

Uniting Church in Australia SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS Sunday 22 November 2020

CHRIST THE KING



Psalm 100

A psalm. For giving grateful praise.

- ¹Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.
- Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.
- ³ Know that the Lord is God.

 It is he who made us, and we are hisa; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.
- ⁴Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.
- ⁵ For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.

Church Office Closure

The Church Office has closed for the current Lockdown period. The phone will be monitored remotely so messages can be left, emails sent to office@seacliffuc.org will also be monitored. Our church website will be continually updated with the weekly newsletter and monthly Outlook keeping us informed of our church life.

What's News SUSPENSION OF WORSHIP SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES DUE TO NEW COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS

"As always, the spiritual, physical and emotional health of our church community members is paramount."

Bronte Wilson, Moderator. November 18, 2020 The following decisions were made by Seacliff Church Leaders in conjunction with Synod and SA Government to keep our Community safe and comfortable:

- Sunday Morning Worship Services will be suspended for the next 2 Sundays (22nd and 29th) or until we are informed that it is safe to go back to face to face worship.
- Printed Worship Resources and Notices will be emailed during the week.
- All meetings and activities held in our church buildings will be suspended for the immediate future.
- Seacliff UC Christmas Dinner planned for Wednesday November 25 will now be rescheduled to a date yet to be decided.
- The **Annual Congregation meeting** planned for Sunday November 29 will be deferred until the New Year.
- The Church Office is closed until further notice.
- Pastoral Care If you need to talk to someone during this time please don't hesitate to contact a friend, one of our Church leaders or Rev. Gary Stuckey. Please keep caring, connecting and communicating with each other.

Annette Craven

CogsNCoffee

12 of us did the ride down the Sturt Creek to the Henley Yatch club for our coffee. There was plenty of shade and chairs available. The following hot weather policy was agreed. Rides will now commence at 8.00am from designated places. If the days predicted temp the night before is 36C or above, the ride is cancelled. Cheers.

Church Centenary Celebrations

One of the proposed features of our Centenary Celebrations next May is some displays of "Our Sunday Best Through the Ages. To assist with this we are looking for hats and gloves that would have been worn to Church between 1920 and 2020 - Night Fellowship Group had a "Hat Evening" last year so we hope to be able to build on that.

If you have a hat(s) or gloves which you, your parents or grandparents wore to church and you are willing to lend them to us for display please contact me on **0412 882 165** and I will arrange to collect them for safe keeping and to ensure that they are safely returned to you after the event.

In addition, we are looking for photographs of you, your parents, family, friends in their Sunday best during those 100 years.

We would also like to display photographs of weddings conducted in the church during that time and those very special "going away clothes".

We ask that you identify people in the photographs and check with them that they consent to the photo being used in the display. Also indicate an approximate date using the six-figure format (YYMMDD)_ – i.e. 18 December 1945 would be 451218. We are also looking for photographs for inclusion in the book which David Greig is compiling as a souvenir of our celebrations. In particular we are looking for photographs relating to Sunday School, sports teams, serving Ministers, property development, activity groups and Church camps.

Hard copy photographs can be placed in envelopes in my pigeon hole clearly marked with details of the owner; or scanned and emailed to me at nekzus1@gmail.com

Thank you for your support of these initiative for our special celebration.

Blessings Marg Davidson
Church Centenary Planning Committee

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Sunday morning worship suspended see Church website Lectionary for Today: 22 November 2020: Ez 34: 11 – 16,

20-24; **Ps 100**; **Eph 1**: **15 - 23**; **Mt 25**: **31 - 46**. Reminder for Stewards: 29 November 2020

Roster suspended until advised due to Covid Restrictions

,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. According to our Covid plan, please note the seating arrangements within the building for your safety.

Items for the Newsletter

Please email items to newsletter@seacliffuc.org by 5pm 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.

Our Minister is Rev. Gary Stuckey. Contact:

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Church Office Information

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