

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 21 2021

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

Notice Sheet Sunday 21st March, 2021 -10.00am Worship

Please Pray for: ...

those continually in our thoughts and prayers:

Rosemary Elder With Intention Group

those with special needs:

Birthdays: Peter Branch Today

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 long-life milk, margarine, pasta, cheese, pasta sauces. Please place in trolley in the foyer.

Thought for the week

The safest way to double your money is to fold it over once and put in your pocket.

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Diary for This Week

Sunday 21st 10.00am Worship – Rev. Bruce Waldron - Communion

3.00pm Musicians & Singers Practise

Thursday 25th 8.00pm Musicians & Singers Practise

Next Week's Service

Sunday 28th 9.00am Musicians & Singers Practise

10.00am Worship – Rev. Bruce Waldron

3.00pm Messy Church

People Helping Elsewhere

Michele Hardy - St. Albans/St. Andrews

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 handmail, 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

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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.

Supply Minister

Rev Bruce Waldron

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Rhonda Dingle 0437245671 Graeme Willingham 0432864727

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 18th March and Study 5 on the 25th 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.

Tasks people are doing next week. 21st 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

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Singers: Ashley Payne, Bev Hunt, Joan Walker **PA / Data:** Peter Morgan, Allister Coots.

JOHN 12:20-33

²⁰ Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. ²¹ They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' 22 Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. 23 Jesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. 24 Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. 25 Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour. 27 'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say—"Father, save me from this hour"? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. ²⁸ Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' ²⁹ The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said. 'An angel has spoken to him.' 30 Jesus answered, 'This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. ³¹ Now is the judgement of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. 32 And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people [a] to myself.' 33 He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die. 34 The crowd answered him, 'We have heard from the law that the Messiah [f] remains for ever. How can you say that the Son of Man must be lifted up? Who is this Son of Man?' 35 Jesus said to them, 'The light is with you for a little longer. Walk while you have the light, so that the darkness may not overtake you. If you walk in the darkness, you do not know where you are going. ³⁶ While you have the light, believe in the light, so that you may become children of light."

Tasks people are doing today. 14th March 2021

Vestry Steward: Michele Hardy
Stewards: Geoff Everett, Ian Wood
Greeters: Barb Everett, Bev Hunt
COVID Cleaning: Heather Rookes
Musicians: Melinda Bell, Nathan Gibson, Geoff
Coots, Les Oliver, Tom Morgan, Dudley
Holroyd

Singers: Ashley Payne, Bill Fleming, Lynda Scott

PA / Data: Sharn Waldron, Allister Coots.



Melbourne: Walk for Justice for Refugees

Sunday 28 March 1.30pm State Library Swanston Street



