



# Frontier Services 100 Years Celebrations



*100 years ago, Frontier Services, previously known as the Australian Inland Mission (AIM), began its ministry to serve the people of the Inland.*

*Led by the Rev John Flynn, the AIM established a 'mantle of safety' across remote Australia - hospitals were built, the Royal Flying Doctor Service established and the pedal radio was invented. Celebrations are being held across Australia.*

## Alice Springs Program of Events

Held during National Trust Heritage Week

**14 April: Open Day: 9am to 1pm.**

Location: Adelaide House & John Flynn Memorial Church, Todd Mall.

Patrol Padre Bruce Plowman & Dick Gillen camel patrol re-enactment; Unveiling of Indigenous Languages signs; Adelaide House as living museum featuring period-costumed nurses, regular short talks, Birthday Cake for people born in Adelaide House.

**15 April: Doreen Braitling Memorial Lecture: 3pm.**

Location: Andy McNeil Room, Alice Springs Town Council, Todd Mall. Free Entry. Afternoon Tea provided

National Trust Heritage Week's flagship event. Speaker: Max Griffiths, successor to Rev Fred McKay as Superintendent of the AIM.

**19 April: The Flynn Legacy in Modern Times 12.30 sharp.**

Location: Adelaide House, BYO lunch.

Would an Inland state be better for the Outback than the artificial borders the Territory currently has? A history discussion by professional historian, Megg Kelham.

**21 April: AIM Centenary Dinner: 6pm.**

Location: Old Timers Village. Dress for the weather. Tickets \$35 per person available from Adelaide House (08 89 521 856).

**22 April: AIM Centenary Service: 9am.**

Location: John Flynn Memorial Church - Todd Mall

Open-air service. Theme; *Looking Back & Looking Forward - What does it mean to serve the people of the Inland over the next 100 years?*

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