



**WESTERN HEIGHTS UNITING CHURCH**  
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### ***Our Purpose***

**Loving God: Growing Together, Partnering Community, Sharing Faith**



### **SAFE CHURCH**

Western Heights Uniting Church is committed to the safety, protection and well-being of all children and young people from all forms of abuse and neglect. We will make every effort to provide an environment of safety and support. All key leaders have completed a Working With Children Check. Western Heights UC has adopted the Synod "Keeping Children Safe" policy.

**SUNDAY MARCH 14 2021**

*We welcome you to today's service at  
Western Heights Uniting Church*

**Notice Sheet Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 –10.00am Worship**

**Please Pray for: ...**

*those continually in our thoughts and prayers:*

Jan Davey

Church Council

*those with special needs:*

**Birthdays:** Tim Hunt 19<sup>th</sup>  
Robert Van Zetten 20<sup>th</sup>

*The congregation at Western Heights offers prayerful support of its members and others in a number of ways; because of privacy protocols, names are not included for prayer unless we have received your permission.*

**Uniting Barwon**

Items that would be appreciated this week include tinned soup, fruit juice, 2 minute noodles, pkts rice. Please place in trolley in the foyer.

**Thought for the week**

Invisible threads are the strongest ties.

Friedrich Nietzsche

**Diary for This Week**

<b>Sunday 14<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Worship – Rev. Bruce Waldron Annual General Congregational Meeting
<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	6.30pm	Tuesday Friendship
<b>Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup></b>	7.00pm	Church Council
<b>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	9.00am	Working Bee at the Manse
	3.00pm	Women of the Bible Study & Quilt-A-Long

**Next Week's Service**

<b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup></b>	10.00am	Worship – Rev. Bruce Waldron – Communion
	9.00am	Musicians & Singers Practise

# *People Helping Elsewhere*

Michele Hardy – Bellbrae/Airey's Inlet

## 2021 Annual General Meeting – Today

The 2021 Western Heights AGM will be held after the service today Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March.

Yours in Christ

Lynda Scott (Congregational Secretary)

## Congregational Roll Up-Date and Church Directory

The **Congregational Roll** needs its annual up-date and so does the **Church Directory**.

In order to facilitate this, each member of the congregation will receive, either by snail-mail or hand-mail, an individual copy of their details that the Church Office has at this moment in time.

The congregation is asked to check these details very carefully, correct them if necessary, and complete the rest of the form, before returning it to Jan Grigg at the Church Office by **Sunday, 28 March, 2021**.

**Your form needs to be returned for your name to appear in the Church Directory.** For privacy reasons, only those whose name appears in the Church Directory, will have access to the Church Directory.

Your co-operation in this matter is appreciated and valued.

Velma Oliver, Chair of Church Council.

## Friendly Reminder For Visiting

COVID restrictions for visiting hospitals and age care are still in place so please be mindful of families that might have set up a roster to visit their loved ones. If you are wishing to contact someone that is in care you are best to send a card, ring, text or speak to a family member.

## Gardening Working Bee

We will be having a gardening working bee at the Manse on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> March to “tidy up” the property for our prospective new minister. We will be careful to follow distancing protocols, but it will all be outdoors (safer). BYO clippers, snippers and gloves. Come at 9am for an hour or more. We will be happy to see you anytime between 9-12 for any time you have to give. Cold bottled water will be available or bring your own drink. (The address is 4 Royal Crescent, Hamlyn Heights, just up the hill from the old HH church Helen's place).

Graeme & the Resources Team

# Weekly Group Lenten Studies at Church

The 5 Lenten Studies that Bruce has written are being offered as 5 weekly Group Studies for anyone who would like to participate. **Janet Pavlakis** is leading the group at 10:00 a.m., on a **Thursday**, in the worship space under the balcony. The 5 studies cover Holy Week, starting with Palm Sunday as Study 1. Study 3 was completed this past week. Study 4 will be completed on 18<sup>th</sup> March and Study 5 on the 25<sup>th</sup> March. Participants are asked to bring a Bible and a drink. If you are able, please let Janet know at church or on **5275 1711** if you are attending.

## **Supply Minister**

Rev Bruce Waldron

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## **Children & Families Co-ordinator**

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## **Pastoral Care Referrals Group**

Rev Bruce Waldron

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Graeme Willingham 0432864727

## **Tasks people are doing today. 14<sup>th</sup> March 2021**

**Vestry Steward:** Velma Oliver

**Stewards:** Glen Chidzey, Doug Thomson

**Greeters:** Vanessa Thomson, Doreen Holroyd

**COVID Cleaning:** Velma Oliver

**Musicians:** Tom Morgan, Geoff Coots, Les Oliver, Bruce Waldron, Dudley Holroyd

**Singers:** Bill Fleming, Lynda Scott, Catherine Van Zetten

**PA / Data:** Peter Morgan, Allister Coots.

## **Tasks people are doing next week. 21<sup>st</sup> March 2021**

**Vestry Steward:** Roger Dingle

**Stewards:** Joan Hill, Graeme Hardy

**Greeters:** Colleen Douglass, Heather Rookes

**COVID Cleaning:** Jan Taylor

**Musicians:** Daniel Payne, Geoff Coots, Les Oliver, Tom Morgan

**Singers:** Ashley Payne, Bev Hunt, Joan Walker

**PA / Data:** Peter Morgan, Allister Coots.

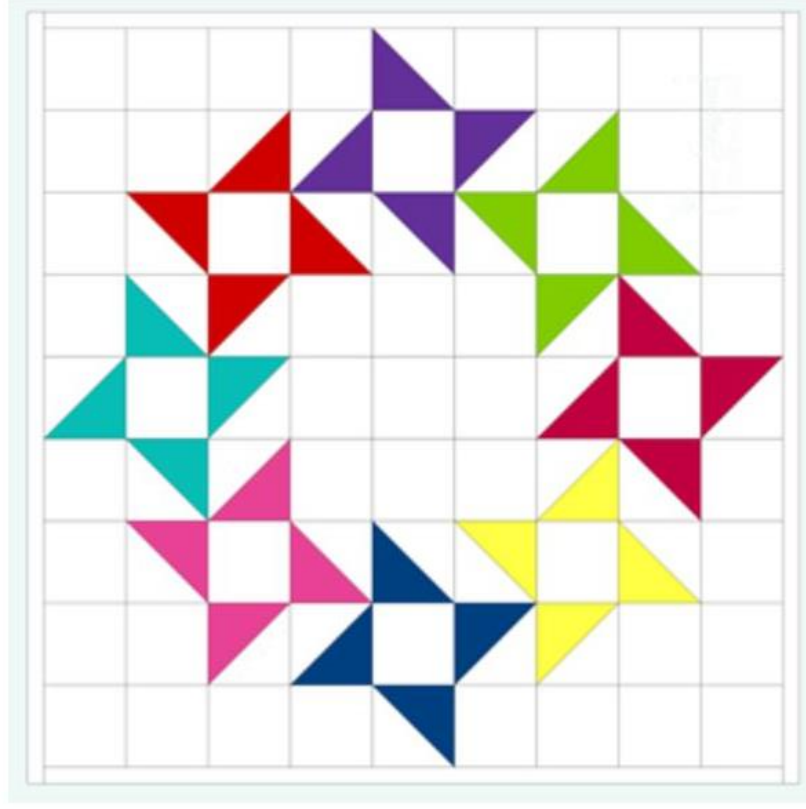


### JOHN 3: 1-21

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. <sup>2</sup> He came to Jesus by night and said to him, 'Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.' <sup>3</sup> Jesus answered him, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.' <sup>4</sup> Nicodemus said to him, 'How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?' <sup>5</sup> Jesus answered, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. <sup>6</sup> What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. <sup>7</sup> Do not be astonished that I said to you, "You must be born from above." <sup>8</sup> The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.' <sup>9</sup> Nicodemus said to him, 'How can these things be?' <sup>10</sup> Jesus answered him, 'Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? <sup>11</sup> 'Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. <sup>12</sup> If I have told you about earthly things and you do

not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? <sup>13</sup> No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. <sup>14</sup> And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, <sup>15</sup> that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. <sup>16</sup> 'For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. <sup>17</sup> 'Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. <sup>18</sup> Those who believe in him are not condemned; but those who do not believe are condemned already, because they have not believed in the name of the only Son of God. <sup>19</sup> And this is the judgement, that the light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil. <sup>20</sup> For all who do evil hate the light and do not come to the light, so that their deeds may not be exposed. <sup>21</sup> But those who do what is true come to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that their deeds have been done in God.'

# Women of the Bible



# Study & Quilt-A-Long

Join Us...

Each third Saturday, 3:00-4:40 pm  
March 20th, April 17th, May 15th, June 17th,  
July 17th, August 21st, September 18th, October  
16th, November 20th

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