

Uniting Church in Australia SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS Sunday 23 June 2024 PENTCOST 5



Jesus Calms the Storm

³⁵ That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, "Let us go over to the other side."³⁶ Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. ³⁷ A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. ³⁸ Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?"

³⁹ He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.
⁴⁰ He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?" ⁴¹ They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!"

This Week.

Adult Fellowship 12.30 pm Wed. 26th June What's News

Minister's leave

Please note, Gary will be taking the last of his leave from June 10 - 24. If there are any situations which need attention, especially of a pastoral matter, please refer it to a member of Church Council. *Gary Stuckey (Rev)*

Farewell Lunch

A farewell **shared** lunch for Gary and Marilyn will be held on **Sunday July 28**th after Gary's last worship service. This will be an opportunity for the Seacliff Community to say goodbye to the Stuckey family. Please put this date in your diary. A food and kitchen helpers' roster will be organized closer to the date.



Adult Fellowship

WEDNESDAY, 26th JUNE – **OUR MID YEAR LUNCHEON** AT MARION CLUB. 262 Sturt road, Marion. Meet at **12.30pm**, please let me know asap whether you will be attending as numbers will need to be finalised with the venue. Marilyn Stuckey will be our guest at the luncheon. I already have a few apologies for the luncheon including Debbie who is on her way to Japan. *Rosemary*

Cogs n' Coffee

Went to Mitsubishi for our Coffee on Wed. and then via Sturt Creek to Glenelg. Rode along the coast for our trip home. Meet at 8.30am at Wattle Reserve for next week's ride. Brian

Notes from the Treasurer

1, From time to time our people wish to make donations to our Mission Projects (i.e. first Sundays) or for other reasons. For this purpose please put the money in an envelope labelled with the intended 'destination' and into the Offering Bowl **OR** if you prefer, directly into our Bank Account (BSB. 015 220, Acc. 603002697), again showing the destination, or it will be simply gratefully accepted as a general Offering.

2. My thanks again to those willing helpers who moved all of the 'leftover' books out of the Middle Hall last Wednesday afternoon. We will no longer need to send any of these to Yellow Bins for recycling, instead Yaga will get them to people in PNG. David

From UCA e - News

This week we pray:

- For the protection of all innocent civilians caught up in conflicts across the world
- For the Uniting Church as it celebrates its 47th birthday may we give thanks for God's graceful guidance and blessings
- For our relationships with others may we be kind, patient, and loving in our interactions, and seek to resolve conflicts with grace.

Red Dove Cafe

At the royal Adelaide show **31st August to 8TH** September 2024. Most of you know the Uniting Church has for many years_ operated a café at the Royal Adelaide Show.

If you are interested in volunteering your time to prepare food and serve in the café, speak to one of the members of our congregation who have done it in the past – e.g Brian, Heather, Andrew, Ruth, Annette, Geoff, Maxine, Warwick.

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 Worship Leader for Today: Brian Gepp

 Lectionary for Today: 23 June 2024: 1 Sm 17: (1a, 4 – 11, 19 - 23), 32 - 49; Ps 133; 2 Cor 6: 1 - 13; Mk 4: 35 - 41.

 Reminder for Stewards: 30 June 2024

 Dennis Wood
 Geoff Craven

Welcome to our Church.

Things you need to know, especially if you are a visitor. <u>Fire exits</u> are marked. Please take note. In the case of an emergency evacuation please gather on the Western Lawns under the Pine Tree. <u>St John First Aid Kit</u> - on top of the pigeon holes up from the ramp. <u>Toilets</u> are available through the door front right of the Worship Area or out through the turn around point on the ramp. <u>Morning tea</u> 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.

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