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South New South Wales

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A SIX WEEK IMMERSIVE
DISCIPLESHIP EXPERIENCE



SOLID

DISCIPLESHIP SCHOOL

Jan 10 - Feb 21 2027

ADVENTIST ALPINE VILLAGE
JINDABYNE NSW

*“And they went out and preached everywhere,
the Lord working with them.” — **Mark 16:20***



Welcome to SOLID

Perhaps you're longing for a deeper walk with Jesus. Maybe you've felt the desire to share your faith but aren't sure where to start. Or perhaps you're wondering what God's purpose is for your life and what the next step looks like. Whatever brings you here, our prayer is that SOLID will help you know Jesus more deeply and discover the joy of living for His mission.

At SOLID, our aim is to inspire, equip, and send disciples who are ready to live out the Great Commission wherever God calls them. We believe that every follower of Jesus has been uniquely created, gifted, and called for a purpose. Whether God leads you into ministry, business, education, trades, healthcare, the home, or somewhere else entirely, He desires to use your life to make an eternal difference.

The good news is that you don't need to have everything figured out. You don't need a complete roadmap for the future. You simply need a willingness to follow Jesus and take the next step of faith. When we place our lives in God's hands, He can do immeasurably more than we could ever ask or imagine.

SOLID Discipleship School is more than a six-week program. It is an invitation to follow Jesus, grow as His disciple, and join His mission. Our hope is that during your time here you will be grounded in Scripture, transformed by the gospel, equipped for ministry, and inspired to help others follow Christ.

Welcome to the journey.



WHY **SOLID** EXISTS

SOLID Discipleship School exists because we believe Jesus is coming soon and the harvest is **great**.

Across Australia and around the world, people are searching for hope, purpose, and truth. At the same time, Jesus' call remains unchanged:

As Seventh-day Adventists, we believe God has entrusted His church with a unique mission to proclaim the everlasting gospel and prepare people for the soon return of Jesus. Yet mission is not reserved for pastors, Bible workers, or church leaders. Every follower of Jesus is called to be a disciple who makes disciples.

SOLID exists to help people become firmly grounded in Christ, rooted in Scripture, equipped for ministry, and confident in sharing their faith. Through biblical teaching, practical ministry experience, mentorship, and community life, students will discover that God can use ordinary people to do extraordinary things for His kingdom.

Whether you are a teacher, tradesperson, nurse, farmer, business owner, pastor, or full time parent, God's mission is for you. Our desire is to see a generation of disciples who know Jesus deeply, love people genuinely, and faithfully share the gospel wherever God leads them.



Mission, Vision & Values

MISSION

SOLID Discipleship School exists to help people know Jesus, follow His mission, and become disciple-makers who share the gospel wherever God leads them.

VISION

To raise up a generation of Christ-centred disciple-makers who are equipped, empowered, and sent to reach every community in Australia with the gospel.

VALUES

Christ Centred

Everything begins and ends with Jesus. We seek to know Him, follow Him, and become more like Him.

Scripture-Shaped

The Bible is our foundation, authority, and guide for faith, life, and mission.

Mission-Focused

Every follower of Jesus is called to participate in God's mission, regardless of vocation or stage of life.

Disciple-Making

We are committed to making disciples of Jesus, who make disciples of Jesus, and so

Practical Ministry

We learn best by doing. Classroom learning is strengthened through real-life ministry experience.

Community

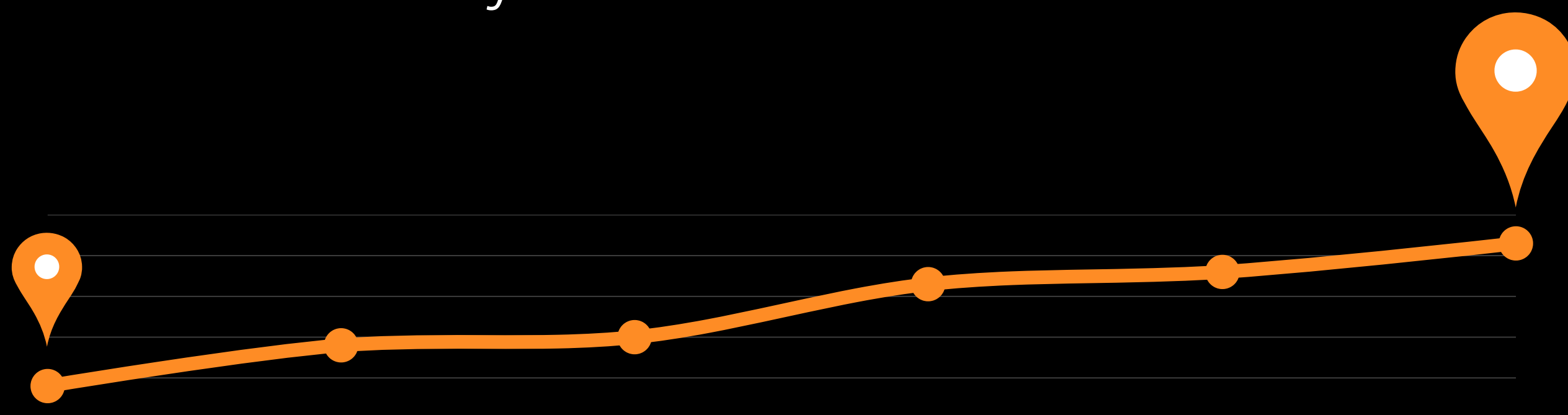
Spiritual growth happens best in authentic Christian community where we encourage, challenge, and support one another.





The **SOLID** Journey

SOLID is more than a series of classes. It is a discipleship journey designed to help you know Jesus more deeply, understand His mission more clearly, and become equipped to make disciples wherever God leads you.



Week 1 - Following Jesus

Discipleship begins with Jesus. You will explore the gospel, the character of God, the ministry of the Holy Spirit, and the foundations of a personal walk with Christ.

Week 2 - Learning by Doing

One of the best ways to learn ministry is to participate in it. Through Summer Camp involvement, you will serve, lead, mentor, and support others in a real ministry settings.

Week 3 - Understanding God's Story

The Bible is one unified story of redemption. You will trace the grand narrative of Scripture from Creation to Christ and discover how every part of the Bible points to Jesus.

Week 4 - The Story Continues

God's story did not end with the New Testament church. You will explore the history of the Christian church, the Reformation, the Advent movement, and God's mission through history.

Week 5 - Every Follower a Missionary

Every disciple is called to make disciples. You will receive practical training in personal evangelism, Bible studies, mentoring, outreach, and disciple-making.

Week 6 - Multiplying Disciple Makers

The mission of Jesus is not merely to make disciples, but to make disciples who make disciples. You will focus on leadership, teaching, apologetics, preaching, and long-term ministry development.



Program Components

Classroom Learning

The classroom forms the foundation of the SOLID experience.

Through engaging presentations, discussions, workshops, and practical training sessions, you will explore Scripture, Adventist beliefs, discipleship, mission, leadership, and disciple-making.

Summer Camp Ministry Experience

Week Two of SOLID is dedicated to practical ministry through Summer Camp involvement. This week provides you with an opportunity to move beyond theory and experience ministry firsthand. You will serve in a variety of roles, learning what it means to lead, mentor, encourage, support, and minister to others in a real-world setting.

This is where the rubber meets the road.

Scripture Memory

Throughout the program, you will memorise key Bible passages that strengthen your personal walk with God and equip you for ministry.

Reading Assignments

You will complete selected readings that complement classroom instruction and encourage deeper personal growth.

Small Groups and Community

You will participate in small groups where they can discuss what you are learning, pray together, and encourage one another.

Sabbath Experience

Each Sabbath will bring variety, you will attend and participate in the life of a local church, and even begin to 'sow seeds' in the community of Jindabyne that would lead to a church plant.

Mentoring

You will have access to mentors, instructors, and ministry leaders who are committed to helping you grow spiritually and develop confidence in your calling.



Summer Camp

LEARNING BY DOING

One of the most distinctive parts of SOLID is that discipleship should not remain inside a classroom, it's all about doing.

During the second week of the program, you will leave the lecture room and step into front line ministry by serving at the South New South Wales Summer Camp. Throughout the week, you'll discover that some of the greatest lessons in discipleship aren't taught from a platform, but are learned while serving others.

Jesus didn't simply teach His disciples, He sent them out to be practical. Throughout the Gospels, we see Jesus inviting His followers to step out in faith, serve people, pray with them, solve problems, lead, and rely on the Holy Spirit. At SOLID, we want to follow that same model.

Summer Camp gives you the opportunity to put classroom principles into practice in a safe, supportive ministry environment. You'll discover that discipleship is something you do, not simply something you study.

WHAT YOU'LL EXPERIENCE

- Serve alongside experienced ministry leaders
- Build meaningful relationships with campers
- Lead and participate in small group devotions
- Assist in practical ministry and logistics
- Encourage young people in their faith journey
- Experience ministry in a team environment
- Learn servant leadership in real time
- See how healthy ministry teams function
- Discover how God can use your unique gifts

BIGGER THAN AN EVENT

Summer Camp is more than just another event on the calendar, it is an opportunity to make an eternal difference in the lives of others.

For many campers, Summer Camp becomes one of the defining moments of their lives. It is often where faith becomes personal, confidence begins to grow, lifelong friendships are formed, and young people discover the depth of God's love in a real and lasting way. Years later, many campers may not remember every activity they participated in or every sermon they heard. But they often remember the counsellor who took time to listen, the mentor who believed in them, the leader who prayed with them, or the volunteer who simply showed them the love of Jesus.

That is the power of discipleship.

Discipleship is rarely built through one extraordinary moment, it is formed through ordinary people faithfully investing in others. A simple conversation, an encouraging word, or a genuine act of kindness can leave a deep impression that shapes someone's walk with Christ for years to come and for eternity.

As a SOLID student, YOU have the privilege of being that person for someone else.





Expectations

At SOLID, we believe discipleship happens best in community.

These expectations are not intended to be a list of rules, but rather a framework that helps create an environment where you can grow spiritually, build healthy relationships, and fully engage in the SOLID experience.

PERSONAL DEVOTIONS

You are encouraged to spend regular time in prayer, Bible study, and personal reflection throughout the program.

ATTENDANCE

You are expected to attend all scheduled classes, ministry activities, worship experiences, and program events unless prior arrangements have been approved.

SABBATH EXPERIENCE

You are expected to participate in Sabbath worship services, church activities, and ministry opportunities throughout the program.

RELATIONSHIPS

We celebrate healthy Christian friendships and believe that meaningful relationships are an important part of the discipleship journey. Due to the short and intensive nature of the program, you are encouraged to focus your attention on spiritual growth, ministry, and building healthy community.

DRESS STANDARDS

Everyone is asked to dress modestly, neatly, and appropriately for a Christian ministry environment.

TECHNOLOGY AND MOBILE PHONES

Everyone is asked to refrain from using mobile phones and other devices during classes and worships unless specifically required for learning purposes.

MEDIA AND ENTERTAINMENT

You are encouraged to make wise choices regarding media consumption and entertainment throughout the program.

ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, AND DRUGS

The use or possession of alcohol, tobacco products, vaping products, illicit drugs, or other harmful substances is not permitted during the program.

RESPECT AND CONDUCT

You are expected to demonstrate Christian character in their interactions with staff, instructors, fellow students, church members, and members of the community.

STUDENT DISMISSAL

SOLID reserves the right to dismiss any student who consistently disregards program expectations or whose behaviour significantly impacts the wellbeing, safety, or learning environment of others.


**Our desire is always restoration, growth, and reconciliation.
However, maintaining a healthy and Christ-centred community
is a responsibility we take seriously.**

Your Stay

For six weeks, the Adventist Alpine Village will become more than just your accommodation, it will become your home. Nestled among the beautiful Snowy Mountains near Jindabyne, the village provides a peaceful environment where you can step away from the busyness of everyday life to focus on growing closer to Jesus, building meaningful friendships, and preparing for a life of mission.


Living together is an important part of the SOLID experience. Some of the most memorable conversations, encouragement, prayer, and discipleship happen outside the classroom around the dinner table, in the common areas, or while enjoying the outdoors together.

ACCOMMODATION



Your stay will be in shared dormitory-style accommodation with other students of the same gender. Each room is designed to provide a comfortable place to rest while encouraging community and connection throughout the program. You are expected to keep their rooms tidy, care for the facilities, and show consideration and respect for those sharing their accommodation.

MEALS



Breakfast and lunch are provided **Monday through Friday**. You are responsible for providing your own evening meals and meals on weekends. Fully equipped kitchen facilities are available for students to prepare their own food. Sharing meals together is an important part of community life, and students are encouraged to use these times to build friendships and encourage one another.



Growing Beyond the Classroom

The classroom is only one part of the SOLID experience.

Throughout the program, you will engage with a carefully selected collection of books, articles, and biblical resources that reinforce the themes being taught each week. These readings are designed to deepen your understanding, challenge your thinking, and encourage you to continue growing long after each class has finished. Our prayer is that these resources won't simply add to your knowledge, but will shape your love for Jesus, strengthen your confidence in Scripture, and inspire a life devoted to God's mission.

WEEKLY READING

Each week you will be assigned reading that complements the classroom sessions and practical ministry experiences.

These readings may include:

- Books
- Chapters from recommended Christian authors
- Journal articles
- Historical documents
- Mission stories
- Bible study resources
- Selected excerpts from classic Christian literature

The reading load has been intentionally designed to be manageable while still providing opportunities for thoughtful reflection and discussion.





Growing Beyond the Classroom

WEEKLY EXPECTATIONS

Students should come to each week's sessions having completed the assigned readings.

Some classes and discussion groups will assume familiarity with the material, allowing for richer conversations, deeper questions, and practical application. While there are no formal exams, students are expected to engage thoughtfully with the readings and contribute meaningfully to class discussions.

RECOMMENDED READING LIST

Throughout SOLID you will be introduced to a range of Christ-centred resources from both Seventh-day Adventist and wider Christian authors. Our aim is to expose students to faithful, biblically grounded voices that will continue to encourage their spiritual growth beyond the six-week program. A complete reading schedule and resource list will be provided at the commencement of the course.

SCRIPTURE MEMORISATION

God's Word is most powerful when it moves from the page into our hearts. Each week you will memorise seven Scripture passages, (one verse a day) to build a lifelong foundation in God's Word.

By the end of the program, you will have committed 42 key Bible passages to memory, equipping you for personal discipleship, ministry, evangelism, encouragement, and sharing their faith with confidence.

You are encouraged to regularly review previously memorised verses throughout the program, allowing God's Word to become a lasting part of your life rather than simply preparing for an assessment.



**"I have hidden Your word in my heart
that I might not sin against You."**

Psalm 119:11

When Scripture fills our minds, it strengthens our faith, renews our thinking, guides our decisions, and equips us to encourage others and share the gospel with confidence.

Student Life

Life at SOLID is more than just classes. It's a community where you'll grow in your relationship with Jesus, build lifelong friendships, and be equipped to make a real impact for His kingdom.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

TIME	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SABBATH
8:00am	Free Time	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Free Time
9:00am	Free Time	Session 1	Session 1	Session 1	Session 1	Session 1	Field Day
10:00am	Free Time	Intermission	Intermission	Intermission	Intermission	Intermission	Field Day
11:30am	Free Time	Session 2	Session 2	Session 2	Session 2	Session 2	Field Day
12:30pm	Free Time	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Field Day
1:30pm	Free Time	Session 3	Session 3	Session 3	Session 3	Free Time	Field Day
2:30pm	Free Time	Intermission	Intermission	Intermission	Intermission	Free Time	Field Day
3:00pm	Free Time	Session 4	Session 4	Session 4	Session 4	Free Time	Field Day
4:00pm	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time



Real Friendships

Spend time with likeminded people who will journey with you in your walk with Christ.



Practical Ministry Experience

Get front line ministry experience that you'll also have a blast doing.



Personal Growth

A special time where you can create healthy habits and grow closer to God than ever before.



Frequently Asked Questions

Who is SOLID for?

SOLID Discipleship School is open to adults aged 18 years and over who have a desire to know Jesus more deeply and be equipped to make disciples. If you have a teachable spirit and a heart for God's mission, SOLID is for you.

Do I need to be a Seventh-day Adventist?

No. While SOLID is taught from a Seventh-day Adventist understanding of Scripture, anyone who sincerely wants to study the Bible and grow in their relationship with Jesus is welcome.

Do I need Bible knowledge before attending?

Not at all. Some students will have studied the Bible for years, while others may be just beginning their journey. The course is designed to meet people where they are and help them continue growing.

Is SOLID academically difficult?

SOLID isn't a Bible college or theological degree. It is a practical discipleship school.

Students should expect to engage with Scripture, complete weekly readings, memorise key Bible passages, and participate in discussions, but the focus is on spiritual growth and ministry rather than academic assessment.

What does a typical week look like?

Monday to Thursday include four teaching sessions each day, alongside practical activities, personal study, and community life.

Friday concludes after lunch with two teaching sessions, allowing students time to prepare for Sabbath. Sabbath is spent worshipping and serving with local churches, while Sunday provides an opportunity to rest, prepare for the coming week, and enjoy the beautiful Snowy Mountains region.





Frequently Asked Questions

WHAT SHOULD I BRING?

A detailed packing list will be provided before the program begins. At a minimum, you should bring:

- A Bible
- Notebook and pens
- Laptop or tablet (recommended)
- Casual, tidy clothing
- Church attire
- Warm clothing
- Comfortable walking shoes
- Toiletries
- Bedding
- Personal medications

WILL I RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE?

Students who faithfully participate in the program and complete the course requirements will receive recognition upon graduation. More importantly, our desire is that every graduate leaves confident in following Jesus and making disciples wherever God leads them.

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER SOLID?

Our prayer is that every student returns to their local church, workplace, family, and community with a renewed passion for Jesus and His mission. Equipped through SOLID and partnering with their local pastor and church, graduates will continue growing as disciples while helping others take their next step with Christ.

SOLID is designed to strengthen the ministry of the local church, not replace it. We want every graduate to become an active disciple maker within their own church family, serving alongside their pastor to build healthy, mission focused communities.

For those whom God may be calling into further ministry, SOLID also provides pathways into opportunities such as Bible work, mentoring, church planting, and ongoing leadership development.



Join the **Journey**

Thank you for taking the time to explore SOLID Discipleship School. If God has been stirring your heart throughout these pages, perhaps this is your invitation to take the next step. We don't expect you to have everything figured out. We simply ask that you come with a willing heart and a desire to follow Jesus.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

JAN 10 - FEB 21 2027

Dates

18 yrs and over

Age Requirement

**South New South Wales Conference
of the Seventh-day Adventist Church**

Host

**Adventist Alpine Village
Jindabyne, NSW**

Location



Join the Journey

\$2,200

PROGRAM FEE

The program fee includes:

- ✓ Six weeks of teaching
- ✓ Summer Camp participation
- ✓ Shared accommodation
- ✓ Breakfast and lunch (Monday–Friday)
- ✓ Course handbook and printed resources
- ✓ Guest presenters
- ✓ Ministry workshops

(Travel to and from Jindabyne, evening meals, and weekend meals are not included.)

APPLICATION PROCESS

Step 1

Complete the online application form

Step 2

We'll contact you to arrange a short conversation so we can get to know you.

Step 3

Successful applicants will receive a Welcome Pack containing everything needed to prepare for SOLID.

IMPORTANT DATES

DEC 11, 2026

Applications Close

JAN 10, 2027

Arrival Day

FEB 21, 2027

Graduation

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Love Jesus



Love Others



Make Disciples



“And they went out and preached everywhere,
the Lord working with them and confirming the word
through the accompanying signs. Amen.”

MARK 16:20



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