



Morialta Uniting Church

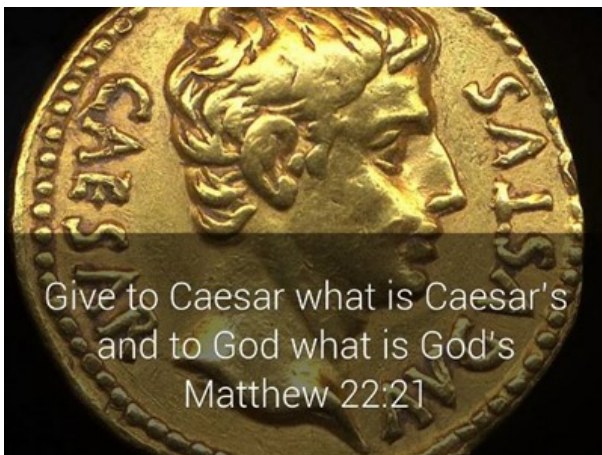


Living Streams ~ Giving Life

26 Chapel Street, MAGILL

Sunday, 18 October 2020

Pentecost 20



This phrase has become a widely quoted summary of the relationship between Christianity, secular government, and society. The original message, coming in response to a question of whether it was lawful for Jews to pay taxes to Caesar, gives rise to multiple possible interpretations about the circumstances under which it is desirable for Christians to submit to earthly authority.

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We acknowledge the Kurna people, the traditional custodians on whose land this church was built. We commit ourselves to actively work alongside First Nations people for reconciliation and justice.

Videoring of the service every week

Just a reminder that we are now videoring our services each week for livestream broadcast via YouTube and Facebook. This enables those not yet comfortable to return to worship in person, or located at a distance, to share in the worship experience. Any shots of the congregation are from the rear or at a distance. Please see Bruce or Margaret if you have any concerns.

Gateways

The next Gateways gathering will be on Friday 23rd October at 7.30pm in the Kooka Rooms. We will be viewing and discussing a DVD of the TV version of "The Christ Files" presented by Dr John Dickson.

Sam Colegrove will lead us. Please let Colin C know before Thursday 22nd if you plan to attend 0427122106 snout-n-about@bigpond.com)

Professional Development Leave

From Monday 12th October, Rev Bob will be taking 2 weeks of professional development leave. For pastoral care matters during that time please contact Margaret Cargill, and for other matters contact Bruce Ind.

On-line Communion Survey: the Transforming Worship Task group of the UCA is seeking people to respond to a survey re Holy Communion on-line. The survey closes on Monday 19th. A report will be generated for the National Assembly in 2021. If you would like to take the short survey, then please click this link. Complete the survey if you are a participant in Holy Communion: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5P6M685>

Vision in the Wilderness #15 (13th October)

Articles in the latest VitW include an article about the difference between mental health and mental health conditions, and how to cope with normal stresses of life, plus an article about the value of wearing face masks. Also you will find information about the Worship Area attendance register for the protection of our AV team and an update on rosters. Plus photos and snippets from around our community.

LIVE STREAMING MORIALTA

Here is the YouTube Direct link for our Live Streamed Worship service for 18 October 2020
https://youtu.be/dbVEE8xOu_w

HIBERNIA



Coffee, chat, discussion, sharing together:

that is what happens each 1st and 3rd

Tuesdays of the month at the **Hibernia**

Café 611 Magill Rd from 10.00am. You are

welcome to join this small group of

about 5-7 people. We discuss all sorts of

things- faith, church, world, what's

happening.

Just turn up or contact Rev Bob.

New procedure to help keep AV equipment COVID-safe

If you enter the church during the week, please complete a Worship Area Attendance Register each time, indicating any AV equipment you may have touched. Registers are located at all 3 entrances. This will enable us to ensure an effective sanitising regime.

For more information, see Vision Issue 15 or ask John Drew, Margaret Cargill or Bruce Ind.

Before you leave the house,
you need to make up your mind
that you're going to

stay positive

and enjoy the day
no matter what comes your way.
You have to decide ahead of time.

— JOEL OSTEEN

Diary Dates

Today

9.30 am Worship Service

Monday 19 October

8.30 am Monday Boys

10.00 am Japanese Playgroup

1.30 pm Tai Chi

Tuesday 20 October

9.30 am Playgroup

5.00 pm Property Team

Wednesday 21 October

1.30 pm Workshop

Friday 23 October

9.30 am Art & Craft Circle

7.30 pm Gateways

Safe Church Update

October 22nd will mark the second anniversary of the apology to the survivors of institutional abuse. This has not been an easy space for the Church.



It is painful to hear the impact of the failure of institutions like ours to listen carefully and act wisely when told of stories of abuse. There is a message from the President Dr Deidre Palmer about the anniversary and an on-line liturgy is being prepared. These can be accessed from the Assembly Website. <https://uniting.church/anniversary-liturgy/>

LECTIONARY READINGS

Today: Exodus 33:12-23
 Psalm 99
 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
 Matthew 22:15-22

25October: Deuteronomy 34:1-12
 Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17
 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
 Matthew 22:34-46

	18 October	25 October
Minister	Rev. David Purling	Rev. B Hutchinson
Worship Leader	R. Amber	C. Lyons
Bible Reader	K. Mackenzie	P. Ayles
Music	J. Edwin C. Ottmann	A. Ind C. Ottmann
Singer	A. Ind	Katrina
Welcome	D. Matheson	L. Brown
Covid Marshal	C. Lyons	R. Amber
Ushers	B. Ind	J. Swanbury
Communion Stewards	n/a	n/a
Flowers	J. Sillett	J. Sillett
Tea / Coffee Temp.	J. Kerr / M. Watson	J. Hancock / J. Purling
Hall Packdown	B. Ind	C. Ayles
Closing Security	J. Drew	R. Amber
Audio	J. Drew	S. Colegrove
Projection	S. Colegrove	S. Mackenzie
Cameras	C. Cargill / G. Vincent	R. Clogg / C. S
Vision Director	M. Cargill	J. Secombe
Vision Switcher	M. Mackenzie	L. Mackenzie
Video Editor	S. Colegrove	D. Purling
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