

About the Newsletter Eddie will be taking over the Newsletter from now on while Louise is away. **Phone: 08 9458 7989**
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Vintage Coffee Group The group will meet on **Wednesday, 10 July**, place and time TBA

Notice: Our Minister Toby will be on leave from Monday 8 July to Monday 29 July. We will have visiting Worship leaders for the 3 Sundays - please make them welcome. During that time if you have any Pastoral concerns, please do not hesitate to contact one of the Elders who are: Barbara Bennewith, Diane & John Boon, Lyn Burking, Lesley Kenny, Chris Malan and Bruce Read. For other church matters you can talk to Bruce Read who was elected Chair of Council at our last Congregation meeting. We wish Toby and family a wonderful holiday as they visit family in Indonesia.

Weekly Meditation Group will be on every **Thursday, 9.30 to 10.30am** in the Sunroom. New members are always welcome. We follow with a cuppa and chat if you are able to join us. Any enquiries please phone Chris Malan on 0422 425 319

"Board Games. There will be a 2-hour session every **first and third Wednesday of the month from 10am to 12.00pm** in the church hall, next session **Wednesday, 17 July**. All are welcome. Hope to see you there."



Prayerbook and Offering

Rosters:	Sunday 7 July 2024	Sunday 14 July 2024
Minister:	Rev Toby Keva	Rev Zak Cronje
Readers:	W Wilson, C Dagers	B Dinnie C Malan
Organist:	B Bennewith	D Russell
Stewards:	M Barron, T Orr, R Rowson	A Barter, J Burns, N Loudon
Welcome:	P Muller, A Ontong	J Maddocks, J Vermeer
Morning Tea:	F McRae, N Cail	Pauline & Bruce Read
Audio Visual:	Judy Rowson	Vicki Banks
Worship Elder:		Lesley Kenny
Holy Communion:	Bruce Read	
Steward Enquiries:	Ed Kenny: Phone 0439 558 036	

YouthCARE Fundraising. Good news. A new consignment of Red Gum honey has just arrived and will be available on Sunday. The price remains at \$17.00 for a 1kg tub. Please see Pauline on Sunday.

7 July 2024



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Sunday Service 9.15am

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NEWSLETTER



Our Mission

To Participate in and Grow the Mission of God at Willetton by:



- Sharing the love of God and
- Telling people about Jesus
- **Our Vision**
God's Love and Hope in Action

Bible Reading: Read Mark 6:1-6

In our reading, we are told that Jesus was returning to his hometown in Nazareth. The news about his wise teachings and miraculous healings in other towns had preceded his arrival. Yet, this news did not make Jesus into a local hero. It was the opposite. The mind and heart of the people in his hometown were clouded by their judgement about Jesus' identity in the past. They remembered him as a poor carpenter. Even worse, they remembered him as a 'bastard'; a man whose father is not clearly identified. They called Jesus as the son of Mary even though it was the common practice to identify someone with his father. As the result, Jesus couldn't perform healing there.

Indeed, people around us matter and if someone like Jesus needed to be surrounded by people who were supportive of him, how much more we all need people who support us. The slogan of our church is "where love and hope make a difference". We are to be a community where disapproving glare of judgement will diminish and be replaced by loving and nurturing expressions so that each of us can meet her full potential as a child of God.

(Rev. Toby Keva)

Bible Reading Today, 7 July 2024

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10, Psalm 48
2 Corinthians 12:2-10, Mark 6:1-13

Bible Reading Sunday 14 July 2024

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19, Psalm 24
Ephesians 1:3-14, Mark 6:14-29

**Prayer for the week from 30 June 2024**

Uniting Church Archives and the Uniting Church Centre Northern Synod

Worship Rosters: Worship Rosters for August, September and October will be prepared shortly. If you are **unavailable** for rosters at any time during these 3 months, please contact Wilma Wilson on 94579713 (wilsons1@inet.net.au) **no later** than 14th July. Thank you.

SAVE THE DATE: The next Outreach Concert will be a VARIETY CONCERT on Sunday 25th August 2024 in the Worship Centre at 10.45am after Morning Tea at 10.15. Put it in your diary NOW, so you don't double-book yourself and miss out! Items include voice (singers) and other instruments as well as piano. More details soon. Lyn Muir muireal@aussieb.com.au

Worship Service on Sundays: The worship service starts at 9.15am. All are welcome.

Covenant 30th Anniversary Resources



Banner artwork by Grace Williams, Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress (Tasmania)

Resources for the 30th Anniversary of Covenant

On 10 July, the Uniting Church in Australia (UCA) marks the 30th Anniversary of the Covenant between Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress (UAICC) and UCA. In mid-July the UCA marks the 15th Anniversary of the revised Preamble to the Uniting Church constitution.

To make these historic events the Assembly have released some key resources 'inviting the church to both celebrate our covenant relationship and to take the opportunity to fully commit to the work that must still be done to honour this commitment.'



Uniting WA Winter Appeal

Did you know that every night in WA, 4,389 women experience homelessness?

You can help change that by supporting the Uniting WA Winter Appeal.

In 2023, Kayla was pregnant and facing life on the streets of Perth.

Today she has stable housing with her son, Zaidyn, where they are being supported to thrive together.

With your help, Uniting WA can provide more vital assistance to mums like Kayla. Learn more at [The best chance. - Uniting WA](#)