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# **AFES: Sandra King**

#### Mid Year Conference (CBS) 20-24 May

Over 500 students and staff will be at MYC. The topic is '**WORSHIP**'. This is a very spiritual word, but what does it mean for God's people?

- Pray for **Carl Matthei**, preparing and teaching what the Bible says about worship.
- There is an amazing discussion in John's Gospel, where a Samaritan woman meets Jesus at a well. Jesus says that true worship is in spirit and truth. Pray that we will understand what this means. (A personal project I have this year is to memorise accounts of people who met Jesus. This is one such account.)
- Pray for **Christians and non-Christians** who will be at MYC that we will be amazed by the true God, and grow in our worship of him.
- Theo and I are co-leading **an elective on addictions.** There are many addictions that confront us. Pray for Theo and me, as we look to the Bible and seek God's wisdom as we teach.

CBS Family Evening at Mid-Year Conference - you are invited!!

#### Being on the NLT means I have 2 key roles

1. AFES groups in the greater Sydney region. I meet with some of the women on the AFES staff. These are times to mutually spur one another on. We pray, speak the Word of God, and consider some of the challenges. We rejoice in God's faithfulness.

- In April, I met with Laura (USyd) and Kirsten (UTS). They spoke of exciting plans for the Meet Jesus mission on their campuses!
- It has been great to welcome Deb (University of Wollongong) and Lesley (WSU Penrith) to the Region this year. (photo)

2. AFES across Australia. In prayerful dependence on God, we discuss matters such as how we proclaim Christ on campus; relevant ways to reach students of each generation; good governance; and direction for the future.

• Pray for our meetings in Sydney 30<sup>th</sup> April - 3<sup>rd</sup> May, when we will come together from the regions of Australia.

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WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY 9:30AM MOSS VALE HALL WITH LUNCH AFTERWARD AT MOSS VALE SERVICES CLUB





- 3 | Pantry | MV Hall | 1pm
- 3 | Forge | MV Hall | 6pm

3 | Prayer Meeting |

Bong Bong | 7pm

- 5 | Livestream | 10:30am
- 8 | Next Phase | St John's 9:30am
- 10 | Pantry | MV Hall | 1pm
- 10 | Forge | MV Hall | 6pm



## **Prayer Points**

**Parish:** Give thanks to God for our gatherings today at Moss Vale, Bong Bong, Berrima, and High Range. Praise God for the privilege and joy of being Christ's representatives to our community and pray that we will continue to speak about Jesus.

**Dean:** Give thanks to God for a full and enjoyable week of serving Jesus in various ways. Praise God for the joy of KYCK and the positive effect that the conference has had on our children. Pray that we will continue to be strengthened for the tasks God gives us, that we will have good days off and that we will spend quality time together.

**Forge:** Give thanks to God for return of the Forge and for the joy and encouragement the youth get from gathering each Friday. Pray that the leaders: Dominic, Nick, Samantha, and Nahum will grow in their faith as they prepare and lead Forge.

**Pantry:** Give thanks to God for the Pantry team and their willingness to serve Jesus, our church, and the broader community through this ministry. Praise God for practical and spiritual help that the Pantry provides and pray that we will form strong relationships.

	1st Reading 2nd reading	Moss Vale 8:00am	Moss Vale 10:00am	Bong Bong 9:00am	Berrima	High Range 10am
5	Exodus 25:23-30	Dean (LS)	Dean	David B	Warryn	Geoff W
May	1 Thess 1:1-10	Dean	Dean	David B	9:30am	
12	Exodus 25:31-40	David W	Dean	Dean (LS)	No	No
May	1 Thess 2:1-12	Dean	Dean	Dean	Gathering	Gathering
19	Exodus 26:1-14	Dean	Dean (LS)	Dean	Dean	Geoff W
May	1 Thess 2:13-20	Dean	Dean	Dean	5:30pm	