1. **Libby Byrne - The art of taking time and making sense**
   Authentic communication takes time and often requires an expansion of perception particularly with regard to what we know or have known about ourselves or another person. Graeme Sullivan (2005) contends that art offers a medium to extend the boundaries of human thought. Art is a way to understand our experience in a way that is beyond words. I believe that Art also offers the means to ‘Take Time’ and then to ‘Make Sense’ of our experience in the world and in relationship with the ‘Other’. In this workshop we will consider the place of art in contemplative living and in the pastoral work of being a listening presence for another.

2. **Rowan Lewis – Social Media - Creating Community with Digital Natives and (reluctant) Digital Immigrants**
   Social Media is not just a platform for ministry, it is also an intrinsic context of ministry because it is an elemental way that people connect, engage and seek community with one another. Like it, hate or love it - social media is now integrated into the way 21st-century humans form identity, maintain relationships, seek community as well as experience loneliness, suffer abuse and cry for help. This workshop is less about a ‘how to’ and more about an exploration of the dynamics of human persons and congregations in the context of social media.

3. **Zoe Broomhead – Cycles of addictive behaviours and how we work with them (BUV – Professional Standards Workshop)**
   Zoe Broomhead is a Clinically accredited Christian Counsellor with more than 15 years counselling experience, teaching Christian Counselling within the education system since 2006. Zoe with her family has provided emergency and foster care to young adults for over a decade, bringing insight and understanding to her work with addiction and changing behaviour. This workshop will consider:
   - Understanding patterns of addiction
   - The basic cycle
   - Changing maladaptive patterns with healthier patterns
   - The role of hope in change.
1. **Jonathan Cornford – The Economics of Renewal:**
   Renewing the church as an alternative economic community in the twenty-first century.

   It is no secret that the church in Australia is in crisis. However, the vital task of renewing the health of Christian communities and their mission in the world, is not just a matter of technique and methodology. Rather, at the heart of the crisis, and therefore of the task of renewal, is a struggle over the **content** of the gospel. This session will explore the idea that the church has lost touch with the implications of the gospel for our material lives, especially our economic lives, and therefore has fallen victim to the same maladies of the broader consumer culture. A critical ingredient of renewal in the coming century will be a reclaiming of the church’s vocation to embody a new way of living that transforms how we think about work, money, family, housing, consumption, recreation and the good life. This vocation is central to the spiritual vitality of Christian communities, the health of their members, and their ability to undertake mission and evangelism in the world.

2. **Christine Wanstall – How to have hard conversations**
   Ministry is full of challenging situations. Is it possible to have hard, challenging conversations without leaving blood on the carpet or feeling sick and nervous? Having hard or difficult conversations can be challenging but is made easier with planning and a few skills in your tool belt. Learning to tackle these conversations in a supportive manner can reduce conflict and strengthen relationships. This workshop will look at the role of invitation and challenge in conversations and provide practical skills to increase your confidence.

3. **Ann and Garry Lock – The Road Well Travelled**
   Ministry over the long term is challenging and rewarding in itself. Sustaining marriage and family while working as a couple in ministry, in separate roles in different states… now that's a challenge.
   As Baptist pastors engaged in local church and military ministry for over 35 years, Ann and Garry will share some of their story and insights to encourage us along the road.

4. **Anne Mallaby – Box Hill Gallery Visit** (all afternoon)
   Chapel on Station Gallery, a ministry of Box Hill Baptist church, is hosting a curious exhibition. Created and installed co-operatively, a group of students have curated this exhibition exploring Art as an expression of theological reflection. Join Anne at the gallery for the afternoon, as we enjoy art, refreshments and conversation.
1. **Oh-Young Kwon – Theological Education into the Next Generation**
This elective focuses on the second generation, those whose parents came as migrants to Australia. These Christian young people have been exposed daily to mainstream Australian culture and find it much easier and more comfortable to worship in English speaking contexts than in the context of their (grand) parents' language. This second generation struggle with exercising the cultural traditions and customs of their (grand) parents in their daily lives at church, school, and workplace. How can theological education help these second generation to value their dual/multi-cultural identities and stimulate them to engage in cross-cultural and intercultural dialogue with their friends and neighbours from other cultural backgrounds?

2. **Richard and Rosemary Kidd – Ministries around the edges**
Richard and Rosemary will share some of the experiences that for them have creatively pushed the edges of both ministry contexts and responses.

What do you think of as church? Institution, building, community organisation, bunch of people? What “shape” do you think of as church? Pyramid, square, circle? This session will explore a model of church as community network, where building connections between diverse groups and co-creating new hubs of mutual activity is the focus of being missional today. Using the recent story of Moreland Baptist this session will engage with you to explore afresh ideas in theology, Christology, pneumatology, worship, pastoral care, innovation, ecumenism and community development that enable life in community.

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