

16th March 2025

Lent 3



The shelter of Jesus' wings

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Livestreaming link

Here is the YouTube direct link for our live-recorded worship service,

available from Sunday 16th March at 10:00am.

https://youtube.com/live/EGzhwqcQB3o?feature=share

Lenten Studies

Two possibilities are on offer. Please sign up on the table in the foyer or contact the office

1. 'Living the Questions' (following on from the 2024 series)

Friday evenings at 7:30pm for 6 weeks from 7th March, at Rhonda Amber's home and led by Chris Ayles.

2. 'Truth and Power'

Friday mornings 28 March and 4 and 11 April, about 10:45 after coffee with the Art and Craft Circle in the hall, led by Jonathan Barker.

A Change in Practice for calling for nominations

Every organisation needs appropriate governance support. Morialta UC is no different. Our Church Council, Congregation Leaders and Presbytery Representatives all perform an important function.

As the Annual General Meeting approaches and elections for leadership positions are planned, members of the congregation are asked to begin the discerning process that will identify members with the gifts and graces to undertake leadership responsibilities.

This year Morialta UC is going to try something a little different. Previously, the nomination process required those being nominated to sign before the nomination form was submitted.

This time, members of the congregation are asked to identify those from our number who have the skills to undertake leadership within our community. You do not need to seek permission from those who you nominate and it is entirely appropriate for you to self-nominate if you feel you have the skills and ability to undertake the role.

Once nominations are received those named will be approached, and it is hoped, will accept nomination.

If you have any questions, please seek clarification from our present leaders. Nomination forms are available from the church office. Alternatively, you may wish to contact Bruce Ind for a copy.

Lent Event | 40 days of faith-filled action for God's creation



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170th Church Anniversary

Please look at the most recent edition of Vision for all details about our 170th Church Anniversary.

However, in the meantime, you are cordially invited to share a celebratory lunch, in the Church Hall, after our Service.

If you are aware of family or friends who would be interested in sharing the day with us please let them know the details too!

Importantly, you are asked to either fill in an 'Intention to Attend' form or call the church office with the number in your party.

Please R.S.V.P. by 31st March.

Friendship Group

The next meeting of the Friendship Group will be on Thursday March 20th at 10.00am in the hall. After morning tea and a short meeting, Arlene and Rhonda will help with an Easter Craft project. Please bring a pen/pencil and some scissors if you can. BYO lunch will follow.

Diary Dates

Sunday, 16 March 10:00am Worship Service

Monday, 17 March

10:00am Japanese Playgroup 1:30pm Tai Chi 7:30pm Worship & Faith Ed

<u>Tuesday, 18 March</u> <u>1:00pm Business Committee</u>

Wednesday, 19 March 1:00pm Community Shed

Thursday, 20 March 10:00am Friendship Group

Friday, 21 March

9:30am - Art & Craft Circle Coffee & Chat

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

Worship Roster

Duty	16 March	23 March	30 March
Minister/ Preacher	Rev Dr Peter Trudinger	Toar Hutagalung	Jonathan Barker
Worship Leader	J. Sillett	M. Cargill	B. Tredrea
Bible Reader	P. Ayles	J. Wagner	J. Sillett
Piano	A. Densley	E. Sullivan	A. Densley
Guitar	A. Phoenix	N/A	A. Phoenix
Singers	E. Sullivan R. Amber	TBA R. Amber	A. Ind E. Sullivan
Communion Stewards	N/A	N/A	N/A
Welcome	C. Lyons	J. Purling	J. Sillett
Flowers	J. Sillett	R. Pitt	P. Ayles
Tea/Coffee	H. Drew B. Ind	R. Wise L. Tideman	J. Morrison H. Drew
Closing Security	J. Secombe	C. Ayles	R. Clogg
Audio	J. Drew	R. Clogg	J. Drew
Projection	M. Cargill	S. Colegrove	L. Brown
Cameras	J. Secombe P. Thornley	C. Lyons J. Secombe	R. Clogg J. Swanbury
Reader or Vis Dir	J. Morrison	P. Ayles	M. Cargill
Vision Switcher	C. Ayles	C. Ayles	J. Secombe
Video Editor	J. Drew	S. Colegrove	J. Secombe

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Weekly Bible Readings				
16th March Lent 2	23 rd March Lent 3	30th March Lent 4		
Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18 Psalm 27	Isaiah 55:1-9 Psalm 63:1-8	Jos 5:9-12 Psalm 32		
Philippians3:17-4:1	1 Corinthians 10:1-13	2 Corinthians 5:16-21		
Luke 13:31-35 or	Luke 13:1-9	Luke 15:1-3,11b-32		
Luke 9:28-36, (37-43a)				