Welcome to the opening of The Learning and Teaching Centre
OPENING OF THE LEARNING AND TEACHING CENTRE
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SATURDAY
11 FEB 2017
2.30 PM
Followed by afternoon tea
Program

Welcome – The Rev Dr Colin Bale

Hymn – Rejoice the Lord is King

Principal’s Address – The Rev Dr Mark Thompson

Prayers – Mrs Tara Stenhouse, Miss Natasha Leong, Mr Ken Chapman

Thank you – Mr Tony Clemens

Dedication – The Most Rev Dr Glenn Davies

Opening – His Excellency General The Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Ret’d)

Hymn – In Christ Alone

Afternoon Tea

Walk through the new building
Rejoice the Lord is King

1. Rejoice, the Lord is king! Your Lord and king adore; Mortals give thanks and sing, and triumph evermore; Lift up your heart Lift up your voice; rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

2. Jesus, the Saviour, reigns, the God of truth and love; When he had purged our stains he took his seat above; Lift up your heart Lift up your voice; rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

3. He sits at God’s right hand till all his foes submit, And bow to his command, and fall beneath his feet: Lift up your heart Lift up your voice; rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

4. Rejoice in glorious hope! Jesus the Judge shall come, And take his servants up to their eternal home. We soon shall hear th’archangel’s voice; The trump of God shall sound, rejoice!

Words by Charles Wesley 1744

In Christ Alone

1. In Christ alone my hope is found; He is my light, my strength, my song; This cornerstone, this solid ground, Firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, When fears are stilled, when strivings cease! My comforter, my all in all— Here in the love of Christ I stand.
2. In Christ alone, who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
Scorned by the ones he came to save.  
Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied;  
For ev’ry sin on him was laid—  
Here in the death of Christ I live.

3. There in the ground his body lay,  
Light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then, bursting forth in glorious day,  
Up from the grave he rose again!  
And as he stands in victory,  
Sin’s curse has lost its grip on me;  
For I am his and he is mine—  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death—  
This is the pow’r of Christ in me;  
From life’s first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No pow’r of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand;  
Till he returns or calls me home—  
Here in the pow’r of Christ I’ll stand.

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History of Moore

Moore College opened at Liverpool on 1 March 1856 with one resident tutor (the Acting Principal) and three students. It was established by the will of Thomas Moore, an early free settler, shipwright, pastoralist and magistrate in the colony. Moore’s desire for a college for Protestant youth was realised by the second Bishop of Sydney, Frederic Barker.

The College began on Moore’s property in Liverpool and remained there until it was moved to Newtown in 1891, among other reasons in order to be near the University of Sydney. At first it remained entirely on the northern side of what is now Carillon Avenue, but it expanded rapidly in the 1950s and 1960s under the visionary leadership of Principal Broughton Knox.

A major leap forward in facilities came in 1961 when the dining room building was opened. Housing along Little Queen Street and Campbell Street was purchased throughout the next three decades, which enabled the College’s commitment to full-time residential education to accommodate a growing number of married students.

In 1979 the building at 1 King Street was purchased and became the home of the College’s growing library as well as providing administrative offices. In 1994 the Broughton Knox Teaching Centre was opened, with purpose-built teaching spaces and student common area. Today we open the newest development, a multi-storey learning and teaching centre incorporating the Marcus Loane Hall, the Donald Robinson Library, teaching and study space, offices for faculty and staff and room for growth long into the future.
Moore College has always been an evangelical theological college committed to the authority of the Scriptures, the sovereignty of God, the centrality of the cross of Christ, the necessity of the Spirit’s work of new birth, repentance and faith. It is an Anglican College but has long welcomed students from a variety of denominations who wish to be well grounded in the Bible and evangelical reformed theology.

From three male students in 1856 to around three hundred men and women studying for its diplomas and bachelors degrees full-time in 2017 (with part-time students and postgrads adding to that number as well as a huge distance education program), the College has grown enormously under God’s good hand. Women students now make up around 40% of the student body and there are 20 full-time faculty.

In just over 160 years Moore College has been served by thirteen principals and has sent over four thousand graduates out into ministry all over Sydney, across the country and around the world. We have a very great deal for which to thank God.
The Building

Planned for over five decades, this new building is the fruition of much planning and prayer to the glory of God.

The concept of the building was to serve the task of training men and women to be gospel ministers who can be the best equipped gift to churches. This infrastructure and these facilities were developed to be a means to that end, to support the learning and teaching that takes place at Moore College.

The Learning and Teaching Centre comprises one basement level and 6 levels of building (almost 8,000 square metres). It houses a new expanded Moore College Library, which is the largest theological library in the Southern Hemisphere.

It also houses tutorial rooms, an assembly hall with the capacity to bring together the entire undergraduate student body in one space, and new purpose-built research and study spaces for students.
This building was opened
by
His Excellency General the Honourable
David Hurley AC DSC (Ret’d)
Governor of New South Wales
and
dedicated to the greater glory of God through the proclamation
of the gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ
by
The Most Reverend Dr Glenn Davies
Archbishop of Sydney
on
Saturday 11 February 2017

“For what we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as
Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus’ sake.”
(2 Cor 4:5)
OPENING OF THE LEARNING AND TEACHING CENTRE
Faculty

Mark D Thompson  Principal
BA (Macquarie), BTh, MTh (ACT), DPhil (Oxon)

Colin R Bale  Vice Principal
BA (UNSW), DipEd (Sydney), BTh (ACT), MLitt, PhD (Sydney)

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BA (UNSW), BD, MTh (Moore), PhD (Cantab)

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BSc (Med) (Sydney), BTh, MTh (ACT), PhD (Cantab)

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Emeritus Faculty

Paul W Barnett
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PhD (London), ThD (h.c.) (ACT)

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ThL (ACT), BD (London), MA (Sydney), DPhil (Oxon)

Peter T O’Brien
BD (London), PhD (Manchester), ThD (h.c.) (ACT)

David G Peterson
BA, MA (Sydney), BD (London), ThSchol (ACT),
PhD (Manchester)

Barry G Webb
BA, DipEd (Qld), BD (London), PhD (Sheffield)
Celebrating our Heritage

Marcus Loane Hall

Sir Marcus Lawrence Loane, KBE (14 October 1911 – 14 April 2009) graduated from Moore College in 1933. He began teaching at the College in 1935 and was appointed Vice Principal in 1939. He was Principal of the College from 1954–58. In 1958, he was appointed assistant bishop in the Diocese of Sydney and in 1966 he was elected Archbishop of Sydney. He was also Primate of Australia from 1978 until his retirement in 1982. Sir Marcus was the first Australian-born Archbishop of Sydney and also the first Australian-born archbishop in the Anglican Church of Australia. He was a prolific author and his works include several biographies.

Donald Robinson Library

Donald William Bradley Robinson AO was born in Sydney on 9 November 1922. He studied at North Sydney Boys High School, Sydney Church of England Grammar School, the University of Sydney, and Queen’s College, Cambridge. He was ordained in 1950 and served at St Matthew’s Manly before joining the faculty of Moore College in 1952. He became Vice Principal of the College in 1959, lecturing also at Sydney University. He was the chief architect of the approach to biblical theology which is now synonymous with the College and played a major role in the development of the College library into a world class resource. In 1973 he became Bishop of Parramatta and in 1982 was elected Archbishop of Sydney. He retired in 1993.
MOORE: CELEBRATING THE REFORMATION IN 2017

KEY DATES

Reformation Rally
18 March
Peter Adam, Peter Jensen and Simon Manchester

Justification Summit
26-27 May
Mark Thompson and others

Annual Moore College Lectures
4-11 August
Carl Trueman

Reformation Rally
26 August
Gerald Bray, Glenn Davies and Andrew Shead

School of Theology
13-14 September
Gerald Bray, Tim Patrick, Rhys Bezzant, Martin Foord, John McClean, Dean Zweck, Mark Thompson and Ed Loane
MOORE: CELEBRATING 500 YEARS OF THE REFORMATION IN 2017

PETER JENSEN ON TYNDALE
SIMON MANCHESTER ON LUTHER
PETER ADAM ON CRANMER

18 MARCH

Find out more: moore.edu.au/events
About Moore College

Jesus said, ‘The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.’ (Matthew 9:37–38)

Moore College exists to provide training for such labourers. The fundamental training needed is the knowledge and love of God. Moore College therefore exists to train men and women to preach, teach and pastor the knowledge and love of God in all the world.

For what we preach is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus’ sake. (2 Corinthians 4:5)

Governance

The Moore Theological College Council is incorporated under the Anglican Church Bodies Corporate Act 1938 and is constituted by the Moore Theological College Ordinance 2009. Under the Ordinance, the Council is charged with the provision of training for ordination candidates and other church workers.

The Council has a Governing Board. The members of the Governing Board of the College at February 2017 are:

The Most Rev Dr G N Davies (President)  The Rev Canon K M Kim
The Rev Dr M D Thompson (Principal)  The Rev G S L Koo
Mr K M Chapman  Student Representative (TBA)
Mr A E Clemens (Treasurer)  The Rev Dr E A Loane (Faculty Representative)
Assoc. Professor D R Cohen (Chair of Academic Board)  The Rev J L Ramsay
The Right Rev C Edwards  ADM Representative (vacant)
Dr W J Hurditch  Dr R Tong AM (Secretary)
Mr A J Killen  Dr D W Warren