

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

Sunday 9th June



Welcome to worship as we continue to journey with the disciples after the crucifixion on this third Sunday after Pentecost. May God bless you today as you join in either online or in the pew. Please stay for a chat and a cuppa after the Service.



Gracious God, Source of Unconditional Love, our hearts are too often turned inward, consumed by our own desires and focused on our own interests, clinging tightly to what we have or want, leaving little room for true compassion.

Forgive us, when we choose ourselves over others. Open our eyes to see the suffering, the struggles, the hopes and fears of those around us—especially those who are "other" to our own experiences. Let us see the beauty, worth, and humanity in each of Your children, no matter how different they may seem from us.

Teach us to live and love for the sake of others following Christ's example. Give us the courage to stand with the marginalised, give voice to the oppressed, and be present with the isolated and alone. Let our words, actions, and choices manifest Your compassion. We are one family united in You. May that truth be reflected in the treatment of all, near and far. In Christ's name, we pray, Amen.

Worship Services

Sunday 9th June

- 8:30am Killarney Combined Catholic
- 9:30am Warwick
- 2:00pm Freestone

Wed 5:30pm Intergenerational worship – 3 Finch St

Sunday 16th June

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

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Readings:

Sunday 9th June

I Samuel 8: 4 – 11 Psalm 138:

2 Corinthians 4: 13-5:1 Mark 3: 20 – 35

Sunday 16th June

1 Samuel 15: 34 – 16:13 Psalm 20

2 Corinthians 5: 6 - 10,

14-17

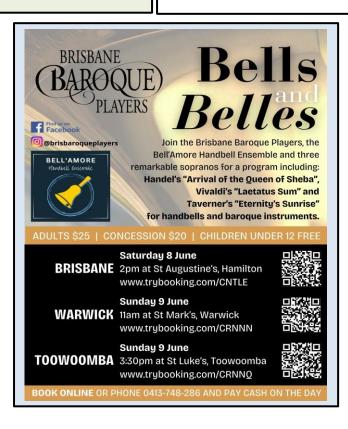
Mark 4: 26 - 34

Don't forget to complete your worship survey and hand it to a leader as you leave for morning tea.

We're on an exciting journey to look at re-imagining our worship in Warwick. If you would like to join the worship team – singing, easyworship, playing an instrument, etc, join us at a meeting on Thursday 13th June – 4:30 to 6pm. Sue C

Congratulations to lan and Betty on the birth of their new granddaughter -Evie Grace







June 9th Mark 3: 20-25 Pentecost 3

This passage today raises lots of questions about 'who' Jesus is. We often console ourselves by imagining if we were there with Jesus, our faith and trust would have been easy. This was not so, as we are reminded today.

Jesus is certainly a figure to be reckoned with. He heals all manner of people from many different diseases. He teaches with such authority that people immediately recognize that this is new and different. He calls and commissions his followers, and the crowds flock to him.

Where does his power come from? Is he just a crackpot who will crash and burn? How can we understand him? Even his family went out to restrain him, because all types of reports and gossip were coming to them.

They don't even get close to restraining him, as we read further past our passage for today. The natural family is of secondary importance to this New Community Jesus has established. Those who did get close were the scribes from Jerusalem.

They tried to discount him by declaring, "He has Beelzebub, and by the ruler of demons he casts out demons. Jesus quickly responds to their claim, "How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself cannot, that kingdom cannot stand."

Loving Father, we pray that our world is full to overflowing with your love, acceptance and grace. Amen.

Blessings, May.

Our Courthouse
Cuppa team invite
others to share in this
ministry – mostly
Monday mornings –
to cook and/or to
serve with a buddy.
Can you help? See
Alison Baistow.



Donations of doonas and blankets can be left at the church office or contact Dianne on 0427 000 887 to arrange collection.



Thanks to those who have contributed towards supplying blankets. Some of our visiting workers are sleeping warmer thanks to your generosity.

But we know it will get colder.

More are needed.

August Market Day

Saturday 17th
9 – 12noon.
Books, plants,
preserves, cakes etc.
Entertainment and
much more.



Care Corner

- Pray for Rev May and John Morris as they begin their annual winter adventure. Firstly, spending time with family in Brisbane celebrating birthdays and a wedding. Then travelling to North Queensland.
- Give thanks for the safe delivery of a granddaughter for lan and Betty and blessings on the Brown family.
- Pray for students as they come to exam time before the completion of semester 1.
- Pray for God's blessings on the marriage of Jackson and Emily next Sat 15th June and the Mauch and Pitstock families.

Southern Downs Refugee & Migrant Network are screening a movie at the Churches of Christ auditorium, June 15 at 2pm

Protea Place pantry is running low of supplies. Easy meal supplies (inc. protein) could be left in the bucket in our foyer. Warwick Food Assist Outreach provide a hamper for \$35. Phone 4634 1157

What's happening this week?

10th - 15th June

Hospitality: Group 2
Flowers: Marg Adcock

Monday 10th June

Ansie's non-contact day

10:45am Akooramak Courthouse Cuppa

Wednesday 12th June

9.30am Killarney mainly music

1:00pm Wesley Bowls

3:00pm Selah Home Group

5:30pm Intergen worship 3 Finch St

7:00pm Beta Home Group

Thursday 13th June

9:15am Warwick mainly music

5:00pm Killarney Girls' Brigade

7:00pm Church Council

Friday 14th June

9:30 – 11am Courtyard Coffee

Flowers: Sunday 16th June Daphne Porter



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