

# Pentecost 19

Esther 7:1-22

Psalms 124

James 5:13-20

Mark 9:38-50



# Adelaide West Uniting Church

Acceptance, Hope and Transformation in Jesus

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**news**

**of**

**the**

**church**

**30th September**

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

## Pausing in our walking

Over recent weeks we looked at how God calls us to pause in our walking, to renew and to deepen our faith through reflection and prayer, individually and as a community together, and to consider the present-ness of the Kingdom of God. Church Council met in private session last week specifically to pause from regular business and to consider our community's faith, including areas of a personal and pastoral nature that we face as a church at this time. This is in line with the Uniting Church Regulations (3.1.2) *"The Church Council shall give priority in its life to building up the Congregation in faith and love, sustaining members in hope and leading the Congregation to a fuller participation in Christ's mission in the world."* This meeting was an additional meeting (3.5.2) to the regular Church Council meetings that meet on the first Thursday of every month. There are another two additional meetings to the regular meetings planned.

Everyone that calls Adelaide West UC home is invited to participate in a period of reflection, prayer and listening to God and each other. We ask ourselves questions such as: Where do we find our joy together? What do we value most about our church? What are the best features? When are we most alive, motivated and excited in our involvement? What do we wish for the future of this church?

Let's talk and pray together – as we meet together at church, in our connect groups and other groups, and in our discussions.

## Blessings

Lynne

## Sunday Worship times:

**creative traditional** 9.15am

**family worship** 10.45am

**youth & young adults** 5.00pm



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## Welcome to Worship

Our Kids' Space ministry is on recess for the school Holidays BUT you will find there are activities for the children in our "one service Sunday" today at 10am.

Don't forget to get your tickets for Colin Buchanan Concerts hosted by Koorong Bookstore (where the tickets are available from) here at Adelaide West on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October, 9.30 am and 12.30pm.

Our Kids' Space Ministry will resume on October 21<sup>st</sup>. there will be activities for the children on October 7<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>.

Blessings Lorraine  
Children and Families Pastor.

## Engage Youth

Engage Youth welcomes all youth in years 7-12 to come, hang out, relax, eat, make new friends, meet awesome leaders and most importantly *engage* with God!

Engage Youth runs from 6-9:30pm Friday's (during School terms) at AWUC and includes dinner and dessert for \$5. Questions? Please contact Jack: 0433 763 908 or [youth@awuc.org.au](mailto:youth@awuc.org.au)

Jack Harington  
Youth Ministry team Leader

## Position Vacant - Administration Support Officer AWUC

- 1 year fixed-term - part time (0.4FTE)
- Administration, communication, events, volunteer coordination
- Opportunity to serve and to assist Adelaide West UC to grow in mission and ministry.

Responsibilities include administrative support, developing and maintaining office and administration systems including the UCare database, financial administration, coordination of hiring and booking of church premises, and encouraging and coordinating volunteers.

Contact Lynne Aird for enquiries and the position description

Application close date: 3 October 2018 at 5pm.



## Community Fair — 20th October

Start thinking about baking and planting and sorting out your books and toys... the Fair will be on us soon!

We still have one opportunity if anyone would like to run a 'vintage themed' stall...

talk to Louise Woodhouse

## Next Church Council Meeting

...will be held in the Chapel on Thursday, October 4, 7:30pm.

## Can you help with goods for Sierra Leone?

You will have seen the shipping container in our car park!

Finda Morsay of our 10.45am congregation will be sending a container of goods to Sierra Leone in September.

If you have any items to donate, contact Finda on 0431 423 806

## Friendship Club

Adelaide West U.C. Friendship Club will meet in the Hall at 1.30 p.m. next Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October when John and Heather Maddern will speak about their visit to China.

Afternoon tea will follow the meeting. Everyone is invited.

Enquiries to Graham Galpin 82975154

## Giving at Adelaide West

We give as a response to God's grace in our lives. Through tithes, offerings and gifts we bless our church community and the wider community, both local and global. There are 3 ways to give regularly:

- Electronically by direct deposit into: BSB: 805-007 | Account #: 00703475 | Account name: Adelaide West Uniting Church | marked 'offering'.
- Electronically through eGive – this is managed by UCInvest at the Synod office and an application form is available on the shelves by the front door.
- Offerings are collected at each Sunday service.

## What's on this week...

<b>Today</b>	10:00am	Lynne Aird
	5:00pm	NO Service
<b>Monday 1st</b>	7:30pm	Men's Choir
	(Note, no Stitches Group as it's a public holiday)	
<b>Tuesday 2nd</b>	7:00pm	Prayer & fasting
<b>Wednesday 3rd</b>	1:30pm	Friendship Club
<b>Thursday 4th</b>	7:30pm	Church Council
<b>Friday 5th</b>	6:00pm	NO Engage Youth
<b>Sunday 7th</b>	9:15am	Lynne Aird (Holy Communion)
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	5:00pm	Lauren Andris

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# Meet Our Staff...

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### **Intentional Interim minister:** (day off Friday)

Lynne Aird                      lynne@awuc.org.au                      0439 600 220

### **Children and family pastor:** (4 days, off Tuesday and Friday)

Lorraine Schroder                      kidsspace@awuc.org.au

### **Youth ministry team leader:** (half time)

Jack Harington                      youth@awuc.org.au

### **Young adult team leader:** (half time)

Lauren Andris                      youngadults@awuc.org.au

### **Administration support officer:** (1 day per week)

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