



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 MAY 12 2024

Western Heights Uniting Church

Notice Sheet Sunday 12th May 2024– 10.00am Worship

Please Pray for:

Church Council

Birthdays: Les Oliver 22nd

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: toothpaste, toiletries, washing powder, QB sheets, blankets.

Thought for the week:

Mix a little foolishness with your serious plans: it's lovely to be silly at the right moment.

Horace

Diary for This Week

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| Sunday 12th | 10.00am | Worship – Michele Hardy Mother's Day |
| Wednesday 15th | 7.00pm | Church Council Meeting |
| Thursday 16th | 8.00pm | Musicians & Singers Music Practice |

Diary for Next Week

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| Sunday 19th | 10.00am | No Pentecost service at WHUC Service at the 'Dome' Geelong Library |
| Tuesday 21st | 12.00pm | Tuesday Friendship |
| Thursday 23rd | 8.00pm | Musicians & Singers Music Practice |
| Sunday 26th | 10.00am | Worship – Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga Darren Holroyd & Young people for Kokoda Trail Baptism Jean Adele |

Minister & Pastoral on Leave

Rev. Temukisa Amituana'i-Vaeluaga
0400 664 991

For Pastoral matters contact Members of the Pastoral Care
Coordinating Team

Pentecost at the Dome

Just a little reminder that there will NOT be a service at Western Heights on Sunday, 19 May, 2024. Instead, we will meet with 9 other Geelong Uniting Churches for a combined Pentecost Service at the Dome Library in Johnstone Park in the city at 10:00 a.m. There will be **no morning tea** after the service. The offering will be to support the Armstrong Creek Faith Community.

Needy Children Appeal

The final amount handed to Robert Van Zetten to be forwarded to the Smith Family to provide assistance to needy children at Newcomb and Whittington Primary Schools was **\$215.00**.

Thanks to all who donated to this appeal.

Pentecost Service

On Sunday 19th, for the combined Pentecost Service at The Dome, our church has been asked to choose and lead the first Hymn and we've chosen "She Sits Like A Bird"; *the proper name is "Enemy of Apathy"*. Could you help us lead the singing on that Sunday please?

If you can sing and are willing to help, could you come to our church on Thursday night at 8pm for a short practise of just that one song. Ask Bruce Waldron or Lynda Scott if you have any questions.

St Paul's Anglican Church

Recital Concert

Sunday 26th May 3pm

St Paul's have supported CRAG with the Jam for Refugees. They are presenting a recital by internationally acclaimed organist Calvin Bowman. Playing works by Bohm, Bach, Galuppi, Yon Warlock & Boellman. St Pauls Anglican church, Latrobe St Geelong.

Entry \$25 (concession \$15). Bookings

Organ Recital by Calvin Bowman

Tickets, St. Paul's Anglican Church,

Geelong | TryBooking Australia

<https://www.trybooking.com/CQSUI>

Tasks people are doing today.

12th May 2024

Vestry Steward: Jan Taylor

Reader: Geoff Coots

Stewards: Graeme Hardy, Neil Douglas

Greeter: Joan Murphy

Morning Tea: Catherine Van Zetten,
Maralann Damiano

Hall Cleaner: Maralann Damiano

Musicians: Nathan Gibson, Geoff Coots,
Dudley Holroyd, Les Oliver, David
Andrews

Singers: Lynda Scott, Ashley Payne,
Velma Oliver

Data: Sharn Waldron / Allister Coots

WHUC Community Garden

Scarecrow challenge!

A fun activity for all!



Join with your family or friends to create an amazing scarecrow for our garden beds!



You have until the end of May to show how creative you can be!
They will all be displayed in our garden.

Just leave your scarecrow at the garden anytime in May, with your contact details if you wish!

Enquiries to Sandra 0417 310 151
Facebook: WHUC Community Garden

PROVERBS 31: 25-31

Strength and dignity are her clothing, and she laughs at the time to come. She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue. She looks well to the ways of her household, and does not eat the bread of idleness. Her children rise up and call her happy; her husband too, and he praises her: 'Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all.' Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised. Give her a share in the fruit of her hands, and let her works praise her in the city gates.

Tasks people are doing.

26th May 2024

Vestry Steward: Sharn Waldron

Reader: Joan Walker

Stewards: Neil Douglas, Glenn Chidzey

Greeter: Janet Pavlakis

Morning Tea: Barbara Everett, Maralann Damiano

Hall Cleaner: Neil Douglas

Musicians: Sue Ekkel, Dudley Holroyd, Les Oliver, Geoff Coots

Singers: Lynda Scott, Bill Fleming, Bev Hunt, Velma Oliver

PA/Data: Tim Hunt / Allister Coots

2 TIMOTHY 1: 3-5

I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you.

