**Guests** at this stage include

- Rev. Brian Shek, (LCA coordinator – Chinese ministry)
- Narelle Bowden-Ford (virtually) (ALWS).
- Other guest speakers to be advised

A key feature of this summer school will be the conversational pedagogy that respects the knowledge and learning we all bring to the table.

It will be important for all participants to bring the following:

- A list of ALL activities labeled ‘Service-Learning’ from your school site
- Your computer / iPad
- Any readings you have already undertaken that are worthwhile sharing

Registrations Opening

Friday 29th November 2013 via the LEQ website

www.leq.lutheran.edu.au

**.Details**

**Venue**

Lutheran Education Queensland
Conference Room
Level 2, 24 McDougall Street,
Milton. Qld. 4064

**Time**

9am – 3.30 pm each day
(registration from 8.30 am)

**Cost**

$140.00
Includes Morning Tea and Lunch each day and all work product

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Come to share, learn, and reflect. Capture a vision and build a school-wide approach and process that will work in your setting.

**SERVICE-LEARNING SUMMER SCHOOL**

16th and 17th January

Do Justly
Love
Mercy
Walk Humbly
Micah Six Eight
Invitation

LEQ Curriculum invites Principals and Service-Learning champions to attend a 2 Day Summer School to collegially grow our understanding of Service-Learning, its origins and links to Christian values. Staff skill-sets will be identified. There will be an opportunity to strategically plan and grow a school-wide approach to Service-Learning at your school.

The two days will have a practical focus, providing opportunity to undertake site-wide planning as well as become familiar with existing resources and tools.

Program

The Summer School will be shaped around 4 significant questions.

**DAY 1**

Q1. “What is Service-Learning?”
- Build common understandings
- Challenge misconceptions
- Examine our existing school practice.

Q2. “How are the origins of ‘service’ and ‘Service-Learning’ linked to Lutheran Education’s ethos and values?”
- Explore the origin and theology of Christian Service
  - Understand key features of the international Service-Learning movement.

Q3. “How can we develop our skill-set to lead this ‘field of learning’ in our schools?”
- Understanding local context and opportunities unique to your location
- Discover cross-cultural intelligence (CQ) and build awareness
- Growing a collaborative vision
- Network and build strong agency connections / partnerships (including church connections)
- Empower all to be active contributors.

Q4. “How do we develop processes of change in schools to grow a Service-Learning culture?”
- Develop processes based on our stories (Success and Challenge stories)
- Facilitate a site-wide Service-Learning approach suitable for your school.
- Plan for sustainability
- Identify and prepare for pitfalls

**DAY 2**

Service-Learning Champions (Principals are most welcome to attend)

This day will be a focused workshop day where a variety of tools and resources will be used to flesh out site-wide plans for 2014 and beyond for your school [as well as further tease out Day 1 topics].

Critical conversations about embedding Service-Learning in curriculum will take place. What does this mean for our practice and planning?

Various resources will be available including reference to LEA’s website, strategic planning tools and templates, readings and adult-education strategies.

How do we keep in touch and support one another?

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**But the needy will not always be forgotten, Nor the hope of the afflicted ever perish.**

Psalms 9:18 (NIV)