

SOUNDWAVES NEWSLETTER

Put this in your diary!

September 13 is the date for this year's Shine The Light, the popular annual fundraising event for Rhema 99.9. This year, guest speaker is Dr Ron Neller from Creation Ministries International with fascinating facts about God's creation that you will find very interesting.

Put the date in your diary and register for the event as soon as you see (or hear) it being advertised.

Also, one of the features of our online auction leading up to the event will be a man's quilt (image far right) made from men's ties, created especially for this event with over 200 hours of love and care put into it.



Dr Ron Neller



RHEMA PRAYER TIME

Every Tuesday to Friday between 10 and 10:30am, the staff and volunteers at Rhema pray. You are welcome to join us for this special time to lift Rhema in prayer, ensuring we are on track to fulfil God's purposes for His radio outreach to our region.

PROGRAM DOWNLOAD ASSISTANTS NEEDED

We need 2 people willing to train in the area of audio program downloads. The position is voluntary and requires 2 part days per week to download the programs you hear on Rhema. The job is for Wednesdays and Fridays requiring around 3 hours per day.

If you would like to take part, contact Werner Egger on 6584 1246 (Tuesday to Friday) or at werner@rhema999.com.au any time.

LISTENING TO CHRISTIAN RADIO IS INCREASING

The latest data for December 2024 reports that 2,007,000 Australians are now listening to Christian radio each week (up from 1,863,000 in the same survey last year).

They spend 9.7 hours listening to Christian radio each week which has remained consistent over the last year, and where most radio listeners will switch between a few stations that they listen to, 188,000 listeners say they exclusively listen to Christian radio (up from 168,000).



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FEDERAL ELECTION 2025

As a Christian media organisation, the Management at Rhema 99.9 would like you to prayerfully consider what political party you'll be supporting with your vote leading up to the Federal election on May 3.

Please don't be swayed by the unsavoury game-playing of identity politics. Rather, cast a vote based on your conviction for good and beneficial policies that best represents our Judaeo/Christian worldview; policies that will honour God and be a blessing to this wonderful nation of Australia for future generations.

Thank you and God bless.

Werner

General Manager Rhema 99.9



are you a lion or a lamb?

Many of us would say "A LION!" without hesitation. They are strong, fierce, powerful, and respected.

But you're not a lion. God is the Lion. You are a lamb – meek, simple, quiet, and peaceful.

How easily we can position ourselves above God in our own hearts. Jesus is our Shepherd, and we are part of His flock – sheep. We follow. We go where He leads us. And we are content under His protection.

God is the Lion in our lives – our Protector, our Fighter, and our Strength. God is in you and me. Because of that, we are *like* a lion, but we are not *THE* Lion. He is.

This week, put down your need to be something you were never designed to be and rest calmly in the pasture. Leave room for Him.

(Concept from Kevin McNeese, Founder NewReleaseToday - newreleasetoday.com)



RITCHIES IGA COMMUNITY BENEFIT PROGRAM



Rhema 99.9 has been approved as a recipient for the "Ritchies Community Benefit Program". So if you shop at any of the Ritchies IGA in our region* using a Ritchies Card, you can nominate Rhema 99.9 as the charity you want to support.

1. Download the Ritchies Card app.
2. Search for "Rhema 99.9" in the app to nominate us for your support.
3. Every time you shop at Ritchies and scan your app or card, Ritchies will contribute a percentage of the total to Rhema 99.9.†

* There are now 5 Ritchies IGA stores in our local area, and many more in NSW, VIC and QLD.

† Conditions such as minimum spend apply. For more information go to ritchies.com.au/loyalty/ritchies-card



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