

#### 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 APRIL 17 2022

# We welcome you to today's service at <u>Western Heights Uniting Church</u>

Notice Sheet Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 – 10.00am Worship

Please Pray	for:			
those continually t	in our thoughts and prayers	;		
	Jan Davey	Cł	nurch Council	
those with special	needs:			
	Graeme Hardy			
Birthdays:	Bill Fleming	22 <sup>nd</sup>		
	Neil Douglas	23 <sup>rd</sup>	(70)	
~ ~	at Western Heights offers prayer			•

he 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: spreads, tinned fruit, tinned meat, DB blankets, men's t/pants. Please place in trolley in the foyer.

#### Thought for the week

Vision is the art of seeing things invisible.

Jonathan Swift

# Diary for This Week

Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Worship Service – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga
		Easter Sunday – Communion
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Tuesday Friendship
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Church Council Meeting
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	8.00pm	Musicians & Singers Practice

## Next Week's Service

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> 10:00am Worship Service – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga

#### Minister & Pastoral Care

Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga 0400 664 991 Tasks people are doing today 17<sup>th</sup> April 2022 Vestry Steward: Velma Oliver Stewards: Bruce Rookes, Ian Wood, Colin Rookes Greeter: Doreen Holroyd Morning Tea: Maralann Damiano, Catherine Van Zetten Musicians: Melinda Bell, Dudley Holroyd, Les Oliver, Bruce Waldron, Tom Morgan Singers: Lynda Scott, Bill Fleming, Bev Hunt PA / Data: Tim Hunt / Jan Grigg

## Sacrededge Festival

April 29 – May 1 at Queenscliff The theme is Dive Deep into Diversity with First Nations, Refugees, LGBTIQ+ and Carers for the Earth sharing their stories and songs, spirituality and art. You can view the line up and

program via the links below or on the noticeboard.

https://unitingqueenscliff.org.au/sac rededge-festival/

https://www.instagram.com/sacrede dge\_festival/

https://www.facebook.com/sacrede dgefestival/

## 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.

#### Vox Angelica Geelong Chamber Choir

Directed by Tom Healey 7.30pm Friday 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 St Paul's Anglican Church, LaTrobe Tce, Geelong \$25/\$20/Under 18 free, at the door or https://www.trybooking.com/BYDGB

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## Emergency Appeal: Ukraine Crisis

Act for Peace envelopes can be found in the pews. Your gift will help support the work of the ACT Alliance, an initiative of the World Council of Churches, to provide urgently needed food, medicine and temporary shelter to displaced families.

Tasks people are doing next week 24<sup>th</sup> April 2022 Vestry Steward: Roger Dingle Stewards: Glen Chidzey, Tim Hunt, Velma Oliver Greeter: Bev Hunt Morning Tea: Michele Hardy, Janet Pavlakis Musicians: Dudley Holroyd, Geoff Coots, Les Oliver, Bruce Waldron, Tom Morgan Singers: Ashley Payne, Joan Walker, Velma Oliver PA / Data: Sharn Waldron / Allister Coots Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are vou weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which in means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." ' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.