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Masterclass

Inspiring, challenging and equipping students to think deeply about the Christian faith in today's world

Albany

Thursday 5 September, 2019

9.15am-2.30pm

**ALBANY BAPTIST CHURCH
20 Bethel Way, Albany**

This is a **FREE** one-day event for Christian students in years 9-11

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Jordan Thyer



Salt or salty?



Sarah French



Why is self-control so hard?



Elective Session

Choose from several great talks.



The students have come back with unity and vigour to live and speak the gospel with boldness.



Speakers and Topics



**Jordan
Thyer**

***RZIM Speaker,
Ravi Zacharias International Ministries***

Jordan grew up in the Perth hills and spent a lot of time outdoors with his three brothers. He worked as an engineer before studying at the Oxford Centre for Christian Apologetics. He is now a pastor and loves his wife Rachel, sports, food and dogs.

Salt or salty?

In our culture Christianity is increasingly viewed as restrictive and harmful, and Christians can be perceived as being 'salty' about everything pop-culture loves. So, what did Jesus mean when he told his disciples to be "salt of the earth"? What should this look like?



**Sarah
French**

***Director for Next Generations Ministry,
Riverton Baptist***

Sarah is learning to play the drums, plays the acoustic guitar and loves hanging out at the beach. She works at a Baptist church in Perth and keeps a skateboard in her office so she can skate in the carpark when no one else is around.

Why is self-control so hard?

Christians are called to be people who can demonstrate 'godly' character. So why is it so hard to grow in our character? Why is self-control so hard to come by, especially in those moments when we need it the most?

What is Masterclass?

Living out the Christian faith in today's world is not always easy for our young people. In a world of selfies, identity politics and 'fake news', Bible Society's Masterclass will inspire, challenge and equip **Christian students** by tackling the big questions: Does the Christian faith make sense? What does the Bible have to say about issues in our world? And what does it mean to live a bold Christian life that makes a real difference?

Masterclass is a one-day event for students in Years 9-11. Throughout the day, students will hear live engaging talks from two leading speakers:

a **missional talk** that encourages students to live out their faith, and a **topical talk** that explores contemporary issues from a Biblical perspective. In the third session, students will have the opportunity to choose a talk from a variety of great topics, delivered via video.

Masterclass also includes a popular **Q&A session**, giving students the freedom to ask our panel of speakers the searching questions about the Christian faith they've always wanted to ask.

This is a free event, wholly funded by Bible Society supporters.



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