

# NEWS & NOTES

SUNDAY 6 AUGUST 2023 - PENTECOST 10

This is the day of the 78<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the bombing of Hiroshima and the story of Sadako. Today in our opening part of worship, in the midst of the war in the UKRAINE and other places, we are reminded of the ever present call for peace. The story of the cranes is told by different writers such as Fred Small “Cranes over Hiroshima” but we



are reminded of the simple prayer of Sadako’s mother and the very haunting song by Robin and Dorothy Mann.

This will be sung as part of our worship and the lighting of a candle with the two coloured

cranes of the Ukraine Yellow and Blue. Today the cranes are above the Communion Table as a reminder of the sign of peace that we express though the Eucharist in our lives.

In February 2022, when war in Ukraine began, the Archbishops of Canterbury and York wrote a prayer for the country and its people:

## **A Prayer for Ukraine**

God of peace and justice,

we pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,  
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace,  
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear,  
that you would hold and protect them.

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## OUR CHURCH LIFE



*A warm welcome to visitors worshipping with us today. We invite you to join us in the Hall after the service for Morning Tea and a time of fellowship.*

<b>SUNDAY 6 AUGUST</b>		<b>SUNDAY 13 AUGUST</b>	
<b>PENTECOST 10</b>		<b>PENTECOST 11</b>	
9.30am Communion Service		9.30am Family Service	
Rev Brian Carey		Rev Brian Carey	
<b>BIBLE READINGS:</b>		<b>BIBLE READINGS:</b>	
Matthew 14:13-21	P.22	Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28	P.40
		Psalm 105:-6. 16-22,45b	P.601
		Romans 10:5-15	P.197
		Matthew 14:22-33	P.22
<b>HYMNS SUNDAY 6 AUGUST</b>			
TIS 163	God who stretched the spangled heavens		
TIS 607	Make me a channel of our peace		
Tis 533	I come with Christians		
TiS 545	Shout for Joy the Lord has let us feast		
	<b>SUNDAY 6 AUGUST</b>	<b>SUNDAY 13 AUGUST</b>	
<b>WELCOMER</b>		Lee-Anne Burnett	
<b>DOOR STEWARDS</b>	Dorothy Carey Martin Bawden	Beth McKechnie	
<b>ELDER</b>	Lee-Anne Burnett	Ann Van Drunen	
<b>BIBLE READER</b>	Helen Bloomfield	Anne Calverley	
<b>FLOWERS</b>		Debbie Thornton	
<b>MORNING TEA</b>	Beth & John McKechnie	Carol Brearley	
<b>MUSIC</b>	Glenn Coughlan Joseph Lunardi	Geoff Hadley Joseph Lunardi	
<b>MULTIMEDIA</b>	Richard Smith	Michael van Drunen	

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We pray in the name of Jesus, the  
Prince of Peace.

Amen

*Archbishop Justin Welby*

*Archbishop Stephen Cottrell*



On August 6th, 1945, the first atomic bomb was dropped, on the Japanese city of Hiroshima. ‘Sadako And The Thousand Paper Crane’, a book by Eleanor Coerr, tells the story of a 2 year old girl called Sadako, who survived the bomb, apparently unscathed, along with her family. When she was 11 years old, however, she became ill with a form of radiation illness. She had to go to hospital. Her best friend came to visit her with a gift. She brought Sadako a folded paper crane, and reminded her of an old Japanese belief: if a sick person made a thousand paper cranes and made a wish on each one, she would get better. Sadako made 642 before she died, but her friends and classmates made the rest and she was buried with a thousand paper cranes. Her statue is in Hiroshima Peace Park — she stands holding an origami crane — and it is her story that has made the folded paper crane a symbol of peace the world over. The song was inspired particularly by a short prayer that Sadako's mother whispers one night as she leaves the hospital bed where her daughter is sleeping: "O flock of heavenly cranes, cover my child with your wings

**May a flock of cranes cover the world and peace be found everywhere**

*Brian Carey*

### Prayers

This week we pray for Rowethorpe Uniting Church and Uniting WA Uniting-World, Frontier Services and Remote Area Ministry (Goldfields, Gascoyne, Meekatharra and Pilbara). Our local prayers will be for Papua and ACEP, Black Pearl Network.

## YouthCare High Tea

Will be held on Saturday 26th August 2:30-4:30

At the St Nicholas Church Hall



One of the three Chaplains our fundraising supports will be among the guest speakers at the coming High Tea and we are so pleased that Joseph Lunardi will be our guest performer.

Jan White now has tickets so please give her your names, at least, to confirm your place as seats are limited. **WE WOULD WELCOME ANY PRIZES FOR THE RAFFLE BIG OR SMALL . IF YOU HAVE AN ITEM TO DONATE, PLEASE LEAVE IT IN THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR ATTENTION OF JAN WHITE.** Some people may also like to make some dainty morsels to contribute for the Tea!

Jan White, Tel: 9385 9070

## Taize Service in the City

**Wednesdays 5.15pm at Trinity Uniting Church,  
72 St Georges Terrace, Perth**

In the busyness of the city, we invite you to join us for a time of stillness and quiet. We offer a sacred space where with music, bible readings and silence, we take time for prayer and contemplation.

Join us as together we can *Be still and know that I am God.*

The Taize style service is open to all.

For more info about the Taize style of service visit <https://www.taize.fr/en>

## CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

### Vale Michael Babrieki

The funeral service of Michael Babrieki (husband of Felicity Taylor) will take place on Wednesday, 9 August 2023 at 2:00pm at All Saints Floreat Uniting Church and will be conducted by Rev Dr Ian Tozer.

An afternoon tea will be held after the service. Please, if you are planning to attend the afternoon tea, bring a plate of food if you can.



### Your Retiring Offering today will go to CARAD



**Thank you**

**Sunday Services at All Saints are Live Streamed** and may be viewed via YouTube at 9:30am each Sunday. If you attend our services and would prefer not to be filmed, please avoid the front four rows of pews. Thank you

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### Date for your diary

**\*\*Sunday, 27 August 2023\*\***



On Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> August the City to Surf marathon and fun runs will resume for the first time since 2019 when the event was closed due to the Covid 19 lockdowns.

Church members will recall that the fun-run commences in Floreat which has two impacts – a) road closures and b) lots of cars parking from early on the day. After years of frustration in 2018 we decided that rather than ‘beat them’ we should ‘join them’ and we hosted a sausage sizzle with other healthy food snacks available to all - it was a wonderful opportunity to be a part of the community and offer hospitality and friendship.

The church council, backed by the worship committee have decided that we will resume this ‘tradition’ and so on that day there will not be a service inside the church but we would spend the morning outdoors actively participating on the fringes of the event on our doorstep.

Please keep this date for your diary. More details will be provided over coming weeks. We will be looking for volunteers to make cakes and slices, help to set-up on the Saturday afternoon and to cook and serve on the Sunday morning.

Please contact **Deborah Marshall** for more details.

*For information on Baptism, Confirmation or Church Membership,  
please contact The Church Office Phone: 9387 6371*

**SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING  
SUNDAY, 6 AUGUST 2023  
AT 10:45 AM**

The Joint Nomination Committee have requested that a Special Congregational Meeting be called on Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> August at 10:45 am to present to the Congregation a candidate for the vacant position here at All Saints Floreat Uniting Church as Minister in Placement.

Members of the Congregation will be given the opportunity at the meeting to speak in support or against the appointment of the candidate.

This is a very important decision that we will be making in the life of All Saints Floreat Uniting Church. We encourage all to attend.

**Michael van Drunen**

*Chair – All Saints Floreat Uniting Church.*

*Member of The Joint Nomination Committee.*



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**Where the wind blows**

**2pm Sunday 20 August**

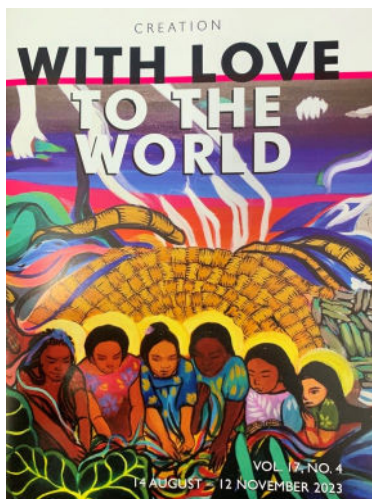
**All Saints Floreat Uniting Church**

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# With Love to the World

## BIBLE STUDY NOTES



For many years members of ‘All Saints’ have been using ‘With Love to the World’ Bible Study Notes as a daily discipline for studying the Bible. The commentaries are a great aid to understanding the set passages for the week which follow the lectionary and therefore give some extra clarity to the Sunday service. There are also special meditations, poems, suggestions for hymns, psalms, etc. following the Church’s calendar and other interesting thought-provoking Reading, as well as questions for group

discussion or individual response. These booklets are produced quarterly by the Uniting Church Parish of Strathfield NSW and need to be ordered in advance. Orders can be placed with **Sylvia Ryan**.

We would encourage you to become a subscriber and increase your understanding of the Bible.

**The latest edition has arrived – please see Sylvia for your order - and there are extra copies if you would like to have one.**

**PERTH INNER CITY YOUTH SERVICES**

**Friday 11 August 2023**

**PICYS Food Pick-Up CityBeach**

**Jean Young, Lynne Jackson, Tel: 9446 5319**

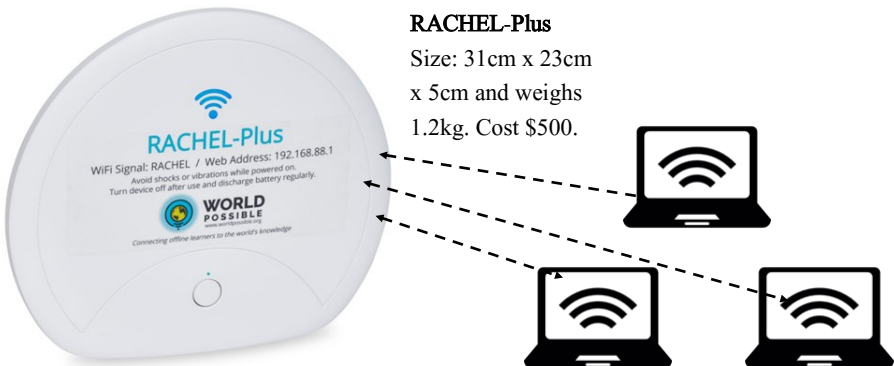




### Second-Hand Laptops and or Tablets Needed for W Papua

Like many in the developing world, Papuans have limited internet access due to remoteness and/or cost. Therefore, RACHEL the “*Remote Area Community Hotspot for Education and Learning*” has been developed as a portable, battery-powered server containing a vast collection of educational content, including textbooks, videos, interactive lessons, and other materials. This means RACHEL can go anywhere in the world and wirelessly deliver free digital educational content to nearby tablets, laptops, or smartphones. RACHEL has been taken to over 53 countries since its creation, serving students in rural villages, townships, and even prisons. In Sierra Leone, students who used RACHEL for just four months increased their English literacy test scores by 67% more than those without RACHEL. Students can also learn many other subjects to increase their literacy overcoming problems of poverty, ill health, disease, poor nutrition and food scarcity.

Fred Bundah, following his recent Black Pearl visit to Perth returned with a RACHEL and is setting up a learning centre in Nabire, Papua. However, donations of laptops or tablets are needed so students can access the wealth of educational information on RACHEL. Donations can be left at the Office or collected by Richard Smith - email: [richard.c.g.smith@gmail.com](mailto:richard.c.g.smith@gmail.com) mobile: 0447 232 945.





## From the Derby Notice Board

### PANDEMIC FLASHBACK

Everyone PLEASE be careful because people are going crazy from being locked down at home!

I was just talking about this with the microwave and the toaster while drinking my Pepsi and we all agreed that things are getting bad.



I didn't mention any of this to the washing machine, because she puts a different spin on EVERYTHING!! Certainly, couldn't share with the fridge, because he's been acting cold and empty! In the end, the iron straightened me out! She said the situation isn't all that pressing and all the wrinkles will soon get ironed out.

The vacuum however, was very unsympathetic...told me to just suck it up! On the other hand, the fan was VERY optimistic and gave me hope that it will all blow over soon.

The toilet looked a bit flushed but didn't say anything when I asked its opinion, but the front door said I was becoming unhinged and the doorknob told me to get a grip!! You can just about guess what the curtains told me: they told me to "pull myself together!"

"The appliances were right, said the vaccine, "all you needed was a few shots in the arm!"

## CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

### Friendship Group (D) Excursion to Lightscape at Kings Park on Wednesday, 19 July 2023



Deborah and Richard Marshall, Penny Hoffman and Sue Talbert with guests enjoyed a visit to another world – right here in Perth last recently for their July Friendship group outing.

We were fortunate that the rain held off as we wandered around a 2km path in the botanic gardens, taking in the bridge overlooking the Old Brewery.



All agreed it was a wonderful experience and to be highly recommended.

*Deborah Marshall*



**Public talk at All Saints Floreat Uniting Church**

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

**Morning tea at 10am. Talk 10.30 to 12pm.**

## **Bins and Beyond: Waste Management in WA**

**A unique opportunity to hear from Carey Wright**

Waste and sustainability blue sky thinker - Waste Minimization  
Officer for the Town of Cambridge.

**Contacts: Marie Yuncken 0410 061 279 Karen Sloan 0421 314 008  
Richard Smith 0447 232 045 Geoff Schupp 0409 985 538**



**A beautiful array of jams and marmalade are for sale and can be found on  
top of the cupboard in the foyer.**

**Prices as marked.**

**Please place cash for any purchases in the slot on the top right of the  
cupboard. Thank you.**