

The Uniting Church in Australia Warwick - Killarney Uniting Parish Sunday 14th September 2025



Welcome to worship.

May God bless you today as you join either online or in the pew. Join us for a cuppa and chat after the Service.



A house is a place where we live, while a home is our dwelling place.

A house provides a roof, while a home provides a shelter.

A house is a place where we simply keep our belongings, while a home is where we truly belong.

A house is a place where the occupants can eat and sleep, while a home is where one gets nourishment and rest.

Jesus was welcomed into many homes. There is no greater joy than to realize that as we attend to our daily responsibilities and concerns, God is in our midst. Being aware of his presence can create an atmosphere of openness where everybody is welcome, not only those whom we consider as friends, but even the strangers as well, especially those who need our help and support.

Let us thank the Lord for enabling us the opportunity to provide these houses, we pray will become a home. May each house be a shelter in the midst of life's storms; may they be a place of nourishment of physical, emotional, psychological, and spiritual well-being; may each be a place to truly belong; a place to share the blessing of having a "home-sweet-home."

Care Corner

In need of prayer, contact our Prayer Net Co-Ordinator Dianne Cahill. All requests are confidential. 0427 000 887

- Pray for the opening of Uniting Place Warwick on Monday.
- Give thanks for the dedication by those members of our Parish who have given oversight from the conception and development of the project to these final days of completion before the opening.
- Pray for our worship services; the combined worship in Killarney at the Catholic Church, the service in Warwick and the monthly worship at Freestone. May each gathering be blessed as we enter God's presence with thanksgiving in worship becoming doers in Christ's name.
- Pray for teachers, staff and students as term 3 concludes. May there be safe travel for those returning home and a time of relaxation and restoration over the two week break.

Weekly Events 15th – 21st Sept

Hospitality: Group 2 Flowers: Alison Baistow

Monday 15th September

11: 00am Official Opening of Uniting Place Warwick

Tuesday 16th September 10:00 am- 2:00pm WillowTree 37

Wednesday 17th September

10:00 am Wednesday in Wesley1:00 pm Wesley Bowls3:00pm Selah Bible study6:00 pm Intergen group7:00 pm Beta Study group

Thursday 18th September

9:15am mainly music Warwick 10:00am – 2:00 pm WillowTree 37 5:00pm Killarney Girls' Brigade.

Friday 19th September 9:30 – 11:30 am Courtyard Coffee

Flowers next week: Marg Adcock

1st November 2025 - Market Day

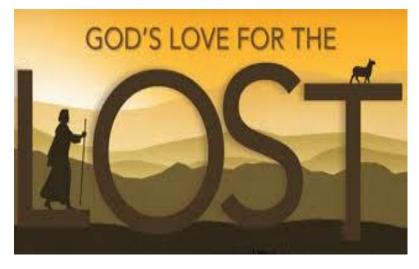
Focus Stalls

Produce, Collectables and Craft
+ Home Baked, Treat Yourself, Plants, Books
Courtyard Café, Help Desk, Sausage Sizzle and Drinks.
Entertainment

Planning Meeting Thursday 18th September 11.30am Wesley Room - Williams Hall

The Market Day Planning Team request a representative from each stall to attend meeting or contact Scott Young 0429 969 432

All welcome



Reflection on Luke 15:1-10... God and the Lost!

Sometimes Jesus told stories to give us a better insight into the nature of God, and this is one of those times!

Those being heavily critical of Jesus, complained, "This fellow welcomes sinners!" And, so, in response, Jesus tells these two stories.

One of how a shepherd wouldn't rest until he'd found the one that was lost. God is just like that, says Jesus as he explains why he devoted his attention to those pushed to the margins of society.

It's a wonderful picture...this shepherd who goes out to look for the sheep that was lost, and then, when he finds it, he lovingly carries it back to safety on his strong, secure shoulders. Often, we feel that we are looking for God....and we lose heart. But it is really the other way round. He is continually looking for us. At times, we are in full flight from God....straying in high rebellion. He knows and follows us until we are found.

The irony of the story is that his critics didn't believe they too were lost and in need of being found. They are the religious, self- righteous people who resent the kind of people that Jesus welcomes. Maybe the worst sort of lost is when we don't realise that we are all sinners and in need of being found by our gracious God.

So, the parable is a message for both kinds of sinners....those who presume we have been found, that we are safe in the fold and those sinners who are still lost...who have yet to hear the saving words of the gospel in such a way that they know they have been found. It's all about being found....about God seeking us out, finding us, shouting to all who will hear "Come! Rejoice with me....my sheep which was lost has been found!"

Shalom, Jean

OFFICE MANAGER - Introducing Callum Espie as our new Office Manager.

Callum will commence in the office on Tuesday 16th September - hours 9:00-12:00and for a couple of weeks will have our usual Tuesday to Friday Office people with him as he begins his role and acquaints himself with the duties and responsibilities of his position. This is very good news for us and hopefully will enable more efficient time management also allowing Rev Ansie more time for her needs.

Worship Services

Sunday September 14th

8:30am Killarney

Combined Catholic

9:30am Warwick

2:00 pm Freestone HC

Sunday September 21st

8:30am Killarney

9:30am Warwick

Scripture

Sunday 14th September

Jeremiah 4:11-12,22-28

Psalm 14

1 Timothy 1:1-14

Luke 15: 1-10

Sunday 21st September

Jeremiah 8:18-9: 1

Psalm 79: 1-9

1 Timothy 2:1-7

Luke 16: 1-13

Thank God for what you have.
Trust God for what you need.

Happy Birthday

Elaine Dalziel Sept 16th

Betty Darnell Sept16th

Alan Payne Sept 19th

Genny Laing Sept 21st

Somebody has said there are only two kinds of people in the world There are those who wake up and say, "Good morning, Lord" and there are those who wake up and sigh "Good Lord, it's morning."

REDEEMED

I made you, God said.
I know, said I.
I lost you, God said.
I'm sorry, said I.
I found you, God said.
I'm grateful, said I.
I redeemed you, God said.
I'm amazed, said I.
I love you God said.
I know said I.

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