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NEWS & NOTES

SUNDAY 31 MARCH 2024 - EASTER SUNDAY

How Do We Welcome?

Easter is a time when many churches welcome visitors to their services. Whether it is people who regularly come on Easter and Christmas or extended families of regular members, everyone is welcomed as part of these significant celebrations. One area the Elders have been considering is the way we welcome our visitors to All Saints.

Over my time here I have seen the lovely way that visitors are warmly greeted at the door and then chatted to by members as they head in and, on their way out or over morning tea. One area we wanted to improve was what we were giving visitors to take away with them.

So, we are introducing welcome bags. These small bags (pictured)



contain a copy of the church News and Notes, the service handout, a poster for the Singalong, an up-to-date flyer about All Saints, and the details form. This Easter weekend we are also adding in a few chocolate eggs, and we hope in future to have a few other keepsakes as well.

Ultimately this is a small change, but we hope it is a step towards visitors feeling that they are welcome and gives them an easy way to take a bit of All Saints home with them.

What do you think? Do you have suggestions of what to include in the visitors bags?

Rev Reuben

OUR CHURCH LIFE

*To contact Rev Reuben Edmonds, Minister of All Saints Floreat Uniting Church,
please email: minister@allsaintsfloreat.com.au or telephone: 0404 935 167.*

SUNDAY 31 MARCH EASTER SUNDAY 9:30am Family Service Rev Reuben Edmonds	SUNDAY 7 APRIL EASTER 2 9:30am Communion Service Rev Reuben Edmonds
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Isaiah 25:6-9 P.689 Psalm 118:1-2, 12-24 P.610 * 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or P.219 Acts 10:34-43 P.161 John 20:1-18 or P.144 * Mark 16:1-8 P.71 * Included in the service	Acts 4:32-35 P.153 Psalm 133 P.620 1 John 1:1-22 P.302 John 20:19-31 P.144
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HYMNS SUNDAY 31 MARCH

TiS 370	Christ the Lord is Risen Today
TiS 242	Lord of the Dance
TiS 393	Christ is Alive
TiS 228	Crown Him with Many Crowns
TiS 720	Halle Halle Hallelujah!

	SUNDAY 31 MARCH	SUNDAY 7 APRIL
WELCOMER	Lee Anne Burnett	
DOOR STEWARD	Beth McKechnie	
CHURCH COUNCIL	Anne van Drunen	Lee-Anne Burnett
BIBLE READER	Philip Smith	Helen Bloomfield
FLOWERS	Linda Harris Marie Yuncken	
MORNING TEA	Cathy Smith Marg Smithson	Margaret Oliver Marie Yuncken
MUSIC	Glenn Coughlan - Organ Joseph Lunardi - Violin	Glenn Coughlan - Organ Joseph Lunardi - Violin
MULTIMEDIA	Rhondda Tilbrook	Deborah Marshall
MEDIA CLICKER	Christine Ryan	

OUR CHURCH LIFE

Prayers

This week we pray for Bay Life and Capel Uniting Churches; Augusta and Margaret River Uniting Churches; the Methodist Church in Fiji.

Our local prayers will be for our Breakfast Club and Lake Monger Primary.

All Saints Floreat UC Events This Week

Sunday, 31 March	Easter Service	9:30am
Monday, 1 April	Lectionary Bible Study with Rev Reuben	2:00pm - Page Room
Wednesday, 3 April	Care Group Meeting	1:45pm - Vestry
Thursday, 4 April	Worship Committee	2:00pm - Page Room

Your Retiring Offering this week and throughout March will go to the Uniting World Lent Event



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

Friendship Group report



Carmen Savundra, Bob Sumner, Richard Lilly, Helen Lilly, Sue Talbert

Our Friendship Group had its first get together for 2024 on Saturday 23rd March. While enjoying afternoon tea (you can see in the photo that the table is almost empty) each person shared something about their background. Out of the six members present two were born in WA, two were born in other states and two came from overseas to Perth.

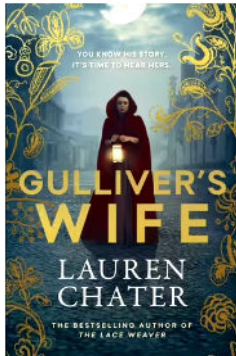
There was much laughter and expressions of amazement as stories were told and connections made. Everyone enjoyed the afternoon.

Rhonda Tilbrook

Ladies Book Club April

The Ladies Book Club meeting on **Monday 8th April at 7.45 pm**, will be held at **Margaret Wolfe's home.**

The book for discussion is *Gulliver's Wife* by Lauren Chater



Recycling

Thank you to everyone who is bringing their recycled items to the church.

Bread tags will no longer be recycled.

Both plastic and metal lids can be recycled but need to be brought in separate containers.

Please do not bring any lids until after 20 April.



Sarah Pearce's fundraiser for Chain of Hope

At the Palm Sunday service I outlined how my daughter Sarah is undertaking the Banjul Half Marathon on 28 April as a fundraiser for the charity Chain of

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Hope, which aims to provide heart surgery for children from countries where none is available (such as The Gambia, where Sarah is working) by taking them to a country in which it is available.

Sponsorship of one child requires GBP5,000 (just over AUD10,000), and this is Sarah's fundraising target. (If she raises more, the excess will go toward another child.)

You will find the details of the project and instructions about how to donate if you google <https://www.justgiving.com/page/sarah-pearce-halfforhearts>

If you have any difficulty or are in any doubt, please email me and I will email the document to you. I will be away from Perth from 7 to 23 April, but I should still see all my emails.

Roy Pearce

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VOLUNTEER!!!!!!

The Duty Roster for March to June 2024 is on the Hall Door.

There are blank spaces to be filled so please check the roster and volunteer if you can. Thank you. Your help is appreciated.

CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

KYB (KNOW YOUR BIBLE)

Thursdays - 9.45-11.30 am

(at “All Saints” Uniting Church)

Ladies - are you interested in learning more about the Bible and how to apply this knowledge in your own life and the life of our Church? The KYB Group provides an opportunity to learn more about our faith and hope through biblical teaching, discuss issues of the day and also share in fellowship and friendship, which is so important in building up the community in which we live. The studies are prepared by Christian Women Communicating International (CWCI) - an ecumenical movement. Contact Sylvia Ryan (9387 4216) or Val Chew (0411 478 833) if you would like more information

- ◆ Please note Studies for Term 2, 2024 commence on Thursday 18th April at 9.45am in the Creche. We will be finishing our study of “The Gospel of Luke” with Unit 9.
- ◆ The following week, 25th April, we will give out the books for the new study – “Prayers of the Old Testament” with Coffee and Introduction to the Study – all ladies welcome.

Your Retiring Offering Next Week and Throughout April will be
for the BOAB Network



**SUPPORT UNITING AID! BRING YOUR
WEET-BIX & ROLLED OATS
TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY**

CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

FLOREAT UC CREATIVE LIVING CENTRE IN ACTION

This week, volunteers of the CLC sprang into action, meeting an Aboriginal mother and child on their arrival in Perth from Mowanjum, visiting for a few days for medical appointments. They were entertained with an outing to the beach and some financial assistance. The supplies in the Undercroft provided a child's car seat for the outing, clothing and a suitcase, which were very much appreciated.

Also, the CLC sold a cot to some grandparents who were accommodating their granddaughter over Easter and supplied the sheets and covers. The child 10 months old, had tragically suffered birth trauma, so we were able to offer some comforting words and some educational toys to help her.



**Do you have an article,
story, recipe or other item
that may be of interest to the
Church community?**

If so, we would be very interested in considering it for publication in future editions of the News & Notes.

Please submit your item to
Marika Leonard,
Office Administrator at
office@allsaintsfloreat.com.au

Thank you

All Saints Sing- Along



Our Monthly Sing-Along is the perfect blend of fun and harmony.

Come and sing your favourite tunes on the third Thursday of every month during 2024.

2:00pm to 4:00pm

18 April	19 September
16 May	17 October
20 June	21 November
18 July	19 December
15 August	

Create unforgettable memories and build a community through the joy of singing.

No auditions. No need to read music.
Afternoon Tea Provided - Gold Coin Donation

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