

Who is CRU® West?

CRU® West is a not-for-profit organisation deeply committed to assisting and encouraging young people in their mental, physical, emotional and spiritual development.

Christian students are a minority in Australian schools. The need for young people to be supported and nurtured in their faith is greater than ever. Our earnest ambition is to care for and provide opportunities to these students – especially in regard to faith development – in ways that they otherwise might not experience.

Therefore, our mission is to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ to the students of Western Australia. As such, we seek to nurture Christians, encourage church membership and train young Christians for a lifetime of servant leadership. We long to see a new generation of West Australian students know Jesus, grow in Jesus and share the love of Jesus.

As part of CRU, we are a group of West Australians devoted to running and empowering school lunchtime groups and holiday camps. Guided by the CRU West Committee, our staff and volunteers propel this work forward. This work could not happen without your prayer support.



A faith that endures

PRAY FOR CRU® WEST

Please join us as we pray together for the ministry of CRU West:

Term 1

Thursday, 29th February, 7:45–9pm

Term 2

Thursday, 30th May, 7:45–9pm

Location:

CRU West Office
7/219 Onslow Rd, Shenton Park

*"Be joyful in hope,
patient in affliction,
faithful in prayer."*

Romans 12:12

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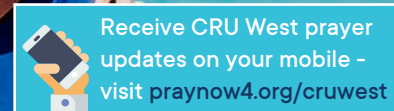
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Prayer
Diary 2024
Term 1 & 2

CRU® West Prayer Diary



TERM 1

Week 1 - Praise God for the summer break and for the Big Summer holiday camps that ran in January. Thank God for all who came to camp and got to learn more about Jesus, and for the leaders, assistant leaders and directors who served. Pray as teachers, chaplains and students return to school, that they would continue following and serving Jesus and sharing the gospel with others.

Week 2 - Pray for all the lunchtime CRU Groups running in schools. Praise God for the teachers and students who lead them. Pray that as they start back up again, students would come along eager to learn more about God and would invite their friends along. Pray that these groups would be an effective ministry that continues to grow.

Week 3 - Praise God for the various Bible classes in schools in Western Australia. Please pray that God would provide servant-hearted teachers who would teach the Bible faithfully and stay true to the gospel. Pray that students would grow in their knowledge and love of Christ at school.

Week 4 - Give thanks for other Christian organisations including Scripture Union and YouthCARE who also share the gospel with teens. Pray they would remain faithful to the Word of God and continue to be effective ministries.

Week 5 - Pray for former CRU West campers and students who are now at university. Pray that they would connect in with the Christian groups on campus as the university year commences so that they would continue to flourish in their faith. Thank God that many university students serve on CRU West camps throughout the year.

Week 6 - Praise God for the opportunity to run CRU West School Camps. Pray this would continue to be a fruitful and effective ministry. Please pray for more opportunities to share the gospel with teens in this way and for the many students who come on camps, that they would have soft hearts to hear and believe the gospel.

Week 7 - Praise God for the CRU staff in NSW, including Gary Hill (Executive Director). Pray that CRU would continue to be a fruitful ministry that remains faithful to the Word of God and serves others well. Thank God for His provision. Pray that the staff and board would be wise when making decisions as CRU continues to grow.

Week 8 - Praise God for the many students who attend CRU Camps. Pray that the upcoming Inter-CRU would be a great opportunity for students to come together to spend time praying with one another and being encouraged by God's Word.

Week 9 - Pray for the upcoming CRU Camps: Quest and CrossTrain. Praise God for the leaders who are serving on these camps. Pray they would model Christ in the way they lead and love the campers. Pray that the rest of the preparation would come together smoothly and for the campers that they would grow in their knowledge and love of Jesus while being trained to share this with others.

TERM 2

Week 1 - Praise God for the CRU West camps that ran in the holidays: Quest and CrossTrain. Thank God for the many leaders who committed their time to serve, and for the opportunity the campers had to learn more about God and His Word.

Week 2 - Praise God for the individuals, families and churches who partner with CRU West in this ministry. Praise Him for the generosity and prayerfulness of these people, and for the way God sustains and is growing this ministry through these partnerships.

Week 3 - Praise God for the CRU Groups that run in schools at lunchtime and for those who attend. Please pray that God would be growing each individual in their understanding of God's Word and love of Christ, and for opportunities to start more CRU Groups in other schools.

Week 4 - Praise God for the staff at CRU West, especially our new Director of Schools Ministry - Dougal Steven. Please pray that each staff member would serve and love others well and continue to grow in Christlikeness. Please pray that CRU West would remain faithful as they teach God's Word to others.

Week 5 - Praise God for the servant-hearted teachers and chaplains in schools around Perth. Pray that He would continue to provide teachers and chaplains who love Jesus and others. Pray for strength and courage to continue serving and sharing the gospel with others, day in and day out.

Week 6 - Praise God for the teachers and chaplains who serve at Inter-CRU. Please pray that the Inter-CRU in Term 2 would be another encouraging time for students to come together to pray and hear from God's Word.

Week 7 - Praise God for all those who serve on CRU Camps. Pray for the volunteer training nights, that they would be a great opportunity for leaders and assistant leaders to meet one another and to be encouraged and equipped as they prepare to serve on the upcoming winter CRU Camps. Pray that God would continue to grow the leaders in Christlikeness.

Week 8 - Praise God for students who love Jesus. Please pray they would continue to love and serve Him in their school and to be a light for their friends and classmates. Please pray for opportunities for students to share their faith with others.

Week 9 - We love training assistant leaders on camps. Praise God for those who have registered to serve on Study Camp in July. Please pray that it would be a good opportunity for them to be trained in leading others and be encouraged by God's Word. Pray that they would grow and continue to serve God faithfully in the future.

Week 10 - Pray for the upcoming Study & Mountain Bike Camps. Praise God for the leaders and assistant leaders who will be serving on them. Pray that the campers who attend will grow in their understanding and love of Christ and for those who aren't Christian, that they would have soft hearts to hear and believe the gospel.

Week 11 - Pray that teachers, chaplains and students would have a safe and restful holiday. Please pray God would continue to grow them in Christlikeness and give them opportunities to share their faith over the break.