

Meeting Minutes – 10th June 2017

Children, Youth & Families Ministry

Attendees/Apologies ✓

Position	Name	Present	Apologies
CYFM Team	Fleur Lutter Samantha Hunt Kathy Brinkmann Rachael Hart	✓ ✓	✓
Care Team Rep	Kay Jaunais	✓	
M & V Rep	Paul Vitale	✓	
Pastor	Mark Brinkmann	✓	
Family Ministry Chaplain	Danielle Robinson	✓	
Other			

Discussion

Topic	Notes	Tasks
1. Welcome - Attendance/Apologies 2. Devotion - Danielle 3. Minutes of previous meeting		
4. Equipping families to grow faith at home		
4.1 Supporting the faith growth of parents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PM considering pastor classes for parents 	<input type="checkbox"/> PM to catch up with SH and FL to start discussing
4.2 Family faith practices (Helping parents nurture their children in the faith)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Growing Faith at Home resource – ongoing Decided to run a family Growing Faith at Home workshop based at primary school To target primary school families but also congregation and others. Single session run @ primary school several times per year with smaller numbers Use 'The Space' location Commence @ start of Term 4, timing to be decided 	<input type="checkbox"/> Sub Committee – FL, DR, SH: to meet and progress idea
4.3 Celebrating faith milestones (Faith Trail)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link to resource: { HYPERLINK "https://drive.google.com/open?id=0B-bk_w-UumDQU5BNUY0ckx3X1U" } 'Remembering My Baptism' – Plan to celebrate as a congregation in 2018 Celebrate recent baptisms and for all to remember their baptism Opportunity to launch 'Faith Trail' concept 	<input type="checkbox"/> PM to talk to Maureen, Desley and Elke about scheduling event into our church calendar
5. Nurturing the Faith of Children		
5.1 SS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notice in bulletin asking for SS helpers –1 volunteer so far Continuing with current curriculum for now 	<input type="checkbox"/> DR to email SS roster to Desley to include in congregation roster
5.2 First Communion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PM running group presently 	<input type="checkbox"/> Consider special gift for the three who are having their first communion. <input type="checkbox"/> FL to look at faith trail for ideas

6. Nurturing the Faith of Youth		
6.1 Youth Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PM reporting back St Paul's invitation to youth (Monika Bennett) (Have same intergenerational philosophy as Grace) Future planning for youth: collaboration with Grace College, Living Faith, College Pastor 	<input type="checkbox"/> Someone to touch base with Monika to attend/observe the Youth group – SH/FL may attend
7. Generations In Faith Together (GIFT)		
7.1 GIFT Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Term 3 – My Bible (not ready yet) Term 4 - ? Advent 2018 - 'Celebration of Baptism' (2014 version) Generations Brunch: Sun 23/7/17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intergenerational theme Guest speaker Rachel Schilling (re: Intergenerational worship) Congregation forum Longest Lutheran Lunch: 29/10/17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theme – My Bible @ College Chapel? Involvement from Primary School and College. Sub-committee.....TBA 	<input type="checkbox"/> FL to liaise with PM re – Grow Coaching <input type="checkbox"/> FL to Confirm Rachel Schilling as guest speaker. Liaise with Rachel re: key points to present - inter/cross generational ministry, our congregation's and individual's roles. SH to forward thoughts to FL <input type="checkbox"/> FL and SH to consider activities for Generations brunch and liaise with KJ
7.2 Family and Friends Picnics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Next picnic 30th July (Together with Year 1) Last one wasn't advertised well – reduced attendance For July – flyer, bulletin notice, fb, announcement slide and consider putting in kindy/primary school and college newsletters 	<input type="checkbox"/> DR in charge of advertising <input type="checkbox"/> SH to hand write personalised invitations to Y1 families
8. Connecting with the Grace places and community to nurture people in the life of faith		
8.2 Kindy and Creche	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feedback from DR (FMC report – please read once on website) DR has facilitated many wonderful things at the K & C 	<input type="checkbox"/> PV to communicate with M&V about reports being published on website inc members only vs public <input type="checkbox"/> DR to send to SH to publish on website <input type="checkbox"/> SH to coordinate publishing of reports on website
8.3 Primary School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Together with services: Y1 30/7, Year 5 27/8, Kindy 10/9, Prep, 22/10 Planning for the future – Messy Church Growing Faith notice board in parent hub 	<input type="checkbox"/> FL setting this up
8.4 GOSHC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FL forwarding activities from GIFT packages to GOSHC 	
8.5 College		
8.6 Community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mainly music – update from DR Demo Day 22nd June - TBC 	
9. Grow Coaching (making CYFM everyone's business)		
9.1 Grow Coaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Congregation readiness 	<input type="checkbox"/> PM discussing further with M&V <input type="checkbox"/> FL to liaise with PM
10. Other Business		
10.1 Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fence: going through process for congregational approval 	
10.2 Risk Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volunteer application form has been forwarded to PV for approval at M&V 	<input type="checkbox"/> PV presenting for approval at M&V. To let FL know when approved.
11. Meeting closed 10.28am Next Meeting - End Term 3 – 2nd September, 8.30am		

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