



Uniting Church in Australia
SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS
Sunday 19 June 2016
Pentecost 5

Reflection

We read in newspapers and see on television, stories of people displaced by war, or famine or by the deeds of inhumane Governments. Refugees come from so many different countries and extreme situations. Are they just words in newsprint or remote pictures on TV to us? Have we become immune to their plight?

Jesus became a refugee and had no place to call his own. He knew what it was like to be hounded out of his own country and homeless. He, too, knew what it was like to be a stranger in a strange land and felt the anger and the misunderstanding of the people around Him. He also felt the rejection of those who were close to Him.

Almighty and merciful God, whose own Son became a refugee, have mercy on those who are fleeing from danger, who are homeless and hungry.

May I be inspired to be generous with my resources and my time, so that I may see where I can help and be able to bring those who seek refuge some relief.

Amen

My heart and arms need to be open to those who flee to this country. Give of my time and my possession to help those who really require so little. Befriend someone who is lonely and afraid in this, a strange land.

From UC E-News

Welcome to Seacliff Uniting Church!

If you are new to the area, visiting friends or family, or on a holiday, to you we extend a warm welcome, and invite you to share fully in worship and fellowship.

Our Minister is Peter Moss ☎ 8381 2943

This Week at Seacliff

Movie Mates

6.45pm Tuesday 21st June

Women's Night Fellowship.

6.30pm Wednesday 22nd June

What's News

Women's Night Fellowship.

Our meeting together on the **22nd June**, is our half-yearly dinner which is to be at the **Marion Sports Club** on **Sturt Rd, Marion** and we will meet at **6:30 pm** for our meal. If you have not told Von you are to be there please make sure you do so today as she will be confirming the numbers on Monday. Look forward to seeing you there.

Von

Election Day Stall

Now that our Book Sale and Stall are over, I thank all who supported this occasion and made it the usual success.

The Women's Day Fellowship raised \$500 which will be spent wisely I'm sure. Now we have our plants in pots ready for the Plant Stall and we are hoping you can help us stock a Cake and Produce Stall for Election Day on **2nd July**. These Stalls raise a large amount of money for us so we need lots of jams, biscuits, cakes and any fruit and vegetables you may have to spare for us. Please note that all home made goods must have a list of ingredients on them and be packed ready for sale and marked with the price. If you are supplying fruit it would be appreciated by those who are serving ,if it was pre bagged and marked as the mornings especially can be rather hectic.

Thank you. Von.

Changes to Takeus2 Program - Reminder

Just a note to confirm the changes to the Takeus2 Program to better suit us all; the revised schedule now is:

July 3 Hardings and Listers, Iceland and Switzerland

Aug 7th Bottings Stuart Highway

Aug 28 Greigs/Gepps Bicycle Journeys in SA and NZ

Oct 2nd Cravens Myanmar

(And we are over half way so I am already on the lookout for hosts for next year's Program please)

David

Movie Mates

The movie for this coming Tuesday evening is **“*Hunt for the Wilderpeople*”** – “Ricky (Julian Dennison) is a defiant young city kid who finds himself on the run with his cantankerous foster uncle (Sam Neill) in the wild New Zealand bush. A national manhunt ensues, and the two are forced to put aside their differences and work together to survive in this hilarious and heartfelt adventure.” **7.00pm session at Event Cinemas Marion.** Gather at the usual place around 6.45pm. Contact Lyn(8381 2943) for more info.

COGS AND COFFEE

Wednesday was a great day for a ride, a bit of warmth in the air made all the difference. We went along the coast to the Torrens, up the bike track next to the Torrens, then coffee at the weir, which was great sitting in the sun. Home along the Westside bike track which most had not ridden.

For next weeks ride meet a Wattle Reserve for a ride to Outer Harbour at 8.30am. All welcome. Brian

Beyond Seacliff

WINTER WARMER CONCERT CANCELLED

Due to competing events and lack of support, it has become necessary to CANCEL this concert, which had been planned to take place at Hallett Cove Uniting Church for the afternoon of Saturday 25 June. Apologies for any inconvenience.

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The Corner Garage Sale

The Corner Uniting Church, corner Oaklands & Diagonal Roads, Warradale **25 June 2016 9:00am - 1:00pm.**

Event details: Come grab a bargain and enjoy a sausage and cold drink, or cuppa and scones at The Corner Garage Sale.

Lots of wonderful stalls, including cakes, plants, clothes, books, toys and more. Fun for the whole family!

Worship Leader for Today : Max Howland

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Ps 42 and 43 Gal 3:23-29 Lk 8:26-39.

Reminder for Stewards : 26.6.2016

Brian Gepp

Pauline Galliford

Welcome to our Church.

There are a few things you need to know especially if you are a visitor. **Fire exits** are marked. Please take note. In the case of an emergency evacuation please gather on the Western Lawns under the Pine Tree.

St John First Aid Kit - on top of the pigeon holes up from the ramp.

Toilets are available through the door front right of the Worship Area or out through the turn around point on the ramp.

Morning tea is held after the service – we hope you will join with us. Children normally leave for the children’s programme after the children’s talk during the Service. More information is available from the Steward’s Table and displays scattered around “The Middle Hall”.

Items for the Newsletter

Please email items to.

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by 9.30am on Wednesdays. If

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forwarded for you.

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