



Uniting Church in Australia
SEACLIFF WEEKLY NEWS
Sunday 8 September 2024
PENTCOST 16



Frontier Services
Standing with people in the bush

Our Bush Chaplains are constantly on the road spanning 86% of the country; visiting people on isolated properties, Aboriginal communities, mine sites and small communities

For some women in remote areas, their Bush Chaplain is their only source of support.

We connect skilled volunteers with people in remote Australia who could use a helping hand. With more than 1200 volunteers from various backgrounds, we share a passion for 'giving back'

We update our readers on our activities and the people we work with, across remote Australia. Frontier News has its origins in a publication written by Rev John Flynn called "The Inlander"

This Week.

Adult Fellowship 1.30 pm Wed. 11th September

What's News

Worship today – Frontier Services

Today we welcome **Janet Woodward** to Seacliff, to lead us in worship and tell us about the work of Frontier Services (the UCA iteration of the work started by Rev John Flynn).

Janet is secretary of UCFAMS (Uniting Church Fellowship and Mission Support), which supports Frontier Services as one of its core activities.

As advised last week, we are all invited to make a special offering today for the work of Frontier Services, which is one of our official Mission Projects for the second part of this year.

Welcome, Janet! We're looking forward to the stories and news you have for us.

Max

Men's Dinner for September

This month, we meet at the **Flagstaff Hotel, Main South Road, Darlington**, on **Wednesday 18th** at 6.30pm. for 7pm. For further information or transport requirements, contact Dene Goldsack on 8296 1046.

Dene

Cogs N coffee

On a day of strong Northerlies seven of us ground our way to Semaphore, whilst three said fair enough at Grange. It was a delightful ride home.

Next weeks ride, meet at the Warradale shops at 8.30am. *Brian*

ADULT FELLOWSHIP - Wednesday 11th September

I've had only a few responses to my emails about the movies.

A few people are interested in seeing *Thelma* at Glenelg at 2.15 pm and 1pm, *BeetleJuice BeetleJuice* and that is fine.

If you would prefer to play board games in the hall from 1.30 pm Debbie will organise that.

Rosemary



Craft Display Day

On Thursday, 26th September come and enjoy the stunning display of Arts and Crafts produced every Thursday. Entry gold coin donation to the Worship Centre. Morning tea, light lunch and coffee cart available from 9.00 am – 1.00 pm. A variety of stalls with items for sale will be available in the hall. Westbourne Park Uniting Church, 27 Sussex Terrace, Hawthorn. *UC E- News*

Prayer Points from UC E-News

This week we pray:

- For all charitable organisations around the world that work tirelessly to support those in need; we ask for blessings upon their work, so they can continue to serve communities effectively and compassionately
- For all experiencing acute distress and suicidal thoughts, may we reach out and be a source of support and encouragement during difficult times
- For peace and healing in regions affected by conflict, disaster and other crises.

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Worship Leader for Today: Janet Woodward

Lectionary for Today: 8 September 2024: Prv 22: 1 - 2, 8 - 9, 22 - 23; Ps: 125; Jas 2:1 - 10,14 - 17; Mk 7: 24 - 37.

Reminder for Stewards: 15 September 2024

Pauline Galliford Margaret Tucker

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.

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 contact the church office and it will be forwarded for you.

We do not currently have a Minister in Placement.

If you wish to receive a **pastoral visit**, contact Annette on 0438 664 100.

If you wish to **speak to a minister**, contact Rev Jim at 0418 841 476.

For all general matters other than pastoral care, please contact the **Church Office** as follows:

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