

General Conference 2025 will take place in two parts. Part 1: Business Discussion Circles, Forum and Meeting

In the months leading up to General Conference, there will be many Discussion Circles, webinars, documents and emails to inform you of the business of General Conference.

Both the General Conference Business Meeting and Business Forum will be online. The Business Forum will be held on 31st May 2025 and the Business Meeting will be held 7th June 2025. **Part 2: Transformational Gathering In Person**

The 2025 conference will definitely have a retreat feel lasting 3 days. In addition, there will be pre and post-conference activities to enrich and extend your experience. As mentioned above, all business will take place online and not during this Transformational gathering. This creates a perfect opportunity for many different members of your congregation to retreat in the desert. Elements of this conference will be live streamed, recorded, and online allowing a hybrid experience for those unable to travel. Our conference app will bridge the online and onsite participants and increase involvement, engagement, and communication between everyone.

For more information go to

https://generalconference.mccchurch.org/



Metropolitan Community Church Sydney

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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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Scriptures for January 26th

Neh 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10,12 • Psalm 19 • 1 Cor 12:12-31a • Luke 4:14-21

Scriptures for February 2nd

Jeremiah 1:4-10 • Psalm 71:1-6 • 1 Cor 13:1-13 • Luke 4:21-30

Sunday 26th January – Epiphany 3

10am Message: Donna Sturgeon
6.30pm Message: Donna Sturgeon
Sunday 2nd January –Epiphany 4

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



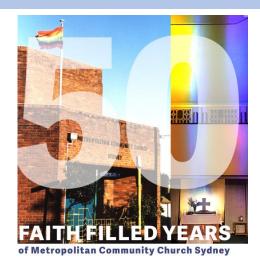
Prayer is a foundation of a faith community. If you would like prayer shared for yourself or someone you know, please make a note in the **prayer** request book in the foyer. This is an open book so that during the Prayers of the People in Sunday Services the requests made will be included and prayed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

Activities coming up

Jan 29th Wednesday - 8pm MCC Sydney Board meeting Feb 2nd - 10am & 6pm Guest Ministry – Rev Elder Stuart Sutherland

Looking Ahead 2025

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



Sunday February 16th 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