

Uniting Church in Australia SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS Sunday 13 October 2019 Pentecost 18

# Jesus Heals Ten Men With Leprosy

<sup>11</sup> Now on his way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. <sup>12</sup> As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy<sup>[a]</sup> met him. They stood at a distance <sup>13</sup> and called out in a loud voice, "Jesus, Master, have pity on us!"

<sup>14</sup> When he saw them, he said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed.

<sup>15</sup> One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. <sup>16</sup> He threw himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him—and he was a Samaritan.

<sup>17</sup> Jesus asked, "Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine? <sup>18</sup> Has no one returned to give praise to God except this foreigner?" <sup>19</sup> Then he said to him, "Rise and go; your faith has made you well."

#### 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 Rev. Gary Stuckey. Gary is on two weeks leave from 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. to Tuesday Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>. 2019.

This Week at SeacliffTakeUs2Tonight6.45pm Sunday 13th OctoberMovieMatesTime TBA Tuesday 15th OctoberMen's Dinner6.30pm Wednesday 16th OctoberWomen's Day Fellowship1.30pm Thurs 17th OctoberM&M's10am Friday 18th October

# What's News



## TakeUs2

Tonight, we are going **to Iceland with the Wilsons**. We will count the hands this morning. I will also announce the hosts for the November meeting and invite offers to be on the Program for our 10<sup>th</sup> year. *David* 

## **Church Dinner cost**

We have had a new price quoted for our Church Dinner on December 4<sup>th</sup>, \$40 instead of \$50! Everyone who has paid already is hereby offered a refund of the \$10 difference and we are also suggesting another (default) option which is for that \$10 to remain in the Dinner Account and to be employed if required, as a contribution towards enabling someone to come who doesn't have the funds available. Please let Annette and Geoff know which option you prefer and whether you are (or know) someone who might be able to (confidentially) use such a subsidy. *P.S. there will be a further notice about 'entertainment' in due course.* CC Exec

# Men's Dinner

The next Men's Dinner will be held on Wednesday **16<sup>th</sup>October** at the **Flagstaff Hotel, South Rd. Darlington**. Meet at 6.30 pm for 7.00. For further information, or if you need a ride, please contact Ray on 0434 825 038. Ray

# Cogs n Coffee

Last Wed ride was to Grange, where we helped Bruce celebrate his birthday. Next week at 8.30am, meet at shops near Warradale train station for a ride through National Park and then on to Sue's for lunch, non riding partners are most welcome to join for lunch. Contact Brian for details. Brian

# "Killing this planet is against my religion'

I saw this on a placard at the recent Climate Rally and it reminded me that some of us have talked about the possibility of starting a local 'Environmental Action Group'. If we choose to do so, this group would join with many other groups around the world with the aim to 'think globally and act locally.'

I suggest that we spend a few weeks thinking and talking about what sort of local action we could take as part of our Christian mission and that we meet at about **11am on Sunday October 20** to see if there is sufficient interest to take further steps in this direction. David

# **Climate Change Action**

Many people are concerned about inadequate action from our leaders in tackling climate change. Most are thinking what they can do to make a difference. Well here is a way to do something without leaving home. All you need to do is to sign a petition on the Australian Parliament website. Just turn on your computer or smartphone and go

to <u>https://www.aph.gov.au/petition\_list?id=EN1041</u> where you will see the petition wording and an opportunity to add your name. The petition closes on !6 October 2019 so be quick. More than 206,000 people had signed as of 3 October 2019. Warwick

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Worship Leader for Today: **Max Howland** Lectionary for Today **13 October 2019: Jer 1: 1, 4 -7; Ps 66: 1-12 ; 2 Tim 2: 8 – 15 ; Lk 17: 11 -19.** 

Reminder for Stewards:**29 .10. 2019**Margaret T uckerVon Bollinger

#### ,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 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.

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