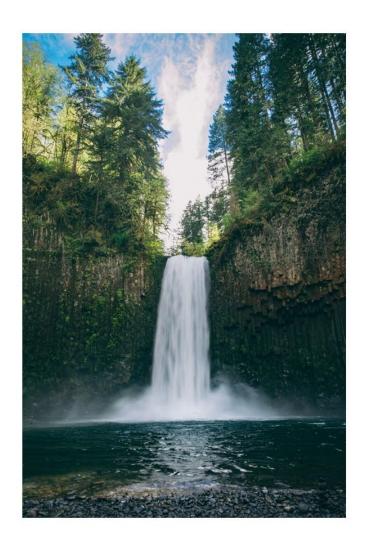


WESTERN HEIGHTS UNITING CHURCH

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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 SEPTEMBER 11 2022

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

Notice Sheet Sunday 11th September 2022 - 10.00am Worship

Please Pray for: ...

those with special needs:

Rashida Przastek

John & Olive Bumford Think Tank Group

Birthdays: Leila Green 15th

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: cereal, coffee, tea, condensed/evaporated milk, cake mixes. Please place in trolley in the foyer.

Thought for the week

By three methods we may learn wisdom: First, by reflection, which is noblest: Second, by imitation, which is easiest; and third by experience, which is the bitterest.

Confucius

Diary for This Week

Sunday 11th 10:00am Worship Service – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga

Water Sunday led by WHUC eco group

2.00pm Friday Fun Night – Nature Walk in Lara

Thursday 15th 8.00pm Musicians & Singers Practise

Next Week's Service

Sunday 18th 10:00am Worship Service – Cosmos Sunday

Rev. Paul Stephens & St. Luke's eco group

Minister & Pastoral

Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga 0400 664 991

Thanks

Gil, Leila & Susan would like to thank the very kind people for their prayers and condolences on the passing of Arthur.

Friday Fun Night – Sunday 11th

Come along and join us for a Nature Walk in Lara at the Kevin Hoffman Walk. Meeting at 2.00pm 63 Walkers Road, Lara.

Season of Creation: Display Helpers

Temukisa and the Eco Group require the assistance of a few helpers to assist with putting up displays for the 3 services of **Season of Creation**. Helpers are required on Saturday afternoons at 2:00 p.m. on the 10th, 17th and 24th September, 2022 at Western Heights. Please let Temukisa know if you can assist in this way. Thanks.

Date Change: The Great **Outback BBQ Is Coming To** Western Heights On Sunday 9 October 2022

Following the church service, we will be having a BBQ to support Frontier Services in their program to assist Aussie farmers doing it tough. Communities are still struggling with drought, and in the past 12 months have been hit with bush fires, floods and a pandemic. By participating in the BBQ, you will be supporting the farming families who put food on our tables. So come along straight after church on this day and purchase a delicious sausage in bread with onion and coleslaw, followed by lamingtons and tea, coffee or milo for \$10. All profits will go to Frontier Services. Please RSVP on the attendance sheet on the small table near the sound desk. For further information contact Vanessa and Velma.

Tasks people are doing today 11th September 2022

Vestry Steward: Sharn Waldron **Reader:** Trish Fleming Stewards: Geoff Everett, Colin Rookes

Greeter: Joan Murphy

Morning Tea: Barbara Everett, Joan & David

Walker

Musicians: Melinda Bell, Dudley Holroyd, Bruce Waldron, Les Oliver Singers: Lynda Scott, Bill Fleming

PA / Data: Peter Morgan / Jan Grigg

Tasks people are doing next week 18th September 2022

Vestry Steward: Roger Dingle Reader: Velma Oliver Stewards: Bruce Rookes, Glenn Chidzey

Greeter: Barbara Everett

Morning Tea: Maralann Damiano, Michele Hardy Musicians: Sue Ekkel, Dudley Holroyd, Les Oliver Singers: Lynda Scott, Bev Hunt, Ashley Payne

PA / Data: Tim Hunt / Jan Grigg

JOB 38: 1-18

Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind: 'Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. 'Where were vou when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy? 'Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb?— when I made the clouds its garment, and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors, and said, "Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped"? 'Have you commanded the morning since your days began, and caused the dawn to know its place, so that it might take hold of the skirts of the earth, and the wicked be shaken out of it? It is changed like clay under the seal, and it is dyed like a garment. Light is withheld from the wicked, and their uplifted arm is broken. 'Have you entered into the springs of the sea, or walked in the recesses of the deep? Have the gates of death been revealed to you, or have you seen the gates of darkness? Have comprehended the expanse of the earth? Declare, if you know all this.

LUKE 5: 1-11

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake: the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, 'Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.' Simon answered, 'Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets.' When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signalled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, 'Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!' For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.' When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.