

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

Sunday 10th November 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.



ONE THOUSAND MEN ARE WALKING

One thousand men are walking; Walking side by side Singing songs from home - the spirit as their guide.

They walk toward the light milord, they walk towards the sun - they smoke and laugh and smile together - no foes to outrun. These men live on forever in the hearts of those they saved; a nation truly grateful for the path of peace they paved. They march as friends and comrades, but they do not march for war - step closer to salvation a tranquil steady corps, the meadows lit with golden beams a beacon for the brave, the emerald grass untrampled - a reward for what they gave. They dream of those they left behind and know they dream of them, forever in those poppy fields - there walks one thousand men.

Lest we forget

Poem and art work by Joshua Dyer (aged 14) 2019

Worship Services

Sunday 10th November

- 8:30am Killarney Combined Anglican Church
- 9:30am Warwick Presbytery: Rev Bruce Moore
- 2pm Freestone

Sunday 17th November

- 8:30am Killarney
- 9:30am Warwick Rev Charissa Suli

President of Uniting Church in Australia Assembly



Readings

Sunday 10th November

Ruth 3:1-5; 4: 13-17 Psalm 127 Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44

Sunday 17th November

1 Samuel 1:4-20 1 Samuel 2:1-10 Hebrews 10:11-14, Mark 13:1-8

Welcome to Presbytery of the Downs delegates and Rev Bruce Moore

It is our pleasure to host this convocation and Presbytery of The Downs meeting. Please stay and chat with our local congregations after the service and get to know us a little better.



Conclusion of Placement Service for Rev Yvonne McRostie ending her term as Presbytery Minister to The Downs Presbytery as she relocates to Chermside Kedron Community Church.



Introducing Moderator of the 37th Qld Synod Rev Bruce Moore – who has served in UnitingCare, youth ministry roles at local, state and national levels; planted churches and broader community organisations.

Reflection on Lectionary for this week.

How often have you had a loose thread on an article of clothing and when it was pulled, a whole seam came apart? I'm sure we can all relate to that! The threads which hold a garment together need to be strong enough to do the job well.

In the same way, the bible readings this week are about threads linking or holding them together - not actual threads - but threads which weave some of God's character into the stories. Psalm 127 says that when love for God is built into the structure of a house then it is a very different place from a house where love for God is absent. It is far more likely that expressions of God's love will be experienced there - that threads of peace and justice, care and love for one another will hold together the lives of whoever lives in the house.

In the story of Ruth and Naomi, there are threads of responsibility, care and love interwoven into their story. While in the Mark reading, there is a strong thread of sacrifice as we read about a woman who gave all that she had to live on - to God. Consider that - just as our clothes are held together by strong threads - so our lives are held together by threads made strong by God's love for us - and our relationships with other people are woven together with threads as well - made strong by Jesus' life in us. Worshipping God and following Jesus example helps to keep the threads of our lives strong so that together, young and old, we can weave patterns of love. Based on Liturgies Online by Rev Moira Laidlaw.

Special happenings in Warwick in November

Friday 8th – Sunday 10th

Presbytery of The Downs meetings

Sunday 10th – Moderator Queensland Synod – Rev Bruce Moore to preach.

Sunday 17th - President of UCA Assembly Rev Charissa Suli attending and preach.

Sunday 24th – Our Downs Presbytery minister – Rev Yvonne McRostie's final service in the Downs.

You're invited to celebrate the
Killarney mainly music
Salvation Army Christmas Party
Saturday 16th November at 5.30pm
Killarney Uniting Church Hall
8 Eucalyptus St, Killarney.
Christmas activities followed by
Dinner and dessert.
Christmas movies to enjoy.
Donations of unwrapped presents for the
Salvation Army Gift Appeal welcomed.
A plate of your favourite Christmas food
to share appreciated.

RSVP 13th November Call or text Jess 0426252246

Care Corner

- Peter and Michelle Cloherty express their grateful thanks for the love and concern through prayer and kindness over the past months during Peter's cancer diagnosis and treatment. Recent tests provided very positive results and all is going well. Peter knew the power of prayer during this challenging time.
- Let us be sure to care for one another during these days of extreme heat.
- Many of the church leaders have been planning and working long hours to ensure the convocation and Presbytery meeting all goes smoothly. Let us give thanks for their diligence and pray that the coming days will enable some rest and recovery time.



What's happening this week?

10th – 16th November

Hospitality: Group – Group 2 Flowers this week: Marg Wells

Monday 11th November Remembrance Day

Ansie's non-contact day

10:45 am Akooramak

2:00pm Journeying through Grief

Wednesday 13th November

9:30 am Killarney mainly music 10:00 am Study and discussion

1:00 pm Wesley Bowls

3.00 pm Selah Home Group

6:30 pm Intergen Homegroup

7:00 pm Beta Home Group

Thursday 14th November

9:15 am Warwick mainly music 5:00 pm – Girls' Brigade –K'llney 7.00 pm Church Council.

Friday 15th November

9:30 – 11:30 am - Courtyard Coffee

Saturday 16th November

Mainly music Night Killarney Flowers next week:

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