



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 FEBRUARY 20 2022

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

Notice Sheet Sunday 20th February, 2022 – 10.00am Worship

Please Pray for: ...

those continually in our thoughts and prayers:

Jan Davey

Resources Group

those with special needs:

Geoff Coots, as he considers treatment options following his recent diagnosis of prostate cancer.

Sympathy:

Our deepest sympathy to Temukisa and family on the passing of her sister, Lei Tariu, in Auckland on Wednesday 16th February. Please keep Lei's children, Temukisa and her siblings in our prayers.

Birthdays:

Jenni Harper

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

If you enjoy what you are doing, you can always find time for whatever you want to do.

W.G.P.

Diary for This Week

Sunday 20th	10:00am	Worship Service – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga Communion
Thursday 24th	8.00pm	Musicians & Singers Practice

Next Week's Service

Sunday 27th	10:00am	Worship Service – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga Baptism of Henry Harper and Sophie Tingate
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Crosslight

Finally, the February Crosslight have arrived. Don't forget to pick up your copy today.

Directory Update

As of the 5th March, Bruce and Sharn Waldron will be residing at 2 Ivy St, Newcomb, 3219. All other contact details will remain the same.

Can you help?

Bruce is making a Lagerphone for the Presbytery Bush Dance Fundraiser in May, so if you have any metal bottletops, could you put them in a tin please and give them to Bruce. Also, if anyone has an old tea chest that we could use as a Bush Bass that you would be willing to donate, that would be great.

Minister

Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga

0400 664 991

Pastoral Care Referrals Group

Rhonda Dingle 0437 245 671

Graeme Willingham 0432 864 727

Tasks people are doing today

20th February 2022

Vestry Steward: Jan Taylor

Stewards: Graeme Hardy, Colin Rookes, Neil Douglas

Greeter: Joan Murphy

Morning Tea: Janet Pavlakis, Colleen Douglas

Musicians: Nathan Gibson, Dudley Holroyd, Bruce Waldron, Geoff Coots, Les Oliver

Singers: Lynda Scott, Bev Hunt, Karen Morgan, Bruce Waldron

PA / Data: Tim Hunt / Allister Coots

Tasks people are doing next week

27th February 2022

Vestry Steward: Annette Chidzey

Stewards: Glen Chidzey, Bruce Rookes, Colleen Douglas

Greeter: Bev Hunt

Morning Tea: Heather Rookes, Catherine Van Zetten

Musicians: Nathan Gibson, Dudley Holroyd, Geoff Coots, Les Oliver, Bruce Waldron

Singers: Bill Fleming, Joan Walker, Velma Oliver

PA / Data: Sharn Waldron / Allister Coots

Genesis 45:3-11, 15

Joseph said to his brothers, 'I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?' But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence. Then Joseph said to his brothers, 'Come closer to me.' And they came closer. He said, 'I am your brother Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are five more years in which there will be neither ploughing nor harvest. God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. So it was not you who sent me here, but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, "Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not delay. You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have. I will provide for you there—since there are five more years of famine to come—so that you and your household, and all that you have, will not come to poverty." And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them; and after that his brothers talked with him.

Luke 6:27-38

'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you. 'If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. If you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. If you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. 'Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven; give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.'