



Uniting Church in Australia
SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS
Sunday 28 August 2016
Pentecost 15

Gospel

Jesus said, "When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbours, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous." **Luke 14: 12-14**

For prayer and reflection...

Our search for God and our service to others will never be conducted in a neat world. Life will never submit to our good intentions, will never fall in line, will never stand still long enough to do our bidding. Life will never cease to be a messy affair, and our spiritual journey will never be reduced to a tidying-up operation. God and the others don't wait to enter our life until we have put it all in order. Our journey ... is about finding God and serving others in the midst of the mess. The messiest place of all will be our own soul, our own life, which, despite our best efforts, will insist on remaining human. And it is into this mess, this confusion, that God and others will invite themselves.

John Kirvan 'Silent Hope'

SA Council of Churches

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

**TakeUs2
M&M'S**

**Tonight 6.00pm Sunday 28th August
10.00am Friday 2nd September**

What's News

TakeUs2 tonight

David Greig & Brian Gepp are taking us on a bike riding adventure tonight. Come along at 6pm and enjoy a meal before the adventure.

The evening commences at **6pm** in the middle hall.

Remembrance Service - Saturday 3 September

A gentle remembrance service will be held at **Brighton Uniting Church on Saturday 3 September** for all who wish to remember an aspect of fathers or fathering.

The event will begin **at 4pm**, and will provide an opportunity for people to remember a father, a child or a significant person, or simply to ponder life.

For more information please contact Rev Dianna Muir on 8298 6528.

Cogs "n" Coffee.

This past week's ride, which happened to coincide with a lovely winters day, was down to Willunga. Ten of us took to the pedals and enjoyed the great ride especially through the vineyards.

Coffee was at the old Golden Fleece service station where much time was spent hearing of the dangers of leaving your car unlocked in a strange town, or how to try and master the intricacies of a new phone.

For next week's ride, we will meet at Wattle Reserve at 8.30am for a ride to check on the progress of the O-barn project through the East Parklands.

All welcome

Brian 0439977576

Beyond Seacliff

KCO 2016 10 September 2016 - 11 September 2016

Directions : 20 Wattle Drive, McCracken.

Event details

Theme: *Burst - Life with Jesus*

Venue: Adare Camping and Caravan Park, Victor Harbor SA

We are really excited to announce the 2016 KCO theme as Burst – Life with Jesus. We will explore how God is the author of new life and wants us to have new life as burst by Jesus. This is about beginning again, excitement, refreshment, freedom, energy and faith in Jesus.

This theme stems from KCO being held in the season of Spring in 2016 but also how KCO itself is starting afresh. This year of transition sees KCO growing out of what has always been and growing in a new way. Melissa, Email kco@sa.uca.org.au

Hymns for Times and Seasons - launch of new hymn book
Pilgrim Uniting Church 12 Flinders Street, Adelaide

Event details

Rev Don Bell has collaborated for several years, writing hymns with musician Maarten Ryder. Don's thoughtful words are rich with theological meaning, and Maarten's music is composed for community singing.

The launch of their compilation of hymns (published by MediaCom) will take place on Friday 2 September at 7.30pm at Pilgrim Uniting Church. The entrance cost is \$10, which includes a copy of the book. All welcome!

Family Tracing Service

Family Tracing Service is a service provided by The Salvation Army. It is a service that exists to assist family members connect with family that they have either become estranged from or have never met for a variety of reasons. We seek to restore family relationships by tracing relatives and assist where possible with reunion and reconciliation. Enquiries to Nicola Brewer Ph: 8408 6950 or E: nicola.brewer@aus.salvationarmy.org

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Worship Leaders for Today : Rev. Peter Moss

Aug 28 2016 Pent 15 : Jer 2:4-13 Ps 81:1,

Heb 13:1-8, 15-16 Lk 14:1, 7-14 ..

Reminder for Stewards : 4.9.2016

Brian Gepp

Richard Lane

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

you do not have access to email,

please phone or call in at the

church office and it will be

forwarded for you.

Contact Details – Peter Moss

Peter is at the office in Wheatland House - Tuesdays, Fridays, and usually

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