

# Make Jesus Real

OCTOBER 2018  
BULLETIN



## GREETINGS FOLKS ...

I hope this bulletin finds you well, as we head into report season.

I am sure many of you were inspired, as I was by 'Harry and Meghan' fever. So many special moments – like beautiful Luke, stroking Harry's beard and calling him 'Santa', to them stopping in to support a restaurant that employs young people at risk, to the rain in Dubbo.

For those of us who have made thousands of pasta necklaces, I am sure we can be thrilled that a 6-year old boy has now created a cottage industry out of those (wish I had thought of that).

When my brother returned from serving in Afghanistan, he told me he had PTSD (along with some other colourful language I won't share here). His time there, and in East Timor, certainly changed and desensitised him to many of life's challenging experiences. Luckily, he wasn't physically injured. It wasn't until I heard Prince Harry's inspirational speeches that I began to comprehend how enormous this is for so many people in our world.

What a wonderful initiative the Invictus Games is, and long may we celebrate, support and encourage each other.

Take care of yourselves and thank you for being you!

**Michele**



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# PETER 'MITCH' MITCHELL'S TRAVELS



## Out of the mouths of babes!

Pretty easy to see the *Spirit of Jesus* in these great children.

It made me think more about my friends. It taught me to forgive people. It made me a bit more crazy towards my friends (but in a good way).

AMY

That there is more *God Moments* than you think. The *Spirit of Jesus* is everywhere. There are so many things to be grateful for.

THOMAS

Most of the things you see are actually *God Moments* that you don't recognise. You can help others have *God Moments* by being-kind, nice, care and loyal.

CHARLOTTE

I learned to make friends by including people by being cheerful and smile.

CYRUS

Jesus is a normal person.

HARVEY

What I have learnt is that anyone can have *God Moments* and that opening your eyes and actually looking around can help you have a *God Moment*. Jesus is always with you!

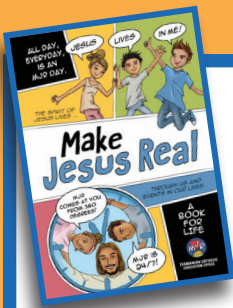
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## WHEN MJR WORKS BEST ...

These photos are from **Our Lady of the Assumption, Cheltenham, Vic.** As we know, MJR works best across the school and when the staff are appreciating and acknowledging each other like this, it bodes well for the community ... and it's a terrific community!



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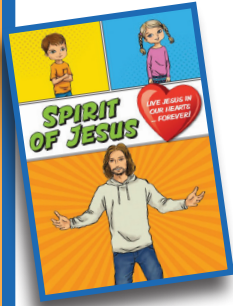
# MJR LESSONS

## MJR – YELLOW CARDS

One of the great treasures in our MJR book are the green and yellow cards located at the back, but teachers don't know how to use them. So, here are two lessons from Mitch using the yellow cards.

It's all about reflection and uses the *Make Jesus Real* book.

[Click or tap here to access the lessons!](#)



## SOJ – FRIENDSHIP AND INCLUSION

Michele has written a great lesson about how we make friends.

It focusses on what we have in common and uses the *Spirit of Jesus* book.

[Click or tap here to access the lesson!](#)

## 2019 MJR CONFERENCE, MELBOURNE

### MARCH 21 & 22, 2019

#### Jasper Hotel

489 Elizabeth Street, Melbourne (near Victoria Market!)

[www.jasperhotel.com.au](http://www.jasperhotel.com.au)

More details to come, but in the meantime ...

### DO YOU NEED A PLACE TO STAY?

Accommodation is available at the Jasper Hotel at a 10% discount. Please use the following promo code when booking: **MJR2019\***

\*Available for these dates: Wednesday, 20 March – Sunday, 24 March 2019

10% discount on the hotel's publicly displayed rates at the time of booking.

Note: rates are dynamic and are subject to change without notice.

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- Constant reminder of the MJR values

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# LINKS

**The Duke of Sussex's (Prince Harry) Speech Invictus Games, Sydney 2018**

<https://youtu.be/68ehGf73c90>

**Oprah shares her wisdom with Harvard graduates**

<https://youtu.be/mc3Y5S7m2XM>

**Why don't Australian school kids feel a sense of belonging?**

[https://pursuit.unimelb.edu.au/articles/  
why-don-t-australian-school-kids-feel-a-sense-of-belonging](https://pursuit.unimelb.edu.au/articles/why-don-t-australian-school-kids-feel-a-sense-of-belonging)

**Live Jesus in your Hearts ..... FOREVER!**

**Marty, Mitch, Michele and the team**

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