



Uniting Church in Australia
SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS
Sunday 16 April 2023
EASTER 2



Praise to God for a Living Hope

1 Pt 1: 3 – 9

³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy, he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶ In all this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials.

These have come so that the proven genuineness of your faith—of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire — may result in praise, glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed.

⁸ Though you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and are filled with an inexpressible and glorious joy,⁹ for you are receiving the end result of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

This Week.

MovieMates

Time TBA Tuesday 18th April

Men's Dinner

6.30pm Wednesday 19th April

M&M's

10am Friday 21st April

What's News

Minister's Leave

Gary will be on leave from Wednesday 12th to 26th of April. If any particular needs arise please contact a member of Church Council.

Gary

A Big Thank You!

Easter is a very special time in the church's life and there is much to do in planning, preparing, and presenting the worship over that time. In our services this year you would have seen the result of the efforts of many people.

So, I would like to express my deepest thank you to all those who in any way helped make this Easter special. Your involvement is greatly appreciated.

Gary Stuckey (Rev)

Men's Dinner for April

The next Men's Dinner has been booked at the Morphett Arms Hotel, 138 Morphettville Road, Glengowrie, for **Wednesday 19th April**. Meet **6.30pm for a 7pm start**. For information or transport, call Dene Goldsack on 8296 1046.

Dene

Pipe Organ recital – Newland Memorial Uniting Church

Those of us with an interest in or liking for pipe organ music are invited to a recital by John Higgins **today** at **2pm** at the Newland Memorial Uniting Church in Victor Harbor. John will present a musical journey from Palm Sunday to Resurrection. A retiring offering will be received in support of the organ fund.

Assembly Act2 programme

Many, many thanks for the contributions of the many people who engaged with the surveys. There'll be a report back to the congregation to let you know what the survey revealed!!

Max



Yorkshire

Take Us 2

Join Rosemary on a journey through the UK and Wales on **Sunday 30th April at 6 pm**. Visit the Lakes District, Yorkshire and more in an evening that will share travel tales and a light meal.

Cogs n' Coffee

On Wednesday, seven riders undeterred by overnight rain or gusty winds rode to coffee at The Velo Precinct, Victoria Park. Next Wednesday, mystery ride with details per SMS Monday.

Bruce

Cabaret in May

The Lions Club of Marion City is holding a fundraising cabaret at Seacliff Uniting Church on **Saturday 20 May from 7 to 10pm**. Come and listen to the music of The City of Holdfast Bay Concert Band with half time entertainment from the wonderful Monteverdi Singers.

Cost is \$25 per person with complementary tea and coffee. BYO drinks and nibbles. Money raised will go towards helping the hungry and homeless. Tickets are available from Alan Botting 0418849101.

Alan

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Worship Leaders for Today: Max Howland
Lectionary for Today: **16 April 2023: Act 2: 14a, 22 - 32;**
Ps 16; 1 Pt 1: 3 - 9; Jn 20: 19 - 31.
Reminder for Stewards: 23 April 2023
Colin Theakstone Bob Heywood

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.au
by 5pm on Wednesdays.
If you do not have access to email, please phone the church office and it will be forwarded for you.

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