**GENERATE** Feb 22,23

## INTERGENERATIONAL MINISTRY: FOUN

### FRIDAY FEBRUARY 22 @ PARKVILLE

Despite much talk in recent years around intergenerational ministry, a present and pressing challenge for churches and their leaders is to develop effective intergenerational practice that encourages discipleship across all ages.

Focused on those with strategic leadership responsibility in the life of a church – including ministers, pastors, ministry leaders and key volunteers - Generate 2019: Intergenerational Ministry Foundations will explore a theological foundation of intergenerational ministry, the place of intergenerational ministry in a church's strategy and issues around the implementation of intergenerational ministry.

### Come along and be inspired and equipped for more effective ministry in your local context!



### Presenters:

### Andrew McDonough

Best known as the author and illustrator of the Lost Sheep books (excellent resources for intergenerational engagement and learning), Andrew is also well-known as a presenter across Australia and beyond (most recently presenting at The Conversation in the UK). Andrew draws on a wide experience in pastoral ministry leadership that includes ministry amongst the homeless, supporting people struggling with addictions, advocating for refugees and 25 years as a Spiritual Director. Andrew has been instrumental in developing the Fly Bird Fly Studio and his most recent book is Jesus was a Refugee.



#### Claire Dawe

Claire is a minister in the Uniting Church, currently at Manningham Uniting Church. Claire has been involved in intergenerational worship and church community by simply having a go, trying new ideas, failing at times, and having another go. Claire is a committed worker for social justice, and believes in empowering and equipping people to try something and see where it takes them. Claire, along with other leaders in her community, is working hard to develop an intergenerational culture that embraces everyone - not just children, young people and their families!



### **Chris Barnett**

Based at the Centre for Theology and Ministry, Chris has extensive experience in congregational, regional and denominational ministry. His current role includes a strong emphasis on intergenerational engagement, with a focus on consultancy, advocacy, resourcing and training in relation to intergenerational ministry. Chris is a keen participator and resourcer across a variety of networks, including the Australian Intergenerational Roundtable.



### WHERE:

Centre for Theology & Ministry 29 College Cres, Parkville 3052

### WHEN:

### Cost:

\$40 per person

\$35 per person (if registered by 11 February) \$30 per person - a group of 3 or more

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Intergenerational is not just a fad or a good idea...

# An intentionally intergenerational environment is more likely to encourage and sustain lifelong discipleship for all ages

Not just about ministry with children and their families, not just about ministry with youth and young adults, not just about ministry with older adults, intergenerational ministry is for the whole church!

An intergenerational approach to ministry, the development of an intergenerational culture, has been shown to be vital for sustainable, long-term faith formation and discipleship for people of any age.

For anyone engaged in ministry with people of any age, Generate 2019 will provide opportunities for exploring what intergenerational ministry looks like in practice, assist in developing an intergenerational culture and provide opportunities to interact with like-minded leaders. Come along with others from your church, team or organization for this unique event that will transform your ministry with people of any age!

## **Saturday Electives**

- IA Exploring Intergenerational Justice
- IB Exploring Intergenerational Worship
- IC Exploring Intergenerational Community
- **ID** Exploring Intergenerational Rites of Passage
- 2A Embracing a theology of accommodation
- 2B Developing an intergenerationally sticky church
- 2C Moving from multi-generational to intergenerational
- 2D Five best intergenerational practices for smaller churches
- 3A Intentionally Intergenerational Youth Ministry
- 3B Intentionally Intergenerational Seniors Ministry
- 3C Intentionally Intergenerational Young Adult Ministry
- 3D Intentionally Intergenerational Children & Families Ministry

### **SATURDAY PROGRAM**

10.00	Exploring integenerational ministry	1.25	Electives block 3
10.40	Electives block I	2.25	Gathering and learning together
11.45	Electives block 2	3.00	Finish

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# Register for either day or ideally both!

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