



DATE

Thursday, 16 January to
Saturday, 18 January 2025

LOCATION

Door of Hope
50 Glen Dhu St, Launceston

Register
now!



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You are warmly invited to share in Tasmania's growing mission work. Be refreshed by God's heart for his world, by attending the CMS (Church Missionary Society) SPUR Global Mission Conference in January 2025.

A non-residential and non-denominational mission conference.

WHAT IS SPUR?

SPUR wants to see an increasing number of Tasmanian Christians spurred on to pray, care and give to those who go to the nations with God's gospel of grace.

The conference is an opportunity for Christians across Tasmania to experience outstanding Bible and mission teaching and better understand God's work in bringing about a world that knows Jesus. You and your church will be inspired to greater involvement in global and local disciple-making. You'll be given an international perspective on mission challenges and opportunities across the globe.

Through mission-focused seminars and workshops, you'll be biblically and practically helped by gospel workers back from the field, and others in the CMS fellowship. We will explore topics that equip us as individuals and churches to be involved in God's global mission.

SPEAKERS



Kanishka Raffel

Born in London to Sri Lankan parents and raised as a Buddhist, while studying law at Sydney University, Kanishka read a copy of John's Gospel and became a Christian.

Kanishka will be our conference preacher. He is currently serving as the Anglican Archbishop of Sydney where he desires to see the Anglican Sydney diocese strengthening local churches, discipling the next generation, and raising up and training ministers of the gospel.



Peter Sholl

International Director of CMS Australia, Peter Sholl served with CMS in Mexico from 2009 to 2020 with his wife Sarah. Peter will unpack the story of God's mission from beginning to end.



Tamie Davis

Tamie Davis served with CMS in Tanzania from 2013 to 2023 with her husband Arthur. Tamie is currently the Mobilisation Lead for CMS South Australia and Northern Territory. Tamie looks

forward to sharing what God is doing among Tanzanian Christians and what we in Australia can learn from them.

Missionary sharing

Chris and Karen Webb help Aboriginal people in Broome become faithful disciples of Jesus through sharing life and teaching God's word with them. **B** serves in the Middle East as a secure worker among Muslim people. Tasmanian missionaries will share from their mission locations via video. There will also be in-person interviews with new CMS TAS gospel workers **Andy and Rachel**, and **Y**.

GLOBAL WORKSHOPS

On Thursday and Friday afternoons there will be workshops presented by gospel workers back from the field, and others in the CMS fellowship. They will explore topics that will equip us as individuals, and as churches, to play our part in God's global mission.

YOUNG PEOPLE AT SPUR

Children will be looked after in creche (6m–4yrs), primary (prep–grade 6) and high school (grades 7–10) programs, which will run during the main sessions and mission presentations (but not during the evening or elective sessions). The high schoolers will have mentors to guide their learning as they attend the missionary keynote presentations alongside the adults. Parents can bring their children to the evening and elective sessions. Pencils and colouring in activities will be provided. High schoolers will benefit from the electives and evening sessions and are most welcome.

ACCOMODATION OPTIONS: CMS VILLAGE

Many conference attendees, missionaries and keynote speakers stay next door to the conference venue at the Big 4 Launceston Holiday Park.

To book a villa or a powered camping site, **contact Big 4 directly: (03) 6344 2600 or info@big4launceston.com.au** mentioning you are attending Spur. The villas always sell out and will be released to the general public in October, so book early if Big 4 is your preferred accommodation option.

There are many other excellent accommodation options in Launceston.

REGISTRATION OPTIONS AND FEES

Age Category	Early Bird: 2 Sept – 6 Oct		Standard: 7 Oct – 8 Dec	
	Full time	Per Day	Full time	Per Day
Adult	\$150	\$75	\$170	\$85
Concession / Pensioner / Full time adult student	\$120	\$60	\$140	\$70
Grades 7 – 12 in 2025	\$60	\$30	\$80	\$40
Prep – Grade 6 in 2025	\$40	\$20	\$60	\$30
Below school age to Kinder child	FREE			

PART-TIME ATTENDANCE

You can register to attend SPUR part-time. Each day's registration fee includes programmed meals and morning/afternoon teas.

SPONSORSHIP

Generous supporters of CMS and SPUR make it possible for others to attend at a reduced cost. If the price is prohibitive, please contact the Conference Director, Andrew Maskell, on 0419 549 896 or at amaskell@cms.org.au to discuss financial assistance. If you would like to contribute to the sponsorship scheme please add a donation when registering.

1. Registration fees must be made at the time of booking.
2. Registration fees are non-refundable for cancellations after 8 December.
3. Registration fees include programmed meals (Thu dinner, Fri lunch and Sat lunch), plus programmed morning and afternoon teas.
4. If you need assistance registering online, please contact our Conference Director, Andrew Maskell on 0419 549 896 or at amaskell@cms.org.au

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