



# NEWS & NOTES

SUNDAY 23 JUNE 2024 - UCA ANNIVERSARY

## *Archibald Prize Submission: Rev Sharon Hollis*



*Rev Sharon Hollis, President, National Assembly of the Uniting Church in Australia'. Oil on Linen, Frame: 156 x 115cm, Image: 150 x 110cm. Commenced 10.03.2024. Completed 23.04.2024. by Michael Donnelly, 0438674247*

Artist and Uniting Church member Michael Donnelly recently submitted a painting of Uniting Church President Rev Sharon Hollis for the Archibald Prize 2024.

Having known Sharon for three decades, the work is inspired by his admiration for her leadership, openness, courage, strength and faith.

To read more about what inspired Michael Donnelly to feature the President,

how the work developed and the symbolism in the background, go to:

<https://uniting.church/rev-sharon-hollis-painting/>

*Rev Reuben*

## OUR CHURCH LIFE

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

<b>SUNDAY 23 June</b> <b>UCA Anniversary</b> <b>9:30am Family Service</b> <b>Rev Reuben Edmonds</b>	<b>SUNDAY 30 June</b> <b>After Pentecost 6</b> <b>9:30am Family Service</b> <b>Rev Reuben Edmonds</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* 2 Chronicles 30:1-9 P.455</li> <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Psalm 127 P.618</li> <li>* Ephesians 2:19-22 P.241</li> <li style="padding-left: 40px;">* John 17:1-11 P.140</li> <li>* Included in Service</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27 P.298</li> <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Psalm 130 P.619</li> <li>2 Corinthians 8:7-15 P.228</li> <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Mark 5:21-43 P.52</li> </ul>

### HYMNS SUNDAY 23 JUNE

TiS 59	All People That On Earth Do Dwell
Overhead	Give Thanks to God, Who Leads Us (Tune TiS 227)
TiS 456	Your Hand, O God, Has Guided
TiS 106	Now Thank We All Our God
TiS 755	You Shall Go Out With Joy

	SUNDAY 23 JUNE	SUNDAY 30 JUNE
Welcomer	Lee-Anne Burnett	Ross Gobby
Door Steward	Beth McKechnie Jan White	Lee-Anne Burnett
Church Council	Deborah Marshall	Els Mengler
Bible Reader	Helen Bloomfield	Margaret Smithson
Flowers	Debbie Thornton	Keith Bakker
Morning Tea	Michiko & Barry Stuart	Beth & John McKechnie
Music	Anne van Drunen - Piano Joseph Lunardi Violin	Rachel Brayshaw - Piano Joseph Lunardi - Violin
Multimedia	Rhondda Tilbrook	Deborah Marshall
Media Clicker	Deborah Marshall	Christine Ryan

## OUR CHURCH LIFE

### *Prayers*

**From The WA Synod:** Methodist Ladies' College, Presbyterian Ladies' College, Scotch College, and Scarborough Uniting Church. The Evangelical Christian Church in Tanah Papua.

**Our local prayers will be for:** The Uniting Church in Australia congregations, agencies and schools.

### **All Saints Floreat UC Events This Week**

Monday, 24 June	Lectionary Bible Study	2:00pm - Page Room
Tuesday, 25 June	Church Council Meeting	6:00pm - Page Room
Wednesday, 26 June	Open House Playgroup	9:30am - Page & Buttfield Rooms
Thursday, 27 June	KYB	9:45am - Creche

### *Offerings may be made to the church via bank transfer to:*

Account Name: Uniting Church in Australia - Parish of Floreat  
BSB: 036 063. Account Number: 122093

### *Recycling*



Thank you to everyone who is recycling plastic lids.

Metal lids can also be brought to the church for recycling. These metal lids need to be separated from the plastic lids and placed in the second recycling drawer.

### **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

***Let's Talk About Mission - Saturday, 6 July 2024***

***Do you have any old magazines??***

If you have old magazines of any type you no longer need, please bring them to church and leave in the office so they can be used at the workshop.

Thank you.

***This is My Uniting Church***

**This is my Uniting Church  
All Saints Floreat UC**



All Saints Floreat Uniting Church is featured in the UCA Assembly series of This is my Uniting Church - telling stories of local congregations and communities of faith.

We shared how scripture and liturgy have enriched our relationships with each other and grown our faith and hearts for justice.

*"First and foremost we see God at work through each and every one of us."*

To read the article go to: [This is my Uniting Church: All Saints Floreat – Uniting Church Australia](#)

# Let's Talk About Mission



**Saturday 6 July**  
**9:00am to 12:00pm**

**All Saints Floreat UC**  
**Morning Tea Included.**

Rev Rob Douglas, Presbytery Minister for Mission, will lead us through an opportunity to imagine what our church looks like at its best, explore the five marks of mission, and then lead us in an opportunity to review our current mission. This will be an important foundation for any imagination we have about future mission.

It is important that our new mission plan reflects the whole congregation, so we need you!

**Please make every effort you can to come to the workshop and let's journey together as we discern what God is calling our congregation to do.**

**We need**

**YOU!**





## *Do You Have a Spare Laptop For Mowanjum CRC?*



**BOAB NETWORK**

On a Journey with the Mowanjum Community

Mowanjum Community Resource Centre helps provide Aboriginal people of the NEW Kimberley with Computer and Internet Access by selling at cost refurbished Laptops capable of running Windows 10 or 11 and additional software similar to MS Office.

If you have a laptop to donate to Mowanjum CRC please contact Richard Smith on 0447 232 945 or [richard.cg.smith@gmail.com](mailto:richard.cg.smith@gmail.com) who will organise to collect and freight to Derby.



### *New Social Media Pages*



All Saints Floreat Uniting Church launched on Facebook and Instagram on Wednesday, 19 June. We hope this will be a new opportunity to reach out to our wider community. If you use Facebook or Instagram, please look for us and like/follow.

**The new copies of Robert Hoskin's**  
***“Clive the Kimberley Cockatoo”*** and  
**Alex Sangster's *“Do they Make***  
***Coffins that Small”*** have arrived. Some  
people ordered more copies but I need a  
reminder as to who you are. Please contact  
Marie on 0410 061 279. Thank you.



Clive the Kimberley cockatoo

Robert Hoskin

## *CLC End of Financial Year Appeal*



As we near the end of another financial year, you may like to consider a tax-deductible gift to our charity – Creative Living Centre.

You may like to check out the work we have been doing in Mowanjurn (and the Kimberley) and the Papuan Provinces of Indonesia.

[The Boab Network](#) – working with indigenous communities in the Kimberley.

[The Black Pearl Network](#) – working with indigenous Papuan communities in the Papuan Provinces of Indonesia.

**The impact of our programs is profound and greatly received by these unique communities.**

Our work is 100% reliant on donations primarily from Western Australian donors. All donations are 100% tax deductible and can be made either via the links on our network websites or directly to our Deductible Gift Fund Bank Account.

If you choose to direct transfer your donation, then please email our administrator with your details to ensure you receive a tax-deductible receipt.

Name: CLC Deductible Gift Fund

BSB: 036 063; Account Number: 368982

**We also have a discrete GOFUNDME appeal to raise \$10,000 towards our Black Pearl English Language Program: To donate, go to: [Fundraiser by Kerry Povey : Help change the lives of kids in Papua, Indonesia \(gofundme.com\)](#)**

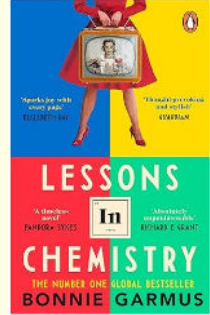
Together we can make a real and lasting difference that creates opportunities for impoverished indigenous communities.

## OUR CHURCH LIFE

### *Ladies Bookclub*

The book for July is “Lessons in Chemistry”  
by Bonnie Garmus

We will meet on Monday 8 July



### *Friendship Group News*



Our friendship group had a very enjoyable lunch at Koorak at Kings Park celebrating the birthdays of Bob and Helen.

*L – R: Bob Sumner, Carmen Savundra, Marion Laws, Rhondda Tilbrook, Richard and Helen Lilly*

Friendship group participants each belong to a small group (8-11) which meets informally about once every six weeks. This provides opportunities to get to know people in a relaxed and informal setting. The mix of people in a group is changed each year so that over the years the sense of belonging increases as we get to know more people.

**If you would like to join a Friendship Group and participate in events like the one reported above and others, please contact the office.**



## CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

### *Are You a Hairdresser/Barber with Time to Spare or Retired?*

The logo for Short Back & Sidewalks, featuring the text "SHORT BACK™ & SIDEWALKS" in white, bold, sans-serif font on a black rectangular background.

If so, Short Back & Sidewalks would like to hear from you.

Short Back & Sidewalks provides free hair-cutting and grooming services for members of the community who are experiences homelessness.

If you are a hairdresser or barber who would like to volunteer for this very worthwhile service, find more information at [shortbackandsidewalks.com.au](http://shortbackandsidewalks.com.au)

### **Your Retiring Offering on Sunday 30 June 2024 will go to CARAD**



### **PERTH INNER CITY YOUTH SERVICES**

**Friday 28 June 2024**

**Food Pick-Up Floreat**

**J & C Schaus - 0409 293 319**

**AM Please**





## *Uniting Aid EOFY Appeal*

The End of Financial Year (EOFY) is fast approaching and there has never been a better time to give.

Uniting Aid is dedicated to supporting vulnerable individuals who are in need. While we can't solve all their problems, we strive to provide them with love and hope, ensuring no one is left behind. As God's people, we are here to care for them.

We are asking for your support by contributing to our EOFY Appeal before 30 June 2024.

All donations over \$2.00 are fully tax-deductible, and your generosity will have a lasting impact.

Uniting Aid; BSB: 036 304; Account No: 382452

## *Calling all Stitchers!!*



Or to be more specific, any Foundation Piecers out there, or Patchwork technicians who would like to master a new and easy skill.

I am looking for a team to assist with a project to decorate our sanctuary and celebrate the Season of Creation this

September. 12inch blocks are all that is required and Foundation Piecing is easy to learn. Come and see me for details.

*Christine Ryan*

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### *CLC News*



Last week the Boab Network of the Floreat UC Creative Living Centre at the initiative of Claire Smith sent a load of warm clothes, sheets, pillows and kitchen utensils north to the Mowanjum Community in the NW Kimberley where temperatures have recently plummeted.

Bishop's Transport of Forrestfield kindly donated the freight cost of two pallets of goods. Warm clothes were also supplied to a Mowanjum lady who arrived in Perth for medical treatment.



**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](mailto:office@allsaintsfloreat.com.au)

Thank you

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### *Retreat Day* *Sorrows and Sunflowers*



*Retreat Leader: Rev Janelle Macgregor*

Kalamunda Uniting Church, Heath Road, Kalamunda

**Saturday, 29 June, 2024 ~ 9.30am - 2.30pm**

*Bring and share morning tea and lunch.*

Throughout life we experience many losses and accumulate many sorrows. Over time, our sorrows can shape our hopes and dreams, our expectations, our relationships, and our faith. In this retreat, participants have an opportunity to explore their sorrows and where they might plant more sunflowers. This retreat is a safe space – sharing is optional, and confidentiality is respected. You will explore the topic through worship, prayer, poetry, your own visual and written responses.

Please **RSVP** to Janelle by **22 June** - ph 0427051101, email [abbeypathways@gmail.com](mailto:abbeypathways@gmail.com)

## Preserves for Sale

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.