

SATURDAY SESSIONS

GROW & SHARE FAITH

IN REMEMBRANCE OF The Four Angels

 DIOCESE of PARRAMATTA

i4give

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You are invited to create community online as we gather to share and grow faith.

How to Prepare and Run a Session:

Read *Saturday Sessions 'How To' Guide* for information how to host a Saturday Session. This is available at <https://thewell.org.au/video/saturday-sessions-how-to-guide/>

Presentation:

Danny and Leila Abdullah
2020

Please visit the website <https://www.i4give.com/>

Scroll down to the bottom of the page where you will see 2 videos. The video on the left hand side titled, "Abdullah Family Interview" is the one we will focus on.

About the Presenter:

The story that you will hear in this viewing is confronting and may evoke emotions or memories for the viewer. Please be aware of how you are feeling as you watch this presentation and if needed, please stop the presentation.

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Daniel Abdallah said he wants i4give Day to become one when people can remember the four children but it may also help others who have suffered.

"We still feel pain and sorrow everyday, but forgiveness has helped to get rid of the anger and bitterness. It's helped us get through each day and make sure we are there for our other children," said Mr Abdallah.

Both families say this is about honouring their four little saints in heaven.

"Our four children are now our four saints and this day is for them. Forgiveness is the greatest gift you can give yourself and others. The more you practise the better you become at it and it allows you live peacefully and to heal." Leila Abdallah said.

The video shares Danny and Leila's story of pain and what forgiveness means to them.

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Questions to Ponder:

These questions are only a sample of the many questions that could be generated from the presentation. Use these questions or create your own questions for your small group.

1. What were you thinking?
2. What were you feeling?
3. What does forgiveness mean to you?
4. How does Danny and Leila's story speak to you?
5. What is the significance of forgiveness in our world?

Further Support:

If you would like further support to bring to life a Saturday Session, please contact Lisa at the Pastoral Planning Office at lisa.bright@parracatholic.org

For information about Zoom please contact the Pastoral Planning Office or you can watch a Zoom tutorial at <https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362033-Getting-Started-on-Windows-and-Mac>

The Pastoral Planning Office thanks you for your enduring faith, hope, love and commitment as we venture into the deep. We pray that you experience the peace and grace that our God offers and can be an ambassador of Christ's hope and peace to those you encounter and accompany.

Please contact the Pastoral Planning Office for support in all areas of pastoral ministry.

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