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# Adelaide West Uniting Church

Acceptance, Hope and Transformation in Jesus

**Jer 17:5-10**

**Ps 1**

**1 Cor 15:12-20**

**Lk 6:17-26**

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

**News  
of  
the  
church  
17th Feb 2019**

## **B**elonging **B**elieving **B**lessing others



### Blessed are the ...

We've talked about the 3Bs in the last few weeks – today we have a variation in the Luke 6 reading known as 'blessings &

woes' (Luke 6:17-26). Jesus starts with 'Blessed are you who are poor ... who hunger now ... who weep now ... when people hate you ...'. Jesus is giving instructions to his new disciples. As Jews, they are used to a lot of rules to follow! It seems Jesus starts with the most important – we could call them core values. God loves the poor, the hungry, the sad, and the marginalised – a glimpse of what is closest to God's heart. These words challenge us in our own treatment of the poor, the hungry, the sad, the marginalised – as a church in our priorities and our time, in our connect groups and in our lives individually.

This speaks directly into our vision of being a community of acceptance, hope and transformation in Jesus and in the framework of our expression of love through belonging, believing and blessing others. As we look to welcome people to belong, as we offer a place to explore faith and as we bless others, may we remember the heart of God for the poor, the hungry, the sad and those that society overlooks.

### Blessings

Lynne Aird

### Sunday Worship times:

**creative traditional 9.15am**

**family worship 10.45am**

**youth & young adults 5.00pm**



Uniting Church. **Uniting People.**



## Welcome to Worship

Today in our Seahorse room (3-4 year olds) we are talking about Lost, about Jesus getting lost at the temple as a boy.

Our Mussels (5-6 year olds), Dolphins 7-10ish year olds and Orcas 10ish year olds to year 6) are all meeting in the hall and talking about 1 Samuel 9:15 "Saul, the people's King". I will not be around today so Lynton Willcocks has offered to be the "go to" person today.

Next week we will have another Godly Play story this time about "David" so we will be over at the College Godly Play room.

KCO (March 23 -24) - if you are coming as a leader please speak to me, when I know how many children we will have then we will know what leaders needed. If you know of children between 7 and year 7 please go to the website and register (<https://events.sa.uca.org.au/kids-camp-out/camper-19>), you will need to pay on-line \$60 per camper (the early bird price of \$55 closes Wednesday 20th February), and there will be an Adelaide West charge for food and transportation, to be advised. Please talk to me (or Lynne) if money is a factor in your decision making.

Blessings Lorraine, Children and Families Pastor

## Scripture Union Family Missions

Thank you to all those who prayerfully and financially supported the Scripture Union Family Missions in Port Vincent and Kangaroo Island, we are so grateful. If you would like to read a few 'stories' about the impact of the missions, please take one of the flyers on the information table (to the left of the entrance door). You will be encouraged and inspired by the way God moved in the lives of those who participated in the missions. With thanks, Louise, Kylie, Tori, Linda and Trevor

We acknowledge our presence on this land, cherished and cared for by the Kaurna people over many generations. We respect their spiritual relationship with their country and express our thanks for their faithful custodianship. Kaurna miyurna, Kaurna yarta, ngadlu tampintheta. (We recognise Kaurna people and their land.)

## Minister is on leave

Lynne is on annual leave 18-26 February inclusive. Any pastoral needs during this time can be referred to:

9.15 service— Kees & Wendy  
0416 708 954

10.45 service— Dorothy  
0434 891 558

## Engage Youth

Hey everybody! Engage Youth is excited to announce that our first Sunday Youth connect groups last week were a huge success and we're excited to keep seeing what God is up too as we continue these throughout the term. Engage Youth, for years 7-12, is now running on Sundays, 3-5pm, and we're thrilled to invite all of you, including youth and all families and friends to stay on for our all ages evening service from 5pm.

For Youth hungry for a Friday night, we still have 3 awesome event nights planned, the first one taking place next week! Meet at Adelaide West at 6pm, as we head to EXTOL conference at Journey Uniting Church. Pick up after from Adelaide West at 9:45pm. Easier to transport yourself? Just let Jack know.

**Jack Harington + the whole team, 0433 763 908**

## Progressive Christianity Service

Our next Service will be held next Wednesday Evening (the 20th Feb.) at 7.00pm in the Chapel. The theme ("Did God ordain marriage?") will be introduced by the Rev. Neville Stewart. All are welcome. Any enquiries to either Esmond Dowdy or John Maddern.

## Upcoming Events

**20 Feb** — Graham Tour, Titanium Security Arena

**22/23 Feb** — Dupang Festival – Corroboree  
(adelaidefringe.com.au)

**1 Mar**— World Day of Prayer Service.

**2 Mar**— Garden Saturday 8.30 –12

**6 Mar**— Friendship Club resumes

**23-24 Mar**— KCO!

## Prayer Points

**Mon**— Men's Choir, Stitches

**Tue**— Nursing home services on Wednesday

**Wed**— Progressive Christianity Service

**Thurs**— Graham Tour at Titanium Security Arena

**Fri** — Ministry team, staff, Church Council, volunteers

**Sat**— Kids' Space — children & leaders

**Sun**— Sunday services, Engage Youth

## What's on in the next week...

<b>Today</b>	9.15am	Lynne Aird
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	5.00pm	Jack Harington
<b>Monday 18th</b>	10.00am	Stitchers
	7.30pm	Men's Choir
<b>Tuesday 19th</b>	9.30am	Coffee, chat & share craft group
<b>Wednesday 20th</b>	7.30pm	Progressive Christianity
<b>Thursday 21st</b>	9.00am	mainly music
<b>Sunday 24th</b>	9.15am	John Maddern
	10.45am	John Maddern
	12.30pm	Shared Lunch
	3.00pm	Engage Youth
	5.00pm	Jack Harington

### On-line giving:

BSB: 805-007 | Account #: 00703475

Account name: Adelaide West Uniting Church | marked 'offering'.

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## *Meet Our Staff...*

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### **Intentional Interim minister:** (day off – Fri)

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

### **Children and family pastor:** (4 days, Mon, Wed, Thurs, Sun)

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### **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:** (Mon, Tues, Thurs)

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