been reviewed and any changes made in consequence.

This Business Pack will be issued by the end of April, so that Lay Delegates can consult with their congregations.

The following dates for Discussion circles have been set in consultation with Network leaders, MCC staff and others around the world.

#### **Please use the following link to join any Discussion Circle:**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81405221066?pwd=HNXebNFavRZPvodjterHItRhYoCPS.1#success>

**Thursday 20th February** ENGLISH – Singapore, Manilla, Brisbane, Auckland

**8:30pm Sydney**

**Saturday 22nd February** ENGLISH - Singapore, Manilla, Brisbane, Auckland

**1pm Sydney**



## Metropolitan Community Church Sydney

**Weekly Bulletin**  
**February 2<sup>nd</sup> 2025**

*A warm welcome to worship,  
especially visitors and new folk among us.  
May God's grace and peace be with you.*



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**Weekly Worship**  
 96 Crystal Street Petersham  
 10.00 am & 6.30pm  
[office@mccsydney.org](mailto:office@mccsydney.org)  
 'Safe, Inclusive, All are welcome!'

**Scriptures for February 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
 Malachi 3:1-4 ♦ Psalm 84 ♦ Hebrews 2:14-18 ♦ Luke 2:22-40  
**Scriptures for February 9<sup>th</sup>**  
 Isaiah 6:1-8 ♦ Psalm 138 ♦ 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 ♦ Luke 5:1-11

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February – Presentation of Jesus**

**10am** Message: Rev Elder Stuart Sutherland  
**6.30pm** Message: Rev Elder Stuart Sutherland

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> February – Epiphany 5**

**10am** Message: Rev Geoff Ivers  
**6.30pm** Message: Rev Geoff Ivers



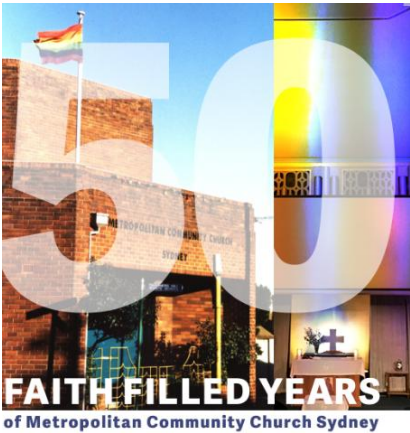
Prayer is a foundation of a faith community. If you would like prayer shared for yourself or someone you know, please make a note in the **prayer request book in the foyer.**  
**This is an open book so that during the Prayers of the People in Sunday Services the requests made will be included and prayed for.**

**Activities coming up**

Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> -10am & 6.30pm Guest Ministry  
 – Rev Elder Stuart Sutherland  
 Feb 6<sup>th</sup> – 10.30am Morning Devotions @church & FB Streaming  
 Feb 16<sup>th</sup> – 12 noon Fellowship Lunch @ Brighton Café

**Looking ahead Mardi Gras and Lent**

Feb 14<sup>th</sup> – Mardi Gras Festival begins  
 Feb 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday – Mardi Gras Fair Day - MCC Sydney Stall  
 March 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday – Mardi Gras Parade and Party – Cloakroom  
 March 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday - Rainbow Pride Pancakes and Worship  
 March 5<sup>th</sup> - Lent begins - 7pm Ash Wednesday Service



MCC Sydney Celebrates 50 faith filled years this year. There will be activities for us to rejoice and give thanks for the heritage and ministry of our church. An anniversary dinner will be held in August. More details to come.

**Sunday February 16<sup>th</sup> 11am to 4pm MG Fair Day**  
 Join us at the big day out in Victoria Park Broadway at Mardi Gras Fair Day. We will have an MCC Information Stall to share our message of Christian faith and God's love to everyone. If you're able to give an hour or two sharing information please let us know at email [office@mccsydney.org](mailto:office@mccsydney.org)