PASTORAL CARE FORUM

9.30am – 3.30pm
Friday, 10 November
St Vincent’s Private Hospital
Ground Floor Meeting Room
59 Victoria Parade, Fitzroy
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ROSALIND BRADLEY

Born and raised in the UK, Rosalind has had an eclectic career which includes teaching at a remote school in Papua New Guinea, to freelance marketing in Sydney. She has worked for several charities including The Fred Hollows Foundation, and has been a Board member of The Asylum Seekers Centre of NSW and Eremos, a forum for exploring spirituality in Australia.

Her interest in interfaith was triggered by being in London at the same time as the 2005 bombings, which was a catalyst for compiling her first book Mosaic: favourite prayers and reflections from inspiring Australians. An international compilation followed called A World of Prayer.

After her mother’s sudden death, Ros began a curious and intense interest in death and dying, and began researching A Matter of Life and Death, which was published in 2016.

She has recently worked with Palliative Care NSW and their volunteers, and is currently a volunteer biographer at Sacred Heart Hospice in Sydney.

Ros has lived in Sydney for over 30 years.
Cheryl Holmes has had extensive training and professional experience in healthcare, spiritual care and organisational change and management. She began employment as a speech pathologist in a large aged care facility before moving to spiritual care, becoming Chaplain Coordinator to Peninsula Health in Victoria (a large multi-site health facility). Cheryl worked as Coordinator for Health Chaplaincy for the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne and was then appointed the Chief Executive Officer to Spiritual Health Victoria in 2002. Cheryl has held the position of National President of Spiritual Care Australia. She completed a Masters in 2014, focusing on management and leadership, and commenced a PhD in 2016 exploring the integration of spiritual care in the Australian health system. Cheryl was awarded an Order of Australia Medal for her spiritual care roles in the health sector on Australia Day, 2015.

Ilsa Hampton, MPH, BA, BTheol, GradCertMgt, GradDipEd commenced in March 2016 as CEO of Meaningful Ageing Australia. Meaningful Ageing Australia is the lead agency for the federally-funded National Guidelines for Spiritual Care in Aged Care. Ilsa has extensive experience in the strategic integration of pastoral and spiritual care in aged care. Prior to joining Meaningful Ageing Australia, Ilsa worked for eight years at aged and community services organisation Baptcare (Victoria & Tasmania) in a number of senior roles, and held various sector positions such as Chair of the multi-faith Diploma of Pastoral Care and Ageing Committee, and Chair of Spiritual Health Victoria’s Aged Care Advisory Group. From 2002, Ilsa also worked as a Clinical Pastoral Education Supervisor in various locations around Melbourne, building on 10 years of experience as a spiritual care practitioner in a wide range of settings.

Clare O’Callaghan is a senior Research Associate in Palliative Care at Cabrini Health and the Institute for Ethics and Society, University of Notre Dame. Since 2014, Clare has supported the development of Cabrini Health’s palliative care research program and engaged in collaborative research in advance care planning, early integration palliative care, service evaluation, bioethics, creative arts, and parent-child cancer communication. Clare has a particular interest in spiritual and religious dimensions of end-of-life care, and research which enables patients and families affected by advanced illnesses to live comfortably, meaningfully, and with dignity. Clare established music therapy in palliative care in Australia in 1985, and currently practices as a music therapist at Caritas Christi Hospice, SVHM. As a NHMRC Post-Doctoral Fellow (2008-9), she examined music’s role in cancer. Her academic contributions include 58 refereed journal articles and 22 book chapters.
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| 9:45 am    | Food for the Soul: Perspectives on Death and Dying  
              (Rosalind Bradley, author)                           |
| **10:45 am** | **MORNING TEA**                                                      |
| 11:10 am   | A World of Prayer: praying with people from other faith traditions  
              (Rosalind Bradley, author)                           |
| 11:30 am   | Introduction to Meaningful Ageing Australia: Resources to support  
              pastoral practitioners working with older people  
              (Ilsa Hampton, CEO of Meaningful Ageing Australia)   |
| **12:15 pm** | **LUNCH**                                                          |
| 1:15 pm    | Building quality into pastoral and spiritual care  
              (Cheryl Holmes, CEO of Spiritual Health Victoria)     |
| 2:00 pm    | Pastoral Workers’ Perspectives on Using Arts in Palliative Care  
              (Dr Clare O’Callaghan, Cabrini Health/St Vincent’s)   |
| 2:45 pm    | Pastoral care research findings and resources: a chance for those  
              present to share any pastoral care research findings  
              or resources they have found useful in their work     |
| 3:15 pm    | Closing reflection                                                   |
| 3:30 pm    | CLOSE                                                                |
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