



Uniting Church in Australia
SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS
Sunday 2 October 2016
Pentecost 20

Gospel

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. "Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink'? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'"

Luke 17:5-10

For prayer & 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'*

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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

Take us 2
M&M'S

Tonight 6.00pm Sun 2nd October
10am Friday 7th October

What's News

Planned Giving Programme for 2016

Now that we are subjected to daylight saving time and the weather will eventually turn warmer we approach the end of the year. We begin to think of Christmas and plan for the events leading up to and how to progress through the festive season. The Church too, is in a phase of planning, one part of many being the Planned Giving Programme.

In the coming week, correspondence will be distributed to the congregation for your information pertaining to the programme and we ask that you spend some time going through it and giving it due consideration. Our aim is for the congregation to have their envelope hand delivered.

Tim Hisgrove - Convenor

Take us 2 Sun 2nd Oct.

'On the road to Mandalay' or 'Last night in Yangon'

Annette and Geoff would like to take you on a journey across Myanmar (Burma) tonight, Sunday 2nd of October, starting at 6:00pm and finishing at 9:00pm.

Enjoy a bowl of soup and friendly conversation before meeting the beautiful Burmese people and sharing the rustic countryside.

Please bring a friend.

Geoff and Annette Craven

Seacliff Church Camp Nearly Here!

October is the month for our Annual Church Camp at Adare, Victor Harbor.. **Date: Friday 21st October - Sunday 23rd** .

Please put the date in your diary for prayerful support or a day attendance in support of all who are attending this key event in our church calendar.

Beyond Seacliff

Adare Uniting Church 60th Celebrations

Adare Uniting Church Victor Harbor Drive, Victor Harbor. 5211
15 October 2016 7:30pm

Event details

Adare Uniting Church in Victor Harbor is celebrating 60 years of service, going forward in faith.

Anniversary events will be held on Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 October. A free concert will be held in the church on Saturday 15 October at 7.30pm.

A thanksgiving service will be held in the church on Sunday 16 October at 10am, to be followed by a light luncheon in the hall. Please RSVP using the details below by Friday 7 October for catering.

For more information

Contact Faye Anderson

Phone 0408 812 550 or email info@adarechurch.org.au

Aussie BBQ

The Corner Uniting Church corner Oaklands & Diagonal Roads, Warradale 16 October 2016 12:00pm

Event details

Join The Corner Uniting Church for a great Aussie BBQ to raise funds for Frontier Services in South Australia who support families and communities living in remote areas.

A BBQ lunch of meat and salad will be followed by ice cream in a cone, cordial, tea and coffee plus great entertainment - all for the bargain price of \$5 per person.

Don't forget to come dressed for the occasion - Akubras, jeans, swaggie hats, etc. Come along and learn about the wonderful work of Frontier Services!

If possible, please RSVP for catering purposes using the contact email or number below.

For more information

Phone 8350 5400 or email administration@thecorner.org.au

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Worship Leaders for Today : Rev. Peter Moss HC

Oct 2 2016 Pent 20 [27] Lam 1:1-6 Lam 3:19-26

2 Tim 1:1-14 Lk 17:5-10 .

Reminder for Stewards : 9.10.2016

Pearl Wood

Von Bollinger

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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churchoffice @adam.com.au

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

Wednesday or Thursday mornings;

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office, you are welcome to ring him at

home and leave a message if he's not

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