

#### 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 wellbeing 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 7 2021

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

Notice Sheet Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 –10.00am Worship

Please Pray	for:		
those continually i	in our thoughts and prayers:		
	Warren Lamont	Safe Church Task Group	
those with special	needs:		
Birthdays:	Irene McKinley	Today	
	Fiona Wrigley	9 <sup>th</sup>	(60)
	Janine Demko	9 <sup>th</sup>	
	Michele Hardy	11 <sup>th</sup>	
	Jean Thompson	12 <sup>th</sup>	
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## **Uniting Barwon**

Items that would be appreciated this week include cereal, coffee, tea, condensed/evaporated milk, cake mixes. Please place in trolley in the foyer.

#### Thought for the week

The best way to be boring is to leave nothing out.

Voltaire

	Diary for This Week		
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Worship – Rev. Bruce Waldron	
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	Musicians & Singers Practise	
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Friday Night Fun	
	Next Week's Service		
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Worship – Rev. Bruce Waldron	

Annual General Congregational Meeting

# 2021 Annual General Meeting – March 14<sup>th</sup>

The 2021 Western Heights AGM will be held after the service on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March. Copies of the 2020 Annual Report will be distributed at church on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> March or emailed to those who are normally contacted in this way. Yours in Christ Lynda Scott (Congregational Secretary)

## 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.

## 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** will lead the group at 10:00 a.m., on a **Thursday,** in the worship space under the balcony. Please let Janet know at church or on **5275 1711** if you are attending. Participants are asked to bring a Bible and a drink.

# 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

#### Warren Lamont

Warren has now settled into Kalkee Murray at 9 Spring Street, Belmont 3216. His phone number is 5243 9566.

## World Day Of Prayer

Will be held on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 at Wesley Uniting Church, 100 Yarra Street, Geelong at 11am. The theme of the Service is "Build on a Strong Foundation!" It has been prepared by the people of Vanuatu. Everyone is very welcome. We would be very pleased to see this service supported by many due to the devastating effect of COVID on the people of Vanuatu. Further information, please ring Sue O'Donoghue 0429 784 331



Tasks people are doing today. 7<sup>th</sup> March 2021 Vestry Steward: Annette Chidzey Stewards: Bruce Rookes, Colin Rookes Greeters: Joan Murphy, Janet Pavlakis COVID Cleaning: Roger Dingle Musicians: Les Oliver, Tom Morgan, Dudley Holroyd, Bruce Waldron Singers: Lynda Scott, Bev Hunt, Velma Oliver PA / Data: Tim Hunt, Allister Coots.

Tasks people are doing next week. 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: Melinda Bell, Geoff Coots, Les Oliver, Tom Morgan, Dudley Holroyd Singers: Bill Fleming, Joan Walker, Catherine Van Zetten PA / Data: Sharn Waldron, Allister Coots.

#### **JOHN 2:13-23**

<sup>13</sup> The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem.<sup>14</sup>In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money-changers seated at their tables. <sup>15</sup> Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the moneychangers and overturned their tables. <sup>16</sup>He told those who were selling the doves, 'Take these things

out of here! Stop making my Father's house a market-place!' <sup>17</sup> His disciples remembered that it was written, 'Zeal for your house will consume me.' <sup>18</sup> The Jews then said to him, 'What sign can you show us for doing this?' <sup>19</sup> Jesus answered them, 'Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.' <sup>20</sup> The Jews then said, 'This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?' <sup>21</sup> But he was speaking of the temple of his body. <sup>22</sup> After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had

> spoken. <sup>23</sup>When he was in Jerusalem during the Passover festival, many believed in his name because they saw the signs that he was doing.

