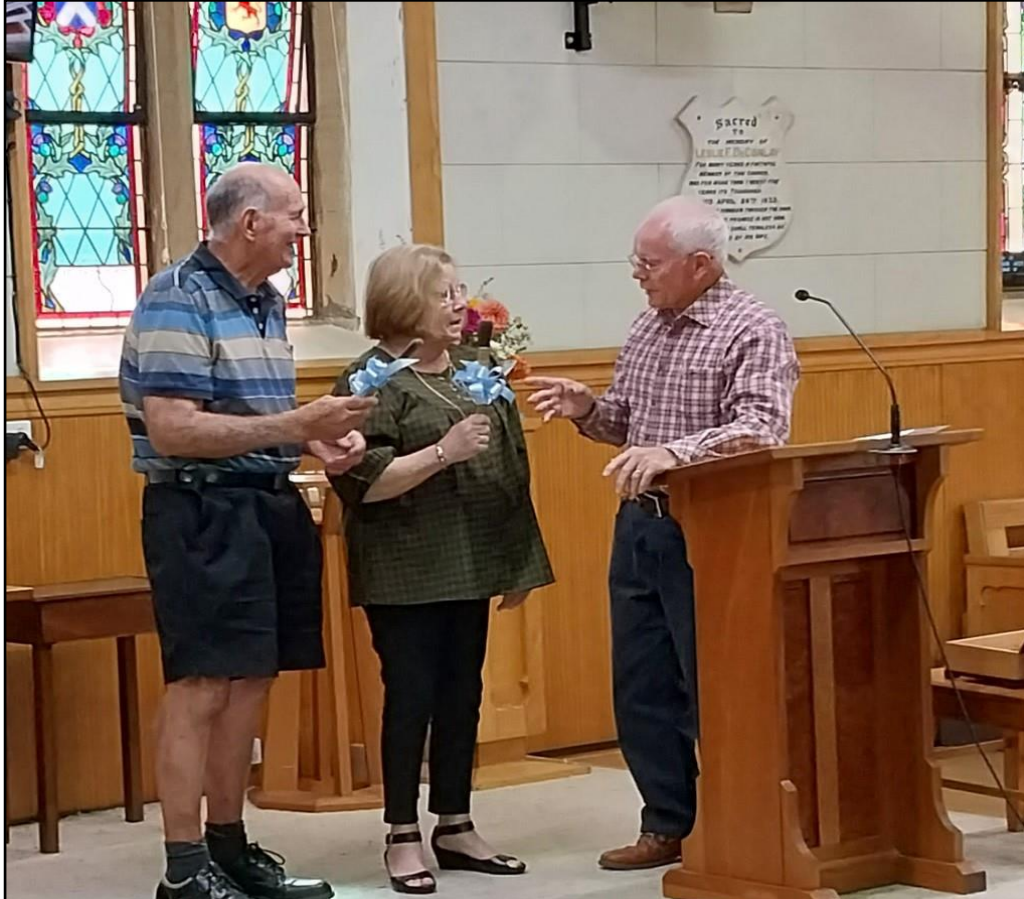




The Uniting Church in Australia
Warwick, Killarney & Freestone Uniting
Parish

Sunday 23rd April 2023

Easter 3



Recognition for hours of hard work. Award: the Golden Paintbrush

PRAYER

Loving Christ,
as we gather at your table
come beside us as you came beside those on the road to Emmaus.

Open our eyes, Light of the World,
to your work of transformation in and around us.

As we walk with you day by day,
may your new life be made manifest in what we say to others.

Loving God, may we live as people reborn to lives of hope, joy and peace. Amen

Welcome

Welcome to worship as we celebrate the Lord's Supper in Warwick and meet in Killarney. Open our ears to hear your word and our hearts to share your love with all people.

Worship Services

Sunday 23rd April

- 8:30am Killarney
- 9:30am Warwick Holy Communion

Sunday 30th April

- 8:30am Killarney
- 9:30am Warwick
- 5:30pm Intergenerational Worship



Readings:

Sunday 23rd April

Easter 3

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Psalm 116:1-4

1 Peter 1:17-23

Luke 24: 13-35

Sunday 30th April

Easter 4

Acts 2:42-47

Psalm 23

1 Peter 2:19-25

John 10:1-10



INTERGENERATIONAL WORSHIP

5:30pm



All welcome to come to this service where we are given space through craft and song to learn and reflect at our own pace.

We finish with supper; finger food is welcome to share as we eat and fellowship with families.



Next Sunday in Warwick
5th Sunday of the month

VOLUNTEER

This a non-roster day but we still need:

- Door Welcomers
- Morning Tea helpers



• Food (we love our morning tea!)

A Blue Care Grief and Loss Program, Monday 8th May 2-4pm.

Spaces still available for those who are grieving.

Please contact Barbara 0417 674 121 or Jean 0459 462 379 to register or for more information.

Brochures with more information are in Williams Hall foyer.

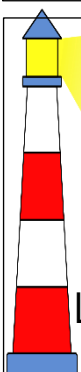
LIGHTHOUSE NEWS

We are invited to their Open Day

Friday 28th April

3pm-5pm

Location: cnr Grafton and Guy Street



Golf Day in aid of Protea Place

Monday May 1st

Labour Day Holiday

Cost \$20, Time: 10-12pm

Calling for teams of 4,

Ambrose 2 ball – open to all levels

Sausage Sizzle during the game

Reflection Luke 24: 13 -49...Easter 3



What an amazing and heart-warming story this is, as Jesus comes to the two disciples on the road to Emmaus. Of course, we know

before we hear this account that Jesus is risen! But for these two grieving disciples, they have gone through the trauma of grief, guilt and shame, as Jesus is put on trial, has been whipped, scorned and hung on the cross to die.

They have heard that the tomb is empty, but there is no thought in their minds that Jesus has risen. So, they are on their way Emmaus, and sharing their grief by recalling all the events. As this stranger draws near, there is no recognition who it is that is walking with them. One of the scholars says that apparently God has

temporarily blinded them from recognizing Jesus.

Towards the end of the account we read, "Then their eyes opened, and they recognized him;" (24:31a). This story is a wonderful moving from blindness to light, and from disbelief to understanding and confession as they told the others, and from overwhelming grief to joy.

There were two actions of Jesus that helped them to recognize him. First Jesus interprets the Jewish Scriptures, then Cleopas and his companion ask Jesus to stay with them for the night, and he sits to share the meal. As he breaks the bread, their eyes are opened, and their lives will never be the same. Loving Lord, please open our eyes to see you each day, travelling this journey of life with us all. Amen. Blessings, May.

Jumpers & Jazz

Church Council has embraced the wonderful opportunity in Jumpers & Jazz to reach our community and visitors by extending our Jazzy participation by opening Courtyard Coffee each weekday morning from 21st July to 30th July. The idea is to have a walk through the Church display as the point of entry to the courtyard. Sunday worship will have a musical focus, with Sharny Russell (our Breakfast Jazz Singer) attending worship on July 23rd.

To do this we need volunteers and ideas.

The theme for 2023 Jumpers and Jazz is 'Pathways'.

We are going to need the following rosters:

- Hospitality teams (Training will be start soon for helpers in the kitchen, and we would love to hear from those willing to learn Barista skills.)
- Church sitters
- Displays: Church and grounds and Courtyard

Suggested program will be out in next New Horizons

Contact any of our Council members with your creative ideas and offers to be involved.



2022 Display
'Showers of blessings'



CARE CORNER

- Give thanks for our Intergenerational Worship happening next Sunday.
- Pray that more families will be reached through this more relaxed ministry.
- Give thanks for those who put their lives on the line to keep us safe, whether our defence personnel or our ambo's, fire and police
- Pray for our veterans and the families of those whose loved ones have passed on.
- Pray for our world this Anzac Day! May the sacrifice of so many, not only in World War One but all other conflicts be remembered as enabling us to live in a safety and security.
- Give thanks for all our volunteers who make our Parish such a caring part of the community and enable a welcoming atmosphere in our complex.

CARE CORNER

Spread the news and spread the care!

We would love to have your contributions to this section of our Notices.

- Have you joys to celebrate and share?
- Would you like a specific mention of a social issue?
- Would you like prayer for an illness or change in circumstance?

THIS WEEK:

Today Sunday 23rd April

Hospitality: Group 4

*Flowers: Claire Cunningham,
Jenny Pearce*

Monday 24th April

8:15am Courthouse cuppa

Tuesday 25th April Anzac Day

Wednesday 26th April

9:15am mainly music Killarney

1:00pm Wesley Bowls

3:00pm Selah Bible Study

7:00pm Young Women's Group

7:00pm Beta Home Group

Thursday 27th April

9:15am mainly music Warwick

1:00pm St Andrews Bowls

5:00pm Girls' Brigade Killarney

Friday 28th April

9:30am Courtyard Coffee

10:00am KYB

Saturday 29th April

☺ *Hospitality: Volunteers*

*Flowers: Sue Campbell & Lyn
Parkinson*

NEW HORIZONS

Calling for contributions as we would like to have May issue out 1st week of May.

Cheques can be mailed Warwick Uniting Church PO Box 436 Warwick Q 4370

Bank: Uniting Church Warwick/Killarney Westpac BSB: 034 226 Acc:141717

Please mark deposits offerings or donations

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