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Adelaide West Uniting Church

Acceptance, Hope and Transformation in Jesus

Lent 4

Jos 5:9-12

Ps 32

2Cor 5:16-21

Lk 15:1-3, 11b-32

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

**News
of
the
church
31st March
2019**

Kurna miyurna, Kurna yarta, ngadlu tampinhi.
(We recognise Kurna people and their land.)

We care, we give, we love, we pray ...

At We're conscious of much happening in our world around us. Still in shock following the horror of the mosque attacks in Christchurch, we're now seeing items in the news and social media regarding Cyclone Idai in Mozambique, Malawi and Zimbabwe. This cyclone struck the east coast of Africa on 15 March with winds of more than 177 km/h, leaving a trail of devastation from massive floods. The United Nations calls it "one of the worst weather-related disasters ever to hit the southern hemisphere." Whole communities are devastated with the poorest hit hardest, living in lower areas in less resilient houses. In Zimbabwe alone, 200,000 people are affected, with most of the damage occurring near the Mozambique border. More than 300 people have been killed.

We can help by donating to Uniting World to help the Uniting Church's partner church, the Methodist Church in Zimbabwe, provide immediate assistance with emergency food and water, blankets, kitchen sets, and supplies. Tax deductible donations can be made online at www.unitingworld.org.au/cycloneidai and we will take a retiring offering at this Sunday's services. (Many other agencies also have appeals).

We pray for all people impacted, including families and friends of victims. We pray for the safety of first responders and emergency personnel, including our church partners and their important relief work.

Everyone belongs. We are humanity together. We stand together. We care, we give, we love, we pray.

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

We have two more Sunday's before we have a break from Kids' Space and the middle week of the school holidays is Easter!! Where we hope to have a "one Service Sunday" with an Easter Egg hunt!!! Watch this space.

KCO news,

We had a tremendous weekend at KCO this last weekend, the weather was perfect, the leaders were perfect, the program was perfect the campers were sensational!! Thank you to all those who supported us in Prayer with financial donations, it was so appreciated. A GREAT BIG thank you to those who gave up their time to help lead our group, to help us set up and pack down camp. To Adelaide Coachlines who got us there and back so easily. But the biggest thank you should be to our God to whom we are so grateful because of His Welcoming acceptance of us all!!

Blessings Lorraine KCO Group Coordinator for Adelaide West, Hamley Bridge and Woodville Uniting Churches.



Friendship Club

The Easter Meeting for the Adelaide West U.C. Friendship Club will be held in the Hall at 1.30 p.m. next Wednesday 3rd April, when Rev. Adrian Clark will be the speaker.

Afternoon tea will follow.

An invitation is extended to all to join this Fellowship.

Enquiries to Graham Galpin 82975154 or Joan Kelley 81795639

Presbytery restructure

At the November 2018 Presbytery and Synod meeting, voting members agreed that the existing structure of one Synod and one Presbytery in South Australia (existing since 2006) be modified to allow for more than one Presbytery from 1 July 2019.

Information about this process and Circular No. 2 is available at sa.uca.org.au/presbytery-and-synod/restructure (some paper copies on table in foyer along hall wall)

Prayer Points

- Mon** — Men's Choir, Stitchers
Tue — Easter Seminars in western suburbs primary schools (by Cooperating Churches) - Mon - Wed this week
Wed — Friendship Club
Thurs — Church Council
Fri — City of West Torrens
Sat — Sunday services, Engage Youth on Sunday
Sun — Men's Choir service & concert in Pt Augusta

Art Exhibition—West Torrens Auditorium Gallery

Jayden 'Donny' Schulz — Ambidextrous

To be opened by Mayor—Monday 01/04/2019. Open daily 1-28 April except public holidays. 1 Brooker Tce, Hilton.



Engage Youth

Hello! Engage Youth is for everyone in years 7-12, and runs on Sundays, 3-5pm, at which time parents, family, friends and everyone is invited to join us for the 5pm service.

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

Upcoming Events

- 7 April** — 10.45 service change to 11am start
7 April - Men's Choir in Pt Augusta
19 April - 10am Good Friday service
21 April — 10am Easter Sunday service
5 May — Lynne's ordination

Connect Card & Prayer Request Card

These cards are now available on the table in foyer along the hall wall. If you have a prayer request, you are invited to fill out the card and place it in the box alongside. Or if you are new or have updated details – please complete the Connect Card and place it in the box.

Spare tools for office

The office is looking for some basic tools – a hammer, screw drivers, spanners etc.. – and trying to be good stewards, wondering if there are any spares or doubles lying around?

What's on in the next week...

Today	9.15am	Progressive
	10.45am	Lynne Aird
	1.00pm	Shared Lunch
	3.00pm	Engage Youth
	5.00pm	Lauren Andris
Monday 1st	10.00am	Stitchers
	7.30pm	Men's Choir
Tuesday 2nd	9.30am	Coffee, chat & share craft group
Wednesday 3rd	1.30pm	Friendship Club
Thursday 4th	9.30am	mainly music
Sunday 7th	9.15am	Adrian Clark
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	3.00pm	Engage Youth
	5.00pm	Jack Harington

On-line giving:

BSB: 805-007 | Account #: 00703475

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

CHURCH CONTACTS

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Young adult team leader: (half time)

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