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ADVENTIST CHURCH in South Queensland

## Conference Announcements – 8 August 2026

**SAFEGUARDING TIP: RESPECT CREATES SAFE BOUNDARIES.** Respecting personal space, communicating appropriately, and maintaining healthy boundaries helps create environments where children and young people feel valued, respected, and protected. **It's Child Protection Week 2026 | September 6–12** Only 3 weeks to go! Find out more at [www.adsafe.org.au](http://www.adsafe.org.au)



**7TH ANNUAL CREATIVE Conference**  
14-15 AUGUST 2026  
EVERYONE IS WELCOME

**GOLD COAST CENTRAL CHURCH**  
17 WARREN ST. MERRIMAN QLD AUSTRALIA

**OUR SPEAKERS**

| FRIDAY NIGHT               | SATURDAY                          |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 6:00PM FREE DINNER         | 8:45AM CAFE OPENS                 |
| 7:00PM PROGRAM STARTS      | 9:30AM-12:30PM PROGRAM            |
| 8:45PM CAFE OPEN / NETWORK | 12:45PM FREE LUNCH                |
|                            | 1:30PM-3:30PM AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS |

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**OUR SPEAKERS**

| NAME               | TITLE                    |
|--------------------|--------------------------|
| JULIE COLOUGHIN    | SHAPING FOR MISSION      |
| LYDMILA HAYCOCK    | LIVE PAINTING            |
| SARAH REDMAN       | DISCIPLESHIP             |
| DWANE HEDGES       | LIGHTING TECHNICIAN      |
| GIGI FODCAST       |                          |
| CALLUM ENTERMANN   | SONGWRITER               |
| SHAUN LIEBER       | STAGE ATMOSPHERE         |
| NICK KROSS         | WORLD CHANGERS BIBLE     |
| REUBEN BAZLEY      | VIDEOGRAPHER             |
| JARED MADDEN       | WEBSITE DEVELOPER        |
| KIMBERLEY ELLEN    | CREATIVE EXPRESSION      |
| JULIE & KAYLA      | CHILDREN'S MINISTRY      |
| DAYNE HABERMANN    | CONTENT CREATION         |
| KYMBERLEY MCMURRAY | MARKETING / SOCIAL MEDIA |
| PAMELA JOVANOVIC   | SONGWRITER               |

**AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS**  
LEARN NEW SKILLS. GROW IN YOUR GIFTS.

15 AUGUST 1:30PM - 3:30PM

<http://>

**VIDEOGRAPHY**  
REUBEN BAZLEY

**WEBSITE DEVELOPER**  
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**SONGWRITER**  
CALLUM ENTERMANN

**SOCIAL MEDIA**  
KYMBERLEY MCMURRAY

**DIVINE APPOINTMENTS**  
NICK KROSS

**INSPIRE • EQUIP CREATIVE Conference CREATE • IMPACT**

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**CREATIVE CONFERENCE** – SAVE THE DATE! 14-15<sup>th</sup> August. Next Sabbath. FREE ENTRY. No Registration required. Friday, 14 August, Free dinner – 6:00pm. Program starts – 7:00pm. Sabbath, 15 August, Café opens – 8:45am, Program starts – 9:30am. Free lunch – 12:45pm, Afternoon workshops – 1:30 & 3:30pm. Choose 2 workshops. Workshop poster below. Come and hear from our 15 speakers from around Australia. Our keynote speaker Dr Nick Kross will be presenting about World Changes Bible and his personal testimony and 40 years of ministry. Whether you're an artist, musician, writer, designer or simply curious, you don't have to be a creative to attend. Everyone is welcome! Bring a friend and join us for a weekend of inspiration, connection, and practical workshops. We can't wait to see you there! Gold Coast Central Church.



**BIG CAMP!! ONLINE APPLICATIONS!! YES, Applications** are now **open** – **ALL ATTENDEES NEED TO APPLY** on the same website. Pastors, Volunteers, Campers and we would like Day visitors to register too please.

**ALSO PLEASE NOTE BOOKINGS FOR UNITS AND CARAVAN SITES ARE WAIT LISTED ONLY.**

**ACTIPASS** applications are now available <https://sqministry.adventist.org.au/events/>. If you are unsure of the application process, please contact our Conference Office on 07 3218 7777 and we will be happy to help you with your enquiry. <https://sq.adventist.org.au/big-camp/>

- **APPLICATIONS CLOSE Friday, 4th September 2026.** Phone applications will NOT be accepted.
- **CANCELLATIONS** must be made no later than **Wednesday, 9th September 2026**, otherwise payment may be forfeited.

## BIG CAMP ACTIPASSES

**ALL DIVISION PARTICIPANTS MUST PURCHASE A \$2.50 WRISTBAND**

Activities purchased after Wednesday September 9 will incur a 10% surcharge

To purchase go to: <https://sqministry.adventist.org.au/events/>

Big Camp Dates: Friday 18 September - Saturday 26 September

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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>TOTS N TODDLERS<br/>- AGES 0-3</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Daily Play Group: \$5<br/>Runs Monday - Thursday<br/>2pm-3pm<br/>Total Incl Wristband: \$22.50</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>KINDY - AGES 4-6</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday: Mystery Island - Survivor Challenge \$15<br/>Tuesday: Games Galore \$10<br/>Wednesday: Water Wonder \$13<br/>Thursday: Mystery Animal Interactive Show: \$12<br/><br/>Total Incl Wristband: \$52.50<br/>T-Shirt: Price \$30</p>                             |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PRIMARY - AGES 7-9</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday: Aussie World - Half Day - \$45<br/>Tuesday: Roman Rumble - \$5<br/>Wednesday: Ten Pin Bowling \$30<br/>Thursday: Primary Only Swimming - Free<br/>Thursday: Pizza &amp; Movie Night \$13<br/><br/>Total Incl Wristband: \$95.50<br/>T-Shirt: \$25 pre order<br/>(\$30 at door whilst stocks last)</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>JUNIOR - AGES 10-12</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">AM Activities: Mon-Wed, Fri \$5/day<br/>Monday: Chermide Splash \$28<br/>Tuesday: Ten Pin Bowling \$30<br/>Wednesday: Ice Skating \$38<br/>Wednesday: Theme Dinner \$20<br/>Thursday: Aussie World - Full Day - \$60<br/><br/>Total Incl Wristband: \$198.50</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>TEEN - AGES 13-15</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday: Ten Pin Bowling \$30<br/>Tuesday: Ice Skating \$38<br/>Tuesday: Theme Dinner \$20<br/>Wednesday: Dreamworld with Bus \$120<br/>Wednesday: D/World BUS ONLY \$35<br/>Thursday: Beach Day \$27<br/><br/>Total Incl Wristband: \$237.50<br/>Bucket Hat: \$15</p>                                          | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>YOUTH - AGES 16-25</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday: Ice Skating \$38<br/>Tuesday: X-Golf \$50<br/>Wednesday: Belvedere &amp; Beach \$50<br/>Thursday: Go Karting <b>OR</b> Paintball \$100<br/><br/>Total Incl Wristband: \$240.50</p>                                                                        |

**JOIN US FOR FAMILY FUN DAY ON SUNDAY 20 SEPTEMBER**

Seventh-day  
Adventist Church

South Queensland

Adventist  
**YOUTH**  
SOUTH QUEENSLAND

Updated 8/07/26

## Other Church Announcements



**TOOWOOMBA CENTRAL** - Renowned violinist Jamie Jorge is returning to Australia for a special National Benefit Concert Tour sponsored by Hope Channel and Operation Life. A concert will be held Toowoomba Central SDA Church on **Tuesday 11 August, 7:00pm** Please mark your calendars and plan to attend. It promises to be a powerful time of music, mission, and ministry. You will be truly blessed!



**SPRINGWOOD ADVENTIST CHURCH**

**YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND**

*International* **FOOD** Festival

Come and enjoy a vibrant celebration of flavours from around the world. Bring your family, meet your neighbours, and share in an evening filled with delicious food, great company, and a joyful community atmosphere.

**SATURDAY 8TH AUGUST**

**6:30 PM**

**121 BARBARALLA DR SPRINGWOOD**

**\$6 / TICKET (ONE / SERVE)**

*Let's celebrate our diversity!* ♥

**EVERYONE WELCOME**



**RED HILL SDA CHURCH**

**Trivia Night**

**SATURDAY, 22<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST**

**6:00 PM**

TEAMS OF UP TO SIX MEMBERS

**FOOD FROM 5:30PM**

**\$10 PER PERSON**

**COME SHARE YOUR ROCK SOLID KNOWLEDGE**

**7 HAMMOND ST, RED HILL**

**REDHILL TRIVIA NIGHT** – all welcome! Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 7 Hammond Street, Redhill. Food from 5.30pm. Teams of up to six members assembled at 6pm. \$10 per person. Come share your rock-solid general knowledge or just have fun!

## School Announcements

**NORTHPINE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE** - Choose Education That Gives Your Child MORE - Welcome back to another year of learning! Northpine offers More **Community**, More **Support**, and More **Experiences** that prepare your child for life. We are currently accepting applications for Prep-Year 12, so be sure to check out our website to enrol: <https://www.northpine.qld.edu.au/admissions/enrolment-application/>

If you would prefer to visit our Campus, you are welcome to visit our reception and pick up an enrolment pack! Have a Query? Contact our friendly staff! Ph: 07 3204 6511, Email: [office@northpine.qld.edu.au](mailto:office@northpine.qld.edu.au) or visit us at 29 Hughes Rd East, Dakabin, QLD 4503

**IPSWICH ADVENTIST SCHOOL** – At Ipswich Adventist School, we provide our students with an encouraging and collaborative environment that promotes learning and growth in all areas. If you're considering the nurturing environment of IAS, we'd love to invite you along for a school tour! Visit our website for further information ([www.ias.qld.edu.au](http://www.ias.qld.edu.au)), or phone (07) 3201 6233.

**DARLING DOWNS ADVENTIST COLLEGE** - Are you searching for a school that feels like home? Look no further than Darling Downs Adventist College! From K-12, we invite you to come and experience our school culture built on the core values of active kindness, cheerful effort and humble service. You are welcome to contact us on 07 4659 1111 to book for a tour of our School.

## Retirement Village Announcements

### **ARE YOU CONSIDERING WHERE YOU WOULD LIKE TO RETIRE?**

Did you know that the Seventh-day Adventist Church operate four retirement villages across South Queensland? Each of them are ideally located in areas with good public transport, that are close to local shops and amenities and they all have an Adventist Aged Care facility collocated onsite. If you are considering a move into a retirement village and would like to find out more about and / or visit one of our four Adventist villages please contact:

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|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| • <b>Caloundra</b> 07 5491 3544            | Rhonda Maurer 0491 692 230                                                  |
| • <b>Capricorn (Yeppoon)</b> 07 4939 2801  | Debbie Ware 0427 297 755                                                    |
| • <b>Melody Park (Nerang)</b> 07 5557 1777 | Rhonda Maurer 0491 692 230                                                  |
| • <b>Victoria Point</b> 07 3820 5777       | Joanne Jacobson 0408 799 294                                                |
| • <b>Head Office</b> 07 3218 7777          | Email contact via: <a href="http://www.arplus.org.au">www.arplus.org.au</a> |

Units for Sale: [www.arplus.org.au/retirement-living/units-for-sale/](http://www.arplus.org.au/retirement-living/units-for-sale/)

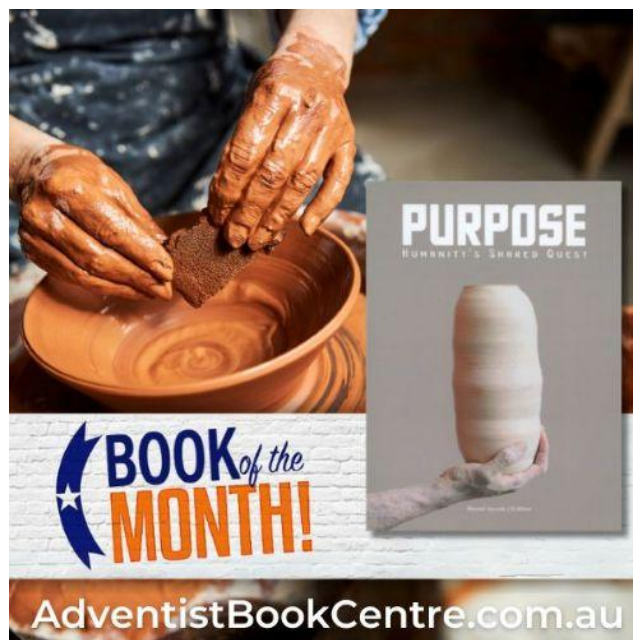
## Other



### **THE INCREDIBLE JOURNEY PRESENTS: The Search for King David**

Even though David was one of the most famous kings of ancient Israel, many historians and Bible critics have rejected the biblical accounts as myths. Many said King David didn't really exist. Was he just a mythical hero? Join us as we search for evidence of King David.

- 9GEM: Sunday at 8:30 am
- Youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/theincrediblejourney>
- <https://tij.tv/media-library/>



### **AUGUST BOOK OF THE MONTH: Humanity's Shared Quest - By Norel Jacob**

*"This is really a book for the seekers, for people who have questions and are in search for answers"* Purpose: Humanity's Shared Quest features 20 authors, in 11 countries, who serve at universities and have doctoral degrees, or who are candidates for doctoral degrees. The volume is divided into five sections, and includes 11 concepts or notions from around the world on how people find purpose in life. Focused on an existential approach, helps us to come closer with other people who are not on the same page doctrinally speaking. "It helps us to find common ground," he said. The overall message at the end of the day is "Our true purpose can be found only in God."

SQ Link:

[https://adventistbookcentre.com.au/purpose-humanitys-shared-quest.html?utm\\_campaign=BOTM&utm\\_source=SQ](https://adventistbookcentre.com.au/purpose-humanitys-shared-quest.html?utm_campaign=BOTM&utm_source=SQ)

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**ADRA LOGAN OP SHOP** – Our ADRA Logan Op Shops have a fresh new look, and an even bigger purpose. - Both stores have recently been renovated, creating brighter, cleaner, easier-to-browse spaces that help us better support our community.

Our Top Op Shop now features a modern layout with \$2 and \$5 clothing to keep quality affordable for everyone. Our Bottom Op Shop, connected to the Community Centre, offers curated clothing, furniture, bric-a-brac, books, and unique treasures. These upgrades were made possible thanks to ADRA Australia, local tradespeople, and our amazing staff and volunteers.

Why it matters: Every purchase in our shops directly funds essential services at the ADRA Logan Community Centre, including food assistance, free counselling, emergency clothing, emergency assistance for people escaping domestic violence, mentoring, volunteer support, and hot meals every Monday.

We need your help. We're currently seeking good-quality clothing and bric-a-brac. Items must be clean and in usable condition so they can go straight onto the shop floor. Your donations make a real difference for families in crisis, young people finding their way, and neighbours who simply need a hand.

## **Positions Available**

### **ADVENTIST RETIREMENT PLUS – Positions Available**

Various positions available at our Retirement locations, such as Registered Nurses, Personal Care Attendants, Kitchen Hands, etc. Positions are available (including volunteer positions) in a variety of our locations.

**To view our current vacancies**, and for further information and how to apply, go to:

<https://www.arplus.org.au/careers/>

**Residential Care – Visitor Information (all sites):** <https://www.arplus.org.au/visitor-information/>

### **ADRA LOGAN - Assistant Manager**

- Part-time, 24 hours per week, Maximum Term (1 year)
- Logan Central, QLD

**ADRA Australia** is seeking a part-time Assistant Manager to join our team at ADRA Logan Community Centre. You will be part of an experienced and fun team that is focused on serving the community.

This role encompasses two areas of responsibility:

The Assistant Manager works alongside the Centre Manager to ensure that all community services align with ADRA's mission and strategic direction, responding effectively to the current and emerging needs of individuals and families in the Logan region. The role includes overseeing the recruitment, induction and ongoing management of volunteers across the Logan Community Centre and Op Shop.

In addition, the Assistant Manager is responsible for supervising the Emergency Relief program and ensuring year compliance with Work Health and Safety (WHS) and Food Safety policies throughout all centre operations. Services offered by the ADRA Logan Community Centre include (but not limited to) the provision of food (food parcels as well as a weekly soup kitchen), clothing, furniture, emergency relief and assistance to those in need and also those suffering the effects of relocation because of domestic violence. Services also include an Op Shop as well as running nationally recognised accredited courses and community training courses.

You will be responsible for living out our values of Connected, Courageous and Compassionate in all interactions with the team, volunteers and trainees. You are a people person and thrive in communicating with others, while being able to work efficiently, accurately, professionally and in a timely manner to provide a best-in-class assistance to the Centre Manager as well as to the Centre as a whole.

The successful applicant must have the legal right to live and work in Australia at the time of application.