



**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 JULY 3 2022**

*We welcome you to today's service at*  
**Western Heights Uniting Church**  
**Notice Sheet Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2022 – 10.00am Worship**

**Please Pray for: ...**

*those with special needs:*

Judith

Rashida Przastek

Safe Church Task Group

**Birthdays:**

Doug Thomson

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

## **Thought for the week**

It's one thing to have a saying, it's another to live by it.

Gary & Shell

## **Diary for This Week**

<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	10:00am	Worship Service – Chris Machar, Sharn Waldron & Lynda Scott
<b>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup></b>	8.00pm	Musicians & Singers Practice
<b>Saturday 9<sup>th</sup></b>	3.00pm	Women of the Bible Study & Quilt-A-Long

## **Next Week's Service**

<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup></b>	10:00am	Worship Service – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga
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### **Minister & Pastoral Care**

Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga  
040 664 991

## Welcome to Chris Machar

Today, Sunday, 3 July, we welcome Chris Machar as our guest preacher. Chris is from Fresh Expressions of Church at Armstrong Creek. A cheque for \$2000, drawn from the interest of the Endowment Fund, will be presented in support of the Church at Armstrong Creek. For more information, please refer to the pamphlets in the pews.

## Anniversary Lunch Thank-You

A time of fellowship and reconnecting with one another was enjoyed by about 40 members of our congregation at the Uniting Church's 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Lunch. Wholesome soup and decadent slices, with tea and coffee were enjoyed by all. A very big THANK-YOU to all who participated in making this such a special event at Western Heights.

## Think Tank – Missional Projects

If you are passionate about the mission of the church, please let Joan Walker or Temukisa know.

- \* Skills in writing submission and grant applications
- \* Partnering with other local and regional organisations.

## Reading of Scripture during Sunday Worship

If you would like to join the Scripture Reading Roster you are invited to enter your name onto the list located at the back of the Church. Scripture Readers, along with many other activities, were put on hold during the worst of the COVID pandemic and the restrictions that were in place. This was to lessen the number of people using the microphone during the times of COVID restrictions. Now that the Government and the community are more relaxed re COVID due to the huge take up of vaccinations, it is time to reinstate this ministry for the Sunday morning worship. This invitation is extended to **all** who would like to offer this ministry within worship at Western Heights. COVID Task Group.

### Tasks people are doing today

3<sup>rd</sup> July 2022

**Vestry Steward:** Sharn Waldron

**Stewards:** Glen Chidzey, Bruce Rookes

**Greeter:** Janet Pavlakis

**Morning Tea:** Doreen Holroyd, Gwen Woods

**Musicians:** Dudley Holroyd, Bruce Waldron,

**Singers:** Lynda Scott, Bev Hunt, Karen Morgan,  
Bill Fleming

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

## LUKE 10: 1-11, 16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure

the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near." 'Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.' The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

**Tasks people are doing next week**  
**10<sup>th</sup> July 2022**

**Vestry Steward:** Annette Chidzey

**Stewards:** Geoff Everett, Colin Rookes

**Greeter:** Barbara Everett

**Morning Tea:** Barbara Everett, Sue Andrews

**Musicians:** Daniel Payne, Dudley Holroyd, Geoff  
Coots, Les Oliver, Bruce Waldron

**Singers:** Ashley Payne, Bill Fleming, Velma  
Oliver

**PA / Data:** Tim Hunt / Allister Coots