



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

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

**Weekly Bulletin
January 19th 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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Members and Friends of MCC Sydney



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Weekly Worship
 96 Crystal Street Petersham
 10.00 am & 6.30pm
office@mccsydney.org
 'Safe, Inclusive, All are welcome!'



Scriptures for January 19th
 Isaiah 62:1-5 ♦ Psalm 36:5-10 ♦ 1 Cor 12:1-11 ♦ John 2:1-11
Scriptures for January 26th
 Neh 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 ♦ Psalm 19 ♦ 1 Cor 12:12-31a ♦ Luke 4:14-21

Sunday 19th January – Epiphany 2

10.00am: Message: Rev Geoff Ivers

6.30pm Message: Rev Greg Smith

Sunday 26th January – Epiphany 3

10.00am: Message: Donna Sturgeon

6.30pm Message: Donna Sturgeon



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 19th – 12noon Fellowship Lunch @ Brighton Café
 Jan 23rd -10.30am Morning Devotions@Church/Facebook Stream

Looking Ahead 2025

Feb 14th – Mardi Gras Festival begins
 Feb 16th – Mardi Gras Fair Day - MCC Sydney Stall
 March 1st – Mardi Gras Parade and Party - Cloakroom
 March 5th - Lent begins - 7pm Ash Wednesday Service

You are invited to join in fellowship after worship with refreshments in the community room.



To give electronically and anonymously for the work and worship of our community:
 Account Name: Metropolitan Community Church Sydney
 BSB: 082-048 Account No: 509 412 200

Thursday January 23rd @10.30am
 Join in a time of praise, prayer and reflection at the church or online on the MCC Sydney members and friends facebook page.



Sunday 19th January Fellowship Lunch
 Come and join us at the Brighton Café just down the street from the church for food and fellowship. Approx 12 noon