



**Uniting Church in Australia**  
**SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS**  
**Sunday 9 June 2019**  
**Day of Pentecost**

**ARRIVING LATE AT PENTECOST**

We arrived late at  
Pentecost,  
after the fun was over,  
Peter's sermon finished,  
the baptisms completed,  
and the minutes written.

What was there left?  
Let this be recorded  
for any who, as they read,  
employ their ears  
as much as their eyes:

We found a communal Gift,  
priceless yet free  
in that heartwood where  
the Carpenter had carved  
a vacant space.

This Gift we found  
filling that Christ-hollow  
(at the end of the day  
when the curious had gone  
home to their boredom)

Was the Soul of love;  
not the old stuff, hedged  
with conditions and exemptions,  
but a new joy-love ready  
to embrace the world.

*Bruce Prewer.... .. Used with permission.*

**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 until 23.6. 2019, is Rev. Gary Stuckey.

# **This Week at Seacliff**

## **Women's Night F/ship 7.30pm Wed. 12<sup>th</sup> June**

### **What's News**

**We welcome Peter and Di Russell as they lead our worship here at Seacliff this morning.**

#### **WOMENS NIGHT FELLOWSHIP**

Our next meeting is on **Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm** when we will be having a fun night of "Games" which will be organized by the Social Committee. Devotions and Supper are in the hands of the *Yellow Group*.

We will be getting the numbers for our Mid Year Dinner, which is on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June** at the Marion Sports Club at 6.30pm, on this night as well. Come along and enjoy some good company.

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Caption. Time trialers ladies turn.

#### **Cogs n Coffee**

Eleven of us went to the velodrome at Edwardstown to give it a try. One circuit of the track was half a kilometer and an ebike did the journey in 58 seconds, normal bikes were just over the minute mark. On to Nth Adelaide for coffee afterwards.

Next weeks ride - meet at the church for ride to old Reynalla.

Brian

#### **Prayer Points for the week from UC e-News**

##### **Presbytery Restructure**

We pray for every congregation and faith community within the Uniting Church to discern wisely on their future Presbytery needs. That they follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit and be open to what God is doing in and through the Presbytery restructure.

## This weekend

Just a reminder that the "Big Book Sale" is on this weekend – Continuing this Sunday, 11-4 and Monday 11-3.

Each year it raises money towards the vital work of chaplains in our local schools.

Attached is a flyer with all the details and a voucher for a free book of your choice up to the value of \$4.

COME ALONG AND ENJOY BROWSING THROUGH THE BOOKS AND OTHER ITEMS.

# Big Book Sale

## Seacliff Uniting Church

Wheatland Street, Seacliff

This long weekend

Saturday 9-4

Sunday 11-4

Monday 11-3



A **huge range** of secondhand and nearly new books, sorted and priced at \$6 or less.

## Free Book Voucher



Present this voucher and choose one free secondhand book of your choice up to the value of \$4.

Limit one per person, and original voucher must be presented.

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Worship Leaders for Today: Peter and Di Russell  
Lectionary for Today: 9th June 2019: **Acts 2: 1-21;**  
**Ps 104: 24-34, 35b ; Rom 8: 14-17; Jn 14: 8-17.**  
Reminder for Stewards: **16 .6. 2019**  
Dave Rickard                      Brian Gepp

### **Welcome to our Church.**

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. More information is available from the Steward's Table and displays scattered around "The Middle Hall".

### **Items for the Newsletter**

Please email items to  
[newsletter@seacliffuc.org](mailto:newsletter@seacliffuc.org)  
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.

Interim Ministerial oversight is in the care of Rev. Gary Stuckey.

**Gary's mobile no. is 0488 017 187.**

### **Church Office Information**

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9.30am – 12.30pm

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