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Albury  
SEVENTH-DAY  
**ADVENTIST**<sup>®</sup>  
CHURCH  
Welcome

What's happening today the 16<sup>th</sup> of December 2017

**Bible Study** starts at 9:30 am. Feel free to join any of these groups

3 Adult Classes: Meet in the Main Church

1 Adult Class: Meets in the hall

18+: Meet in a Foyer Room

Youth/Teen: Meet in the room next to the ADRA shop

Juniors: Meet in the room opposite the ADRA shop

Primary : Meet in a Courtyard Room

Kindergarten & Beginners: Meet in a Courtyard Room

**Main Service** starts at 10:40 am in the main church

This weeks Offering is for *Local Expenses*

Speaker will be Pr. B Galindo

Sunset today will be at 8:25pm



The Lord your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior  
who saves. He will take great delight in you;  
in his love he will no longer rebuke you, but will  
rejoice over you with singing.

ZEPHANIAH 3:17

### This Week

Picnic Lunch at the Botanical Gardens  
Baptism of Frank Kleinke at 4pm, Ebden Reserve  
Prayer Meeting this Wednesday at 7pm  
Sunset on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of December is at 8:29pm

### Next Week

The speaker will be Bro. P Goddard  
Offering is for Local Expenses

### Upcoming

ADRA Christmas Tree for the month of December  
SNSW Big Camp is on between the 5<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> January 2018

**Picnic in the Gardens:** During the warmer months, every 3rd Sabbath of the month, please BYO lunch to the Albury Botanic Gardens and enjoy fellowship in the outdoors. This week we hope to see you there straight after church!.

**Baptism:** Frank Kleinke is being baptised this afternoon at 4pm at the Ebden Reserve, Murray Valley Highway, Bonegilla, all welcome to come.

**ADRA tin:** If you have an ADRA tin at home, please bring it back to church—hopefully full of money, but every little bit helps.  
Please give it to Michael Milojkovic.



**Celebrate Well This Christmas!:** Whether we celebrate Jesus' birth and the coming together of family and friends, whether the children in our life like the Christmas decorations or the exchanging of gifts, or whether we eat our favourite foods and listen to Christmas music, the reasons for celebration at Christmas are often unique.

But celebration is not always possible. There are one billion children who live right now on less than \$2.50 a day. These children celebrate the things others take for granted: a meal, a healthy body, learning to read and write, and protection from forced labour, early marriage or human trafficking.

50 of the children in our program are celebrating their birthdays in November and December. Help them celebrate well, not just today, but for life. To sponsor one of them, visit [asianaid.org.au](http://asianaid.org.au), call 02 6586 4250, or email [contact@asianaid.org.au](mailto:contact@asianaid.org.au) by December 25.

**ADRA Christmas Tree:** Christmas presents with a difference. What will you give this year - a wheel barrow, reading glasses, a toilet or perhaps a meal? ADRA have a range of gifts at a range of prices that you can give to someone this year - who really needs a present. Please be prepared to give to the Christmas Tree appeal in the foyer during December. Please see Rachel for details 0466 244 856.

**A big Thankyou from the Church:** The Albury Church would like to say thankyou to Pr. Ben Galindo and his family for their guidance over the last few years. We would also like to wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

**A Thankyou from Valda Jacob:** I would like to thank the people who took from their busy lives to pray for David and I while I was going through my many months of treatments. Also to those who sent cards of encouragement and took the time to phone or enquire after my welfare and offered help in any way—a big thankyou. Your home visits and flowers were much appreciated as well as those who provided some food. God has sustained me through all of my treatments and has been very near to me. Christian Regards. Valda Jacob

### **Cleaning Roster**

23 Dec—J & S Hiscock, D Foots, P Carver  
30 Dec—V & W Taskis, j Pizolato, O & T Komadina  
6—Jan K & R Sredojevic, M & B Green



# Church Directory

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## Need to talk?

Our Pastors would love to hear from you

Name: .....

Number: .....

- I would appreciate a visit
- I would like to know more about the bible
- I would like to be baptized
- I need prayer



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