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## **Submission of ACLE Abstract:**

Boosting your Faith Connections

A workshop by Jo Jones

Jo Jones is a trained teacher who has taught in Lutheran Schools for the past 18 years. She has also trained and worked for Faith Inkubators Australia. Jo is now the LCA's Grow Ministries' Resource Coordinator. Jo's main role is to develop new resources, provide training opportunities and support and equip parents and ministry leaders in their role as faith nurturer of our children and young people.

This workshop will showcase and launch the Children's Ministry resource—**Faith Connections**. Jo will demonstrate this resource and offer practical ways for it to be used in your school and classroom.

In Today's world we find our children and young people connect very easily with technology but sometimes find it hard to connect with friends, family and God. Children, parents and teachers can all struggle to understand the stories of the Bible and enjoy the confidence of sharing God's love with others. Faith Connections aims to help and equip teachers, parents and students to overcome their fears and help to build stronger faith connections?

As Christian teachers, we are asked to present classroom devotions and whole school worship that help students, parents and peer teachers connect with God. Faith Connections is a set of resources that will provide tools for classroom devotions and whole school worship sessions. We hope these sessions will help you to connect with each other and God on a daily basis. Let us help you to help others use their mind, body and heart to keep connected to God in life and faith.

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