



SUNDAY, 29 August 2021

Pentecost 14



Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around him, ² they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. ³ (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; ⁴ and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) ⁵ So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, "Why do your disciples not live] according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands? Mark 7:1-5

Minister:

Rev Bob Hutchinson
P: 0422 264 332
minister@morialtauca.org.au

Office Coordinator:

Nicole
P: 8331 9344
office@morialtauca.org.au

**Chairperson Church Council
& Congregation**

Bruce Ind
M: 0413 606 200
bruceind@mac.com

Secretary Church Council:

Rhonda Amber
M: 0407 722 473
rhondav@tpg.com.au

Website: Morialtauca.org.au

Newsletter Editor:

Sharon Mackenzie
newsletter@morialtauca.org.au



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF LAND

We acknowledge the Kurna people, traditional custodians of this land, and pay our respects to their elders, past, present and future for they hold the memories, the traditions, the culture and hopes of the living Kurna today.

The Church in the Digital Age

The Uniting Church in Australia Assembly Standing Committee has formed a theological task group to explore Church in the Digital Age with the purpose to identify the critical theological, pastoral and practical issues related to the worship, witness and service of the Uniting Church in Australia raised by the challenges and opportunities of the digital age.

As a response you are invited to meet briefly with Bruce immediately after the service. Morialta UC will make a submission and if you wish to contribute please be there. We will gather in front of the communion table.

LIVE STREAMING MORIALTA

Here is the YouTube Direct link for our live streamed worship service for **Sunday, 29 August 2021**

<https://youtu.be/nINSffr6Pug>

A call for Singers.

We are looking for more people who might assist worship by singing on Sundays. We aim for two singers each Sunday but our roster is getting thin. Can you help out once every so often? Experience great or small. Please talk with Jenny Swanbury or Rev Bob who can give more info.



COVID Update

At its meeting last Tuesday, Council considered the recent relaxations. While singing, when wearing masks, is permitted under relaxed conditions the logistics required were considered unworkable. We will continue with the present scenario and review the Council's decision next meeting. Please be in touch with Bruce if you have any questions.

Suicide Awareness: It's Always Time to Talk

On Thursday 9th September, Scots Church will observe its 11th year of actively sharing information, support and resources in acknowledgement of the many lives lost by suicide each year. This year the program brings with it a new focus on talking about mental health.

[Read more](#) (link)



Lectionary Readings

Today 29 August—Pentecost 14

Song of Songs 2:8-13
Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9
James 1:17-27
Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

5 September—Pentecost 15

Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23
Psalm 125
James 2:1-10, (11-13), 14-17
Mark 7:24-37

GUESS WHO'S COMING TO LUNCH

Reminder:

This event is today,

Sunday, 29 August.



Advanced Christian Leadership with Craig Bailey

This 6-week course focuses on engaging with change in a pastoral context. 'It is designed for leaders, lay or ordained, those in ministry or preparing for ministry, who are serious about seeing real and sustained change in a congregation or community of faith' said Craig Bailey. This course will commence on 22nd September and will run every Wednesday from 5.30pm-7.30pm (for credit or audit). For further information please contact Craig Bailey on 0884168429 or email cbailey@unitingcollege.edu.au.

DIARY DATES

Monday 30 August

8.30am Monday Boys
10.00am Japanese Playgroup
1.30pm Tai Chi

Tuesday 31 August

9.30am Playgroup

Wednesday 1 September

12 noon Lunch on Chapel
1.00pm Community Shed

Friday 3 September

9.30am Art & Craft Circle
10.00am Coffee & Chat

Coffee & Chat

Don't forget that coffee, tea, biscuits and fellowship is served in the foyer every Friday at 10.00am at Morialta.



Earth as God's home for all: Hospitality & Habitat –

Come and celebrate the opening of the *Seasons of Creation* with Churches Together SA & Catholic Council for Integral Ecology. Followed by "A walk on Country"

Where – Gladys Elphick Park – Park 25 (Port Rd or Glover Ave – West Parklands)

When – Wednesday 1st Sept @ 12.30-1.30pm

To Register <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=801068&>

Worship Roster

	29 August	5 September
Minister	Alice Kroker	Rev Bob Hutchinson Rev Cate Baker
Worship Leader	C. Mackenzie	M. Cargill
Bible Reader	C. Lyons	R. Pitt
Piano	J. Edwin	E. Sullivan
Music	C. Ottmann	C. Ottmann
Singers	C. Ottmann TBA	D. Purling C. Ottmann
Welcome	J. Purling	J. Sillett
COVID-19 Marshal	L. Brown	R. Amber
Communion Stewards		L. Brown, J. Sillett J. Swanbury, B. Tredrea
Flowers	A. Lomman	R. Amber
Tea / Coffee	J. Hancock / M. Elson	J. Purling / C. Lyons
Hall Pack-down	C. Mackenzie	TBA
Closing Security	C. Mackenzie	TBA
Audio	S. Colegrove	TBA
Projection	C. Cargill	S. Mackenzie
Cameras	L. Mackenzie / J. Secombe	C. Cargill / G. Vincent
Vision Director	M. Cargill	J. Secombe
Vision Switcher	M. Mackenzie	C. Ayles
Video Editor	S. Colegrove	D. Purling

Articles for the Weekly Newsletter

Please email any articles for the Weekly newsletter to me at

newsletter@morialtauca.org.au. Thank you. Sharon (Editor)