

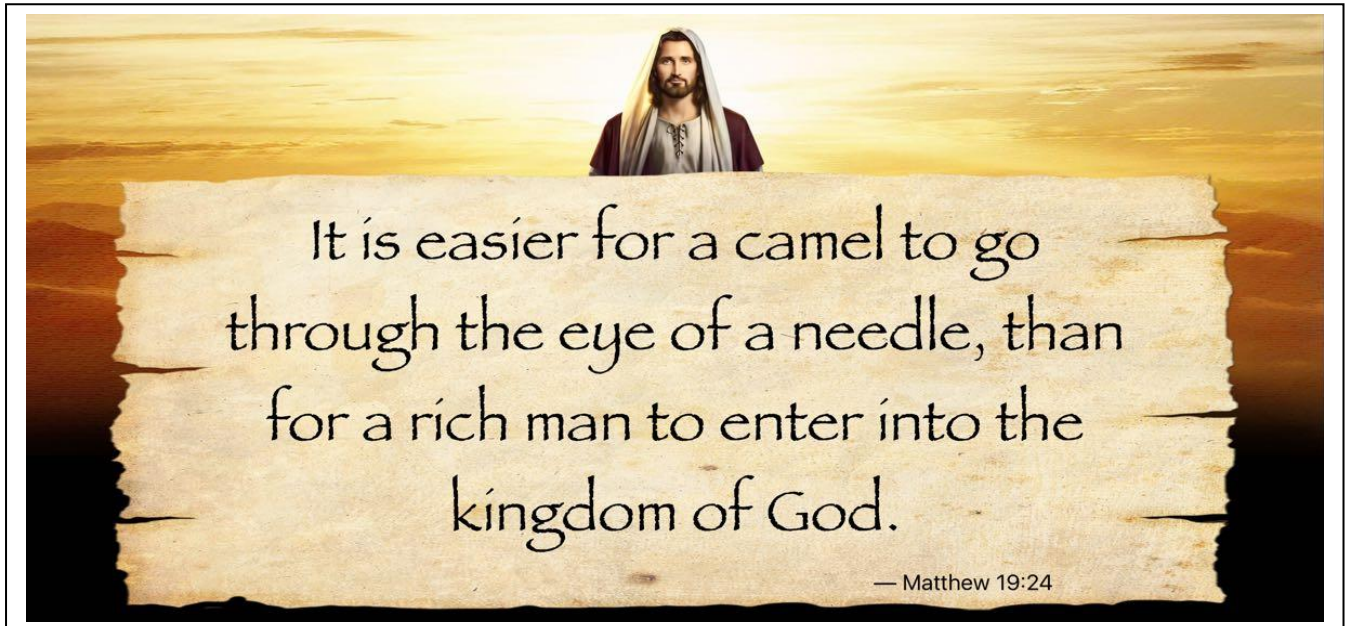


The Uniting Church in Australia
Warwick, Killarney & Freestone
Uniting Parish

Sunday 13th October 2024



*Welcome to worship as we continue to journey with the disciples.
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.*



God of Light,
Who spoke away the darkness at creation,
You are the source of all light and life.
We ask You to renew us, Your people, and Your church.
Shine Your light into the shadowed corners of our hearts,
Illuminating and burning away what we have hidden, even from ourselves.
Rekindle the flame of Your love within us,
That we may burn brightly in a world dimmed by despair.
Guide Your church to be a beacon of hope,
Casting Your radiance into the darkest places of our communities.
May Your light dispel our fears, reveal Your truth,
And guide us on the path of renewal and transformation.
Make us bearers of Your light, O Lord,
Bringing Your warmth and clarity wherever we go.
In Jesus' name, we pray, Amen

Worship Services

Sunday 13th October

- 8:30am Killarney Anglican Church Combined Service
- 9:30am Warwick
- 2pm Freestone monthly service

Sunday 20th October

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

Readings

Sunday 13th October

Job 23:1-9, 16-17
Psalm 22:1-15
Hebrews 4:12-16
Mark 10:17-31

Sunday 20th October

Job 38:1-7, (34-41)
Psalm 104:1-9,24,95
Hebrews 5:1-10
Mark 10:35-45

Southern Downs Women's Support Centre

While we continue to oversee the management of the Women's Centre, it will be known as the Southern Downs Women's Support Centre. Open Tues & Thurs – 10am – 2pm

Recommencing, Rev Ansie is hosting the Intergen Homegroup at 3 Finch St – Wednesdays at 6:30pm – starting with a meal. Contact Rev Ansie if you'd like to attend.



Journeying Through Grief

Pray for the 5 people who are participating in the Journey through Grief program that starts this Monday 14th 2pm -4 pm.

Thank you to all who were involved in any way at the Markets last Saturday. If you:

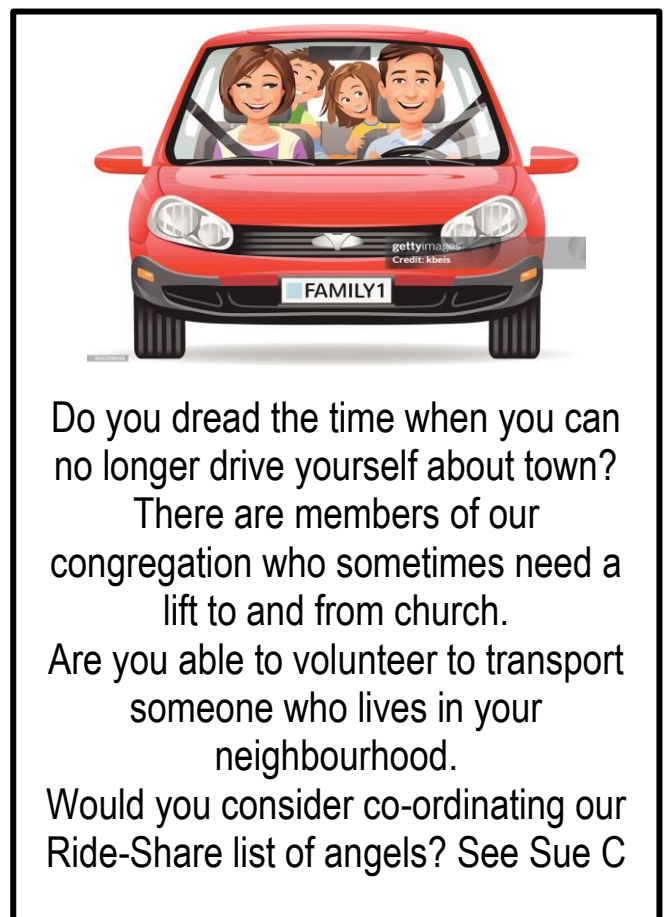
- Cooked for a stall
- Helped with setting up, on a stall or the very important clearing and tidying afterwards.
- Planted and cared for plants
- Brought items for sale
- Bought anything
- invited a friend
- posted a flyer
- came to enjoy the morning

This is a valuable outreach in our community as we welcome visitors into our church home.

Reflections: Mark 10: 17 -31

In Mark's gospel reading this week, we meet the Rich Man who couldn't let go of his love of all his possessions in order to follow Jesus. We cannot doubt the man's desire to follow Jesus, as he kneels before him, down in the dust. "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus calls him to obey the commandments, and the man declares that he does this, and has done so since he was a youth. The man realizes that there is a large hole in his life and Jesus sees the reason. He looks at the man with love: "Sell what you have and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven, then come and follow me." Of course, the man was filled with grief for he had very many possessions. This caused the disciples concern, so Jesus told them that it is very difficult for

a rich person to enter the kingdom of heaven. He says again, "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of heaven." The disciples were puzzled! This goes against all sense. If you're rich, everything is possible! Peter rushes in once again, "But we've left everything to follow you." Jesus once again simply and calmly goes to the heart of the matter. Everything you give up for me will be repaid many times over, he says. Then he addresses the imbalance between the measures of life in this world, and the measures of life in heaven... "But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first." What do we love best in life? Anything that stands before our love of God will keep us out of His kingdom. Rev May



Care Corner

- Give thanks for the blessing of belonging to a Parish where all are welcome. As stewardship is evident through the generosity of spirit, let us always say *Thank you for being a part of our church. Your support, whether through donations, joining in events or helping out, means a lot to us. We really appreciate everything you do.*
- Pray for the Beck family as they mourn the death of Janice (Brad's mother) and the staff of Akooramak whose love and care was an important part of her days.
- Pray for all three of our congregations - may God's love surround you, God's Spirit guide you, God's whisper cheer you, God's peace calm you, God's shield protect you and God's wisdom arm you, wherever God may lead you.

HOW TO BE A BETTER BYSTANDER to respond to Domestic and Family Violence

Anyone can be a bystander to Domestic and Family Violence in your family, workplace, school, church or when you are out and about. Come and join people from Churches around Warwick to learn, discuss and practice ways to be a better bystander when responding to Domestic and Family Violence.

RSVP to Jackie 07 3369 6792

Queensland Churches Together

come and join us on 23 November at St Marks Anglican Church - Warwick - 55 Albion Street (cnr of Grafton Street) starting at 12.30pm for lunch Workshop 1.30-4pm

What's happening this week?

13th - 19th October

Hospitality: Group – Group 2

Flowers this week: Daphne & Rev May

Monday 14th October

Ansie's non-contact day

10:45am Akooramak

Wednesday 16th Oct

9:30 am Killarney mainly music

10:00 am Wednesday Morning study group

1:00 pm Wesley Bowls

3.00 pm Selah Home Group

6:30pm Interger Homegroup

7:00 pm Beta Home Group

Thursday 17th Oct

9:15 am Warwick mainly music

5:00pm – Girls' Brigade –K'llney

7.00pm Church Council

Friday 18th Oct

9:30 – 11:30am - Courtyard Coffee

Flowers next week: Marg Adcock

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