



26th January 2025



A section of artwork by David Miller telling the Perentie lizard creation story beamed onto the Opera House on Australia Day 2023.

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**We acknowledge that we worship on the land of the Kurna People,
the indigenous peoples of the Adelaide Plains
and traditional custodians of this land.**

Returning Dates in 2025

Community Shed - Wed, 29 January

Well equipped and laid out, our workshop caters for a wide range of skill levels, with expert advice on hand at most times. Enjoy the camaraderie of like-minded people. Afternoon tea is provided. (\$2)

Tai Chi - Mon, 3 February

Mind, body and spirit are exercised simultaneously by this ancient Chinese health exercise called Qigong, a simple and repetitive form related to Tai Chi. This group of enthusiasts follows an informal, self-directed program using DVDs, that is not too strenuous or intimidating. All Welcome (\$3 – no booking required)

Art & Craft Circle and Coffee & Chat Fri, 7 February

We are a mutually supportive group working at all levels on projects including, painting, drawing, embroidery, knitting, crochet and more. Bring your own materials, and artwork to continue or start something new. Cost \$2 per session, includes tea and coffee. All welcome. Come along and join us.

Gateways - Fri, 14 February

Gateways is a group within Morialta Uniting Church which provides an opportunity to explore issues of faith in a safe and welcoming environment.

The group, which meets on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month offers friendship, acceptance and encouragement as, through books, DVDs and discussion we explore ideas and challenges of contemporary Christian scholars.

LIVE STREAMING MORIALTA

Here is the YouTube direct link for our live-recorded worship service, available from Sunday 26th January at 10:00am.

<https://youtube.com/live/ORZh3NeMzUU?feature=share>

Beyond 2020 Vision

It's nearly time for the first Vision of the year. Contributions need to be received by Friday 31st January. Please send items and photos to Colin snout-n-about@bigpond.com



The Progressive Christianity Forum

At Effective Living Centre

6 February 2025

How can we live in a time of poly-crisis and hyper-connectivity? Insights from Brian McLaren and Systems Thinking.

More information at:

<http://pcnetsa.org/> and
<https://effectiveliving.ucasa.org.au/>

Or phone: 8271 0329



DIARY DATES

Sunday, 26 January

Australia Day / Survival Day
10.00am Worship Service

Monday, 27 January

Office Closed - Public Holiday

Tuesday, 28 January

7.00pm - Church Council

Wednesday, 29 January

1.00pm - Community Shed

Volunteers Wanted

People are needed for welcoming (at the door) then taking the offering bowl to the altar table.

Also needed are morning tea and coffee (for preparing and serving).

You specify how often you are available.

Please contact Nicole in the office.

Worship Roster

Duty	26 January	2 February	9 February
Minister / Preacher	Rev Dr Jonathan Barker	Rev Dr Jonathan Barker	Rev Paul Turley
Worship Leader	J. Sillett	B. Tredrea	M. Cargill
Bible Reader	P. Ayles	R. Pitt	L. Brown
Piano	G. Sullivan	G. Sullivan	G. Sullivan
Guitar			A. Phoenix
Singers	A. Ind, E. Sullivan	A. Ind R. Amber	E. Sullivan, R. Amber
Communion Stewards		B. Tredrea, C. Lyons R. Pitt	
Welcome	L. Tideman	L. Brown	M. Clogg
Flowers	TBA	TBA	TBA
Tea / Coffee	M. Elson J. Purling	R. Pitt M. Thornley	J. Kerr J. Morrison
Closing Security	C. Ayles	B. Tredrea	C. Lyons
Audio	S. Colegrove	J. Drew	R. Clogg
Projection	C. Cargill	S. Mackenzie	S. Colegrove
Cameras	C. Lyons J. Secombe	C. Cargill P. Thornley	C. Lyons P. Thornley
Reader or Vis Dir	C. Ayles	M. Cargill	J. Secombe
Vision Switcher	M. Cargill	J. Secombe	C. Ayles
Video Editor	S. Colegrove	J. Secombe	S. Colegrove

Weekly Bible Readings

26 January Epiphany 3

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10
Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 12:12-31a
Luke 4:14-21

2 February Epiphany 4

Jeremiah 1:4-10
Psalm 71:1-6
1 Corinthians 13:1-13
Luke 4:21-30

9 February Epiphany 5

Isaiah 6:1-8, (9-13)
Psalm 138
1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Luke 5:1-11