

The Christian Community in Melbourne Programme

September – November 2023

TRINITY

September

Sept-Oct Cheryl Nekvapil in Europe for Lenker meetings and leave. Also in NZ for Synod meeting. 5th till 22nd Damien Gilroy will be in Melbourne with Veronika Plantener and Darryl Coonan

Tuesday, Wednesday (no online study)

Friday 8th

5pm: For youth and young adults: Dinner and conversation with Nathaniel Williams, leader of the youth section at the Goetheanum, Dornach

8pm Talk: 'The Karma of the Anthroposophical Society and the Youth' - 'It is 99-100 years since many significant impulses proceeded from Rudolf Steiner - how are the youth of today related to these impulses as they now exist in the world?' by Nathaniel Williams, Dornach Switzerland

Saturday 9th

10am: The Act of Consecration of The Human Being for Rebecca Maxwell (Memorial Service)

Sunday 10th (Luke 17:5-24)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am Contemplating the Meaning of the Cycle of The Christian Year I. Talk by Damien Gilroy. All welcome

Tuesday, Wednesday (no online study), Friday – see regular events

Saturday 16th

3pm – 5pm: URIEL EVENT: "Biodynamic farming and a Reconciliation Project" Talk by Ramana Dean
Supported by the Ligsma Kirpe Trust and Anthroposophical Society in Vic.

Sunday 17th (Matthew 6:19-34)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am Contemplating the Meaning of the Cycle of The Christian Year II. Talk by Damien Gilroy. All welcome

Tuesday, Wednesday (no online study), Friday – see regular events

22/9 Damien Gilroy returns to Adelaide

21st - 25th Finding our way in community... through finding ourselves

National Youth meeting in Mittagong NSW. A group of 8 young people from Melbourne will be attending together with Veronika.

Sunday 24th (Luke 7:11-17)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am 'Doors' – A talk by Darryl Coonan

Tuesday – see regular events

NOTE: Wednesday 27th & Friday 29th

NO SERVICE or study

MICHAELMAS

Friday 29th Michaelmas Day (Matthew 22:1-14)

October

ATTENTION DAYLIGHT SAVING STARTS!

Sunday 1st Family & Community Sunday (Matt 22:1-14)

10am A Community Service –for everyone – adults, youth and children. (No Act of Consecration this day)

Tuesday - see regular events

NOTE: Wednesday 4th & Friday 6th

NO SERVICES or study – Veronika Plantener, Darryl Coonan and Cheryl Nekvapil in New Zealand for Australia-NZ Synod Meetings.

Sunday 8th (Revelation 3. 1 - 6)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being followed by morning-tea.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events

Saturday 14th

3pm – 5pm: URIEL EVENT: tba
Supported by the Ligsma Kirpe Trust and Anthroposophical Society in Vic.

Sunday 15th (Revelation 12:1-12)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am Michaelmas Festival and Close of Day Service

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events

Sunday 22nd (Revelation 19:11-16)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am: Tales and news from travelled Priests.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events

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Sunday 29th (Ephesians 6. 10 - 20)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am 'The Archangel Michael, Prince of Angels'.
Contemplation with Cheryl Nekvapil

November

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events

Saturday 4th November

Saturday 4th November END OF EARTHLY LIFE MATTERS

8am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
9am – 5pm "End of Earthly Life Matters."

A one day seminar on the theme of death and dying.
Session themes will be advised. All welcome:
see programme in News Sheet.

Bring food to share for lunch.
Cost: donation/ or \$55

Sunday 5th (Rev 4. 1 - 11) Family & Community Sunday

10am Children's activities with Veronika Plantener
10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.15am The Sunday Service for Children

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events P2

Saturday 11th

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being for
Richard O'Brien (Memorial Service)

Sunday 12th (Revelation 19. 1 - 10)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am 'Apocalypse and The Act of Consecration I' –
talk by Cheryl Nekvapil

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events

Sunday 19th (Revelation 21. 9 - 27)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am Baptism of Ethan Green

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – see regular events P2

Sunday 26th (Revelation 22. 12 - 21)

10am The Act of Consecration of The Human Being
11.30am 'Apocalypse and Christian Community II' - talk
by Cheryl Nekvapil

December

ADVENT

Sunday 3rd (Luke 21:25-36) 1st Advent

9am Advent Festival for Everyone
9.30am The Sunday Service for Children
10am The Act of Consecration of the Human Being
Also, Advent activities for Children
11am light brunch – BYO picnic.
11.30 Music Horizons, Carols and songs for
Christmas and the Tableau with
Nathan Camilleri

Preview:

CHRISTMAS TABLEAU

2nd - 7th January 2024

THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SUMMER CAMP –
'Opening Treasure Chests – Gold, Frankincense and
Myrrh'. At Camp Wombaroo, High Range, NSW (close
to Bowral), in the beautiful Southern Highlands. All
welcome – not to be missed! (see flyer)

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providing a legacy in our Wills.
