

## Easter 2

Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Psalms 16

1 Peter 1:3-9

John 20:19-31



# Adelaide West Uniting Church

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**If you are new or visiting  
Adelaide West Uniting  
Church we are pleased  
you are here.**

In today's gospel reading (John 20:19-31) the disciples are confronted by the death of Jesus. Even though Peter and John have been to the empty tomb they have not seen the risen Jesus. The disciples gather behind locked doors - for fear of others in the community. They must have been asking - what next? Jesus meets them in their place of fear and recommissions them to be his disciples.

As we gather after the services and celebrations over Easter the reality of life hits home again. It is amongst the ordinary events of life, amongst our fears and concerns, that Jesus will come. We too will be filled with the Spirit and sent out as disciples of Christ.

**Rod Dyson | AWUC Lead Minister**

### Sunday Worship times:

**creative traditional 9.15am**

**family worship 10.45am**

**youth & young adults 5.00pm**



Uniting Church. **Uniting People.**



## Welcome to Worship,

Kids' Space is on "school holidays" and there are activities planned for the children both today and 30<sup>th</sup> April. The regular Kids' Space program will resume on May 7<sup>th</sup>.

**Blessings Lorraine,  
Children and Families Pastor.**

**A place to belong, learn to believe in & become like Jesus**

**Engage Youth - Friday 28th April**

**See you next week!**

Engage Youth is on break for the school holidays this week, but we'll be back at Adelaide West next week to kick off term 2 (5th of May).

Any questions? Please contact Jack: 0433 763 908 or [youth@awuc.org.au](mailto:youth@awuc.org.au)

**Jack Harington | Adelaide West Uniting Church**

**Dianne Holden Commissioning Service**

Thursday 4 May, 7:00pm

Rosefield UC, 2 Carlton Street Highgate

All welcome!

**Next Preaching Series**

From the first Sunday in May we will focus on relational evangelism. This will be a down to earth series focusing on God's call for us to share our faith, our own experience of God and how to live in a way that points to who God is. It will not be about being skilled evangelists but speaking from what we know. On Pentecost Sunday (June 4<sup>th</sup>) we will conclude the series by focusing on the gift of the Spirit and being sent out to share God's love in our homes, work places and neighbourhoods.

## Save the date – all interested in worship leading

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June from 7-9pm there will be a worship leading workshop at Adelaide West. It will be led by Rev Linda Driver and Ann Phillips.

**AWUC AGM meeting** will be held here on Sunday 28th May at 1:30pm. There are 4 positions that need to be filled for Church Council from June, that will be voted for at that meeting. Nomination forms are available. The last day for nominations is Tuesday 2nd May to allow time for profiles to be produced.

Please prayerfully consider who may fill these positions.

Have you signed up to the '40 days of prayer' devotional? Uniting Church SA Moderator, Rev Sue Ellis is releasing a daily devotion for the 40th anniversary of the Uniting Church in Australia. The daily devotion will contain a short reflection and prayer and begins on Sunday 14 May. Add your name and email address to the subscriber list here:

<http://bit.ly/2nTtYai>

## Mother's day stalls

Once again there will be both a craft and plant stall between the morning services on **Sunday 7th May** in preparation for Mother's day the following Sunday. Please remember this important fundraising opportunity and bring some spending money that day.

## Pasty bake!!!

We are trialing a few different things this year.

- We now have order forms available from the office, on the foyer stand or from Pam Young - or you can still phone orders to the office or to Pam Young 8352 5230.
- We have a roster/sign up sheet in the foyer to help with knowing how many helpers we will have each day. Please sign up for the days you are available.

We are taking orders NOW.

Pasties \$3.50 Pasty Plates \$11.00

Every Friday & Saturday in May and the first Friday & Saturday of June.

## What's on this week...

### Today

9:15am	Rod Dyson
10:45am	Rod Dyson
5:00pm	Rod Dyson

Many of our regular weekly events are not on due to school holidays.

### Sunday 30th

9:15am	Phil Carr
10:45am	Phil Carr
	Followed by share lunch
5:00pm	

### Key Events for your diary

<b>May</b>	7	Mother's Day stalls
	28	AWUC AGM
<b>June</b>	7	Worship leading workshop
	23 & 24	SYNOD meeting @AWUC

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office.**

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**dual pin and pocket clip  
\$7.00;**

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