

Empowering the Gospel from the ground up.



Empowered to be tomorrow's leaders
Empowered to grow in Christian maturity
Empowered to be creative on mission
Empowered to meet God daily
Empowered to serve a world in need
Empowered to share the Good News of Jesus
Empowered to go where the people are
Empowered to share your story
Empowered to imagine what's possible
Empowered to serve in community
Empowered to pray for big things



*Jesus said to his followers,
"Go everywhere in the world, and
tell the Good News to everyone."*

MARK 16:15 NIV

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*“There is no way
of measuring
the contribution
Scripture Union
NSW has made
to Australian
Christian life.”*

JOHN AND MOYRA PRINCE,
FROM “TUNED INTO CHANGE”



We've been empowering Christians for over 150 years.

Our roots go back to 1867, when a few faithful people began sharing the Gospel with children in England.

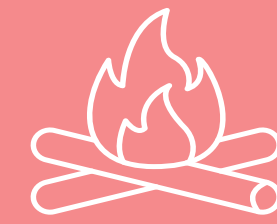
Scripture Union NSW exists to empower Christians to share the Gospel in our distinctive context of New South Wales.

We are a volunteer-based movement, driven forward by a small number of employed staff who recruit, motivate, train, equip and support the ministry.



1888

FIRST "BEACH MISSION"
CSSM Beach Services
at Manly Beach



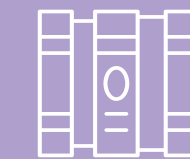
1923

FIRST NSW CAMP
Bayview camp
for boys



1934

FIRST ISCF GROUPS
Sydney High,
Fort Street, &
Drummoyne High



1968

The SU Bookshop
opens



1972

FIRST NATIONAL
ISCF CONFERENCE

1985

30 camps 59 family missions 40 ISCF school events

1996

HSC STUDY CAMP
launched in
Forster



2017





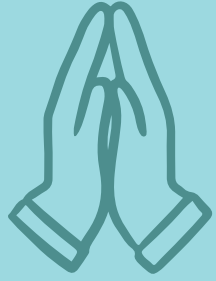
5000 NIV Bibles
produced for clubs
camps and mission



2008

Our Kombi Van hits the
road to promote missions

NSW needs a grassroots approach to evangelism.

Why public schools?	 <p>64% of students in NSW attend a public school.</p>	 <p>54% of young people in NSW ranked school challenges as their biggest personal concern in 2023.</p>
	<p>80% of people start trusting Jesus when they are under 18 years of age.</p>	<p>voted #1 “Activities for young people” was voted as the top need by Australian communities in 2023.</p>
Why communities?	 <p>We have more than 1500 regional towns in New South Wales.</p>	 <p>92% of Australians do not attend church.</p>
		<p>52% of Australians are open to changing their religious views.</p> 



Australians say
the greatest
attraction to
investigating
spirituality
and religion is
observing people
who live out a
genuine faith.



Empowering Schools

181
SU NSW volunteers
in schools in 2023

2000+
School group
participants



Empowering Camps

34
Camps
in 2023

946
Young people
nurtured



Empowering Missions

30
Missions
in 2023

10-15K
Connections
made



Empowering people to
**Realise
the
potential**

SU NSW empowers ordinary people to do extraordinary things. We come alongside individuals and churches to show them what's possible with a team of faithful people, some administrative support, and a vision to share the Gospel.



Empowering people to
**Go where
the people
are**

We seek out the places where communities naturally gather, and we mobilise God's people to be a presence there.



Empowering people to
**Be
creative
on mission**

We encourage Christians to look at what God has put in their hands and use it creatively to build His Kingdom.



Empowering people to
**Move in
from the
margins**

SU NSW ministries are full of opportunities to bring Christians to actively serve in their own church.



Empowering people to
**Step into
leadership**

We must keep investing in the young people who will become tomorrow's leaders, pastors and evangelists.



OUR VISION

We want to see every Christian in NSW mobilised and **empowered** to share the Good News of Jesus in the community God has placed them.

Our guiding principles.

**Grounded in
proclaiming
the Gospel**

**Powered by
prayer**

**United as
Christians**

**Partnered
with the
church**

**Rooted in
the Bible**

Witness God at work.

I was able to get ministry experience across every area that Scripture Union NSW supports. This experience has led me to pursue full time ministry.

JEREMEY KIDD - ISCF LEADER

I didn't know about Jesus before coming to Corrimal SUFM, and now I believe in Him.

PRIMARY AGED GIRL
AT CORRIMAL SUFM 2023

Church is a little bit on the nose for many Australians. However, a movement like SU NSW has the capacity to surprise people because it's more nimble and flexible. And as people respond to it, SU NSW can then point back to the local church and say, actually, that's a beautiful thing over there.

REV JOHN DICKSON - VOLUNTEER

IN MY ROLE AS A PASTOR, IT'S BEEN A PRIVILEGE TO SAY THAT SERVING ON MISSIONS IS A KEY PATHWAY WHERE WE SEE KIDS GROW FROM OUR CHURCH.

REV MARTIN KENNEDY - VOLUNTEER

I was invited to an SU NSW camp, and it was here that everything really clicked. I just knew that I had to have the Lord in my life and I had to be definite.

JANICE HALL - CAMP ATTENDEE

Spending a week living in Christian community - it is a taste of heaven.

JENNY SPEER - LEADERSHIP
CONFERENCE CAMP DIRECTOR

Taking an idea for a camp and making it a reality did not come without its challenges, but I reached out to Scripture Union NSW who shared my excitement and provided the practical support and logistics to bring it to life.

BEC EASTMENT - RIDE LIKE A GIRL
CAMP DIRECTOR

WE WERE DOING SOMETHING THAT HADN'T BEEN DONE IN THIS TOWN FOR A VERY LONG TIME. WE WERE DOING IT WITH ONE MIND, UNIFIED UNDER THE GOSPEL.

REV REBECCA CHOI - VOLUNTEER

The time I spent in my high school ISCF group and camps were so formative for my Christian growth. From deepening my understanding of the Scriptures, to providing opportunities of fellowship with other believers at my school, and ultimately shaping the trajectory of my life.

LAURA YING BEE - ISCF LEADER

I knew right away that this was a camp of loving Christians who do not walk away from a challenge.

SPENCER - CAMP ATTENDEE

A TEENAGE GIRL, NEW TO KIAMA, WAS WALKING BY AND CAME ACROSS OUR SUMMERLIFE TENT AT THE LOCAL PARK. EMBRACED BY OUR LOVING CREW, SHE CONTINUED TO COME EVERY AFTERNOON AND NIGHT SESSION FOR THE REST OF THE WEEK. ON THE SECOND LAST EVENING SESSION, SHE GAVE HER LIFE TO CHRIST. WE GAVE HER A BIBLE AND HELPED HER MAKE A CONNECTION WITH A LOCAL CHURCH.

PETER SHERLOCK - KIAMA SUMMERLIFE DIRECTOR



In a world that
is increasingly
isolated,
Scripture Union
USW is building
many profound
communities that
display Christ's love
to the world.



Scripture
Union
Family



SU Clubs & Groups



Christian Teachers Connect



Train & Plan events



Leadership Conference



Parent prayer groups



Year 12 programs



Resources



Weekends away



Camps



Beach Missions



Help us empower the Gospel from the ground up.

Help us with Resourcing

Empowering people takes time. Right now we have more opportunities than we can sustainably respond to.

Would you help us raise up more people to empower Christians for mission in NSW?

Help us with Access

Christianity isn't welcome in the public sphere like it was back when Scripture Union NSW first began.

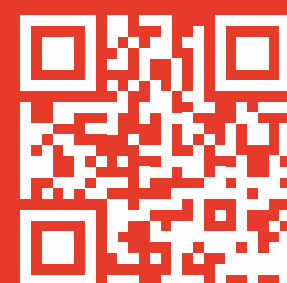
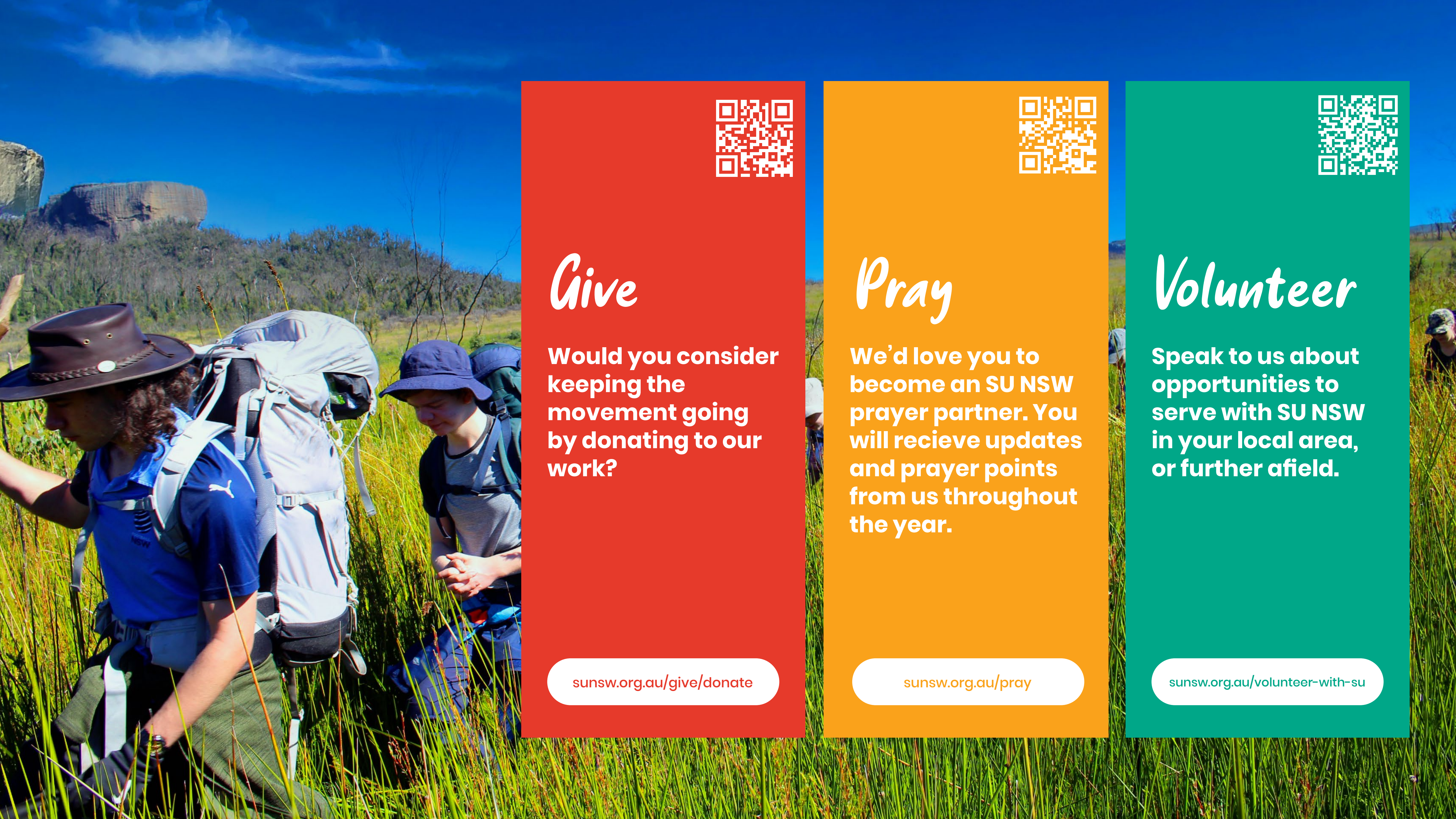
Will you help us keep finding innovative ways to reach people with the Gospel?

Help us with Safeguarding

We take safeguarding and the well-being of our 20,000+ volunteers and participants seriously.

Will you support us, so we can support volunteers and participants in conducting safe ministry?

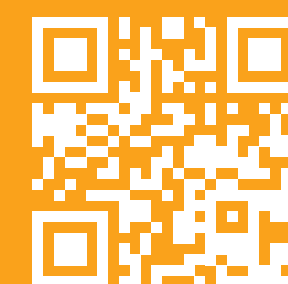




Give

Would you consider keeping the movement going by donating to our work?

sunsw.org.au/give/donate



Pray

We'd love you to become an SU NSW prayer partner. You will receive updates and prayer points from us throughout the year.

sunsw.org.au/pray



Volunteer

Speak to us about opportunities to serve with SU NSW in your local area, or further afield.

sunsw.org.au/volunteer-with-su

Opportunities to support.

Goal: \$160,000

(tax deductible)

Grow our school's team

Scripture Union NSW School Workers are vital for launching, managing, and sustaining SU clubs in NSW schools. In collaboration with volunteers, they establish new groups, empower and equip leaders, and ensure the ongoing success of school ministry initiatives.

Goal: \$200,000 Expanding Gospel Resources

We now seek support to create new Gospel resources, specifically geared towards young people.

Our vision includes broadening our Gospel reach to youth, and improving our social media presence for increased engagement.

Goal: \$140,000 Empower Transformation – support where it's needed most

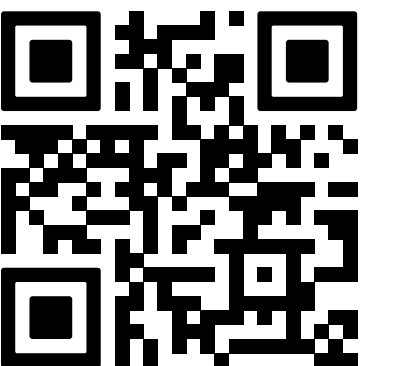
SU NSW's century-long legacy of shaping faith and lives is remarkable. However this legacy did not build itself.

Your contribution will help us in our next chapter, by enabling strategic resource allocation for our volunteer movement, to effectively spread the Good News of Jesus.



Thank you.

Thank you for helping us keep sharing the Good News of Jesus across NSW.





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