

Weekly Pew Sheet

The Uniting Church in Australia



ST. LUKE'S CONGREGATION, HIGHTON
Sunday 27th May, 2018

Worship Leader: Rev. Paul Stephens



Sermon Theme - The Trinity - God as Community



Are you new to St Luke's?

If you would like to connect with us, complete a pew card or please let one of the pastoral connections team know so that you can be included in our contact list and invited to join in.

The news sheet is changing to a monthly edition and our new deadline is the last Wednesday of the month. Brief, interim notices will be published in a single page weekly bulletin, deadline Thursday 9:00am, and announced prior to services.
mail items to news@stlukesuca.org.au

From Carole Findlay

SHARING THE JOURNEY

Sharing the Journey for the month of June will be lead by Valerie Grills. Valerie can be contacted before the service or on 0438 139 424.

From Rae Anderson - Mission Outreach Ministry Team

JUNE TRADING TABLE

Next Sunday 3rd June our Trading Table will be held in the hall. The table is supporting St Luke's Environment Action Group who that weekend will focus on 'Re-cycling' (No land-fill!)

Our table will have collectable items for sale as well as food and preserves.

BUY A PEN FOR ST LUKE'S

Members of the Mission Outreach Ministry Team have \$3 Pens for sale. Every pen is inscribed with St Luke's name on and would make a splendid gift for your family and friends. View them in the foyer today.

From Rev. Paul Stephens

LEADERSHIP RETREAT – Please pray for this gathering.

Location, Date & Time

- Queenscliff UCA
- 2nd June, 10am to 3:30pm

SAFE CHURCH TRAINING WORKSHOPS AT ST LUKE'S

Safe Church Training Workshops provide volunteers and leaders with knowledge and understanding of the Uniting Church Safe Church policy and procedures. You will be given the opportunity to understand the importance of striving to be a Safe Church in our community and how you are an important part in our success.

When: Tuesday 19th June 2018

Time: 7.30 pm-9.30 pm

Where: St. Luke's UC, 174 Barrabool Rd, Highton

Please Note Appointed leaders and everyone who has a working with children check are required to attend training and as such we will keep a record of attendance.

From Jean Daw, Mission Outreach

ENGLISH DICTIONARIES NEEDED

Student or Junior English dictionaries are required for the students in the Tuesday night English class. If you have an Student or Junior English dictionary at home that is not a

large dictionary and you no longer use it would be greatly appreciated if you could donate it by leaving it in the dictionary box in the foyer.

Prayer points for this week

Prayers of Thanksgiving

- Give thanks for the 3-in-one Godhead – God the creator, Christ the Saviour of the world, and the indwelling Spirit of truth and love.
- Give thanks that Jesus did not come to condemn the world, but to offer forgiveness, freedom and eternal life.
- Praise God for the privilege of being able to pray for each other.
- Give thanks for those who volunteer in church and community, using their God-given gifts, and for those who offer hospitality and friendship.

Prayers for Others

- Pray for those who struggle against injustice, and for those who work to ease suffering by speaking out and offering practical support.
- Pray for peace in the Middle East, the on-going Korean talks, and global events which cause disastrous loss of life and homes.
- Pray for all leaders, heads of state, and political advisers, for a vision of peace and reconciliation.
- Pray for the Church Council as it implements decisions made at its meeting this week, and especially for the Leaders' Retreat on June 2nd – for vision and Spirit-led planning.
- Pray for more helpers for Messy Church.
- Pray for the sick, sad or lonely – may they be aware of your comforting presence and know that in your hands they are safe and loved.
- Pray for all carers – for hands and hearts of love, for patience and understanding.
- Pray for safety on the roads for those travelling north.

What's On this coming week

What's on @stlukeschurchgeelong 28th May - 3rd June 2018					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
	Men's Shed 9am-12pm		GYC Let's make music 9am-12:20pm	GYC Let's make music 9am-12:20pm	Sat - Waste Expo
Mission Outreach Meeting 7:30-9:20pm	English Classes 5:30-7:30pm		Men's Shed 9am-12pm GYC Setup 3:45-4pm	Trekkies Study 9:15-10:45am	
Environmental Action Group 7:30-9pm	Weight Watchers 6-8pm	Welsh Ladies Choir 6:30-9:20pm	Youth Choir 4-6pm Church Choir Rehearsal 4-5:15pm	Sewing Group 12:15-2:45pm	Sun - Worship 9:30-10:20am
Geelong Chorale Rehearsal 7-9:30pm			GYC Rehearsals Chamber Choir & Raise the Bar 6-9pm		Sun - Bush Dance Fundraiser 1-7pm

Sunday Worship 3rd June		Lectionary Readings
Worship Leader:	Rev Paul Stephens	1 Sam 3:1-10, 11-20
Welcomer:	S Cox	
Ushers:	D Youngusband & D Bath P & I Peterson	Ps 139:1-6, 13-18
Sound:	I Lawrence	2 Cor 4:5-12
Powerpoint:	N McMillan	
Reader:	E Nicholls	Mk 2:23-3:6
Morning tea:	A & F Safarejad	
Connections:	J Hicks	
Driver:	P Phelan & P Gill	
Sharing the Journey:	V Grills	

Please note - The weekly bookings calendar is updated and displayed on the noticeboard facing the Sanctuary. Church volunteers can check online or on this noticeboard to see when spaces are available for setup etc.