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Adelaide West Uniting Church

Acceptance, Hope and Transformation in Jesus

Pent 19 [29]
Jer 31:27-34
Ps 119:97-104
2 Tim 3:14-4:5
Lk 18:1-8

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

**News
of
the
church
20th October
2019**

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

Luke inspires & challenges us ...

In our morning services we've been following Messages from Luke. The Gospel of Luke can be likened to a river system – there are waterholes along the way and the river gets faster and faster until we come to the last week leading to the death of Jesus. There, the water tumbles down a rocky escarpment and heads out to the estuary in the book of Acts.

Essentially the Gospel of Luke is an account of the life and teachings of Jesus but he brings some distinctive themes to this. Luke highlights Jesus' compassion for outcasts and the poor, the importance of stewardship of material possessions and particularly by those with surplus, he mentions more women and the prayerfulness of Jesus than in other accounts, and he is known for his sense of justice.

Luke challenges us in our everyday living and as a church together. For whom do we show compassion and how do we show that? How do we care for the poor and advocate for the marginalised? How do we steward our material possessions and any surplus? Are we prayerful? In his gospel, Luke reminds us as a Christian community to embody Jesus' concern for all people and be a community of prayer. Two thousand years on, his words continue to inspire and challenge.

Blessings, Lynne

Sunday Worship times:

creative traditional	9.15am
family worship	11.00am
Worship	5.00pm



Uniting Church. **Uniting People.**



Welcome to Worship

We are back to Kids' Space this week!

Our Seahorses [3-4 year olds] will be talking about "The Lost Son" and our Mussels [5-6 year olds,]

Dolphins [7-10ish year olds] & Orcas [10ish year olds to year 6] will be exploring the story of "Gideon".

A special thank you to those who helped out in anyway at the Colin Buchanan concerts on 10th Oct here at Adelaide West, it was a great day!

Blessings, Lorraine, Children and Family Pastor

Belonging Believing Blessing others



Blessing others project sharing

The Friendship Club has donated the \$70 plus an extra \$30 from our own funds, totalling \$100, to the Warriapendi School. This is a school for aboriginal students located on South Road, Marleston. It aims to bring students back towards formal schooling and also offers transport assistance, nutrition, & broader training opportunities.

#togetherweblessothers

Evening Fellowship – change of date for November

6 November at 7.30pm in church hall "Local Theatres" - A glimpse into local theatres of the West Torrens area by John Andrewartha & David Roberts, followed by supper. All welcome!

Drinking Fountain Commissioning

Sunday 10 November 10.30am
@AWUC as part of Shared Morning Tea.

Instagram

Our church is now on Instagram – search 'Adelaide West UC' to follow.



Fridays in term time, 6.30pm – 9.30pm @ church

All youth in years 7 to 12 welcome

Shared tea \$5

All welcome including friends!

EY Sunday is every Sunday during the 11am service, except for the first Sunday in the month – for years 7 to 9.

Questions/comments – contact Lynne 0439 600 220

Upcoming events

- 26 Oct** – Community Fair
- 21 Oct** – Walking to Corroboree book launch (UCLT)
- 21 Oct** – ACD 2019 Annual Lecture – Dr Tanya Riches
- 6 Nov** – Evening Fellowship
- 10 Nov** – Drinking fountain commission
- 24 Nov** – Emmaus Christian College Celebration Day (open day)



Local Hero – Dorothy

We have a Local Hero in our midst! Dorothy Crosby is a finalist in the Westfield Local Heroes community recognition and grants program, winning a grant of \$10,000 for SIDS & Kids SA. For details go to <https://www.westfield.com.au/teatreeplaza/story/5Qw8EQ14jfopl2SMBnbojw/dorothy-crosby> Congratulations Dorothy!

Open Garden & Morning Tea

Saturday 2nd November
9.30am – 1.30pm

All welcome to have a cuppa & wander the garden.

Souvenirs, gifts & plants to browse.

@ 44 Chambers Ave, Richmond..

Donation \$5 for Frontier Services.

For more information see Beryl Venner.

PRAYER POINTS

MON	Ministry team, staff, Church Council, volunteers
TUES	Preparations for Community Fair
WED	Nursing home services & team
THU	Pastoral Care Workers in local schools
FRI	Friday Youth
SAT	Community Fair - for all involved, connections with community
SUN	Sunday services (3), Kids' Space, EY Sunday (yrs 7-9)

On-line giving:

BSB: 805-007 | Account# 00703475

Account name: Adelaide west Uniting Church | marked 'offering'

What's on in the next week...

Today	9.15am	Phil Carr
	11.00am	Phil Carr
	5.00pm	dinner & various people sharing
Monday 21st	10.00am	Stitchers no Men's Choir
		Nursing home visits
Wednesday 23rd		
Thursday 24th	9.30am	mainly music
Friday 25th	6.30pm	Youth — board games @ college
Saturday 26th	9.00am	Community Fair
Sunday 27th	9.15am	John Maddern
	11.00am	John Maddern
	12.30pm	Shared Lunch
	5.00pm	Simon Story

Drinking fountain in prayer garden

The new drinking fountain is now installed in the prayer garden! Thanks to a generous grant from Federal Government – Volunteer Grants (Community Grants Hub), we've been able to source a drinking fountain that is a bubbler, able to fill water bottles, dog drinking bowl and a tap. Thanks to those who sourced and installed this. This will be beneficial for all those who volunteer in the garden as well as a great way to be good neighbours in our community.

CHURCH CONTACTS

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