

Newsletter

Ocean Grove, Uniting Church in Australia Sunday August 14th 2022

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CONTACT DETAILS FOR OUR SUPPLY MINISTER

Name: The Reverend Peter Gador-Whyte Phone: 0417 425 188 Email: petergw@netspace.net.au

For Pastoral Care you can see Peter in the Vestry from Midday on Wednesday.

It is advisable to ring first so that you are sure Peter is available.

UCAF NEXT MEETING

Monday 22nd August 10.30am in the church foyer.
Our activity will be gentle Chair Exercises led by Marg
McLean, followed by morning tea (provided)
and a short meeting.
All welcome

HAVE YOU BEEN USING THE CHURCH FOYER LATELY?
Then would you please ensure that you turn off all lights and especially the heater.
Both have been left on on different occasions this week.

HELP MAF & "FUEL GOOD FOR FATHER'S DAY"

We have been asked by The Reverend Bob Thomas, if the JIM Group would consider promoting support for the "Mission Aviation Fellowship", which is a world wide organisation helping communities in remote places by flying in relief and saving lives.

Some of us might remember the Jardine Family, Alex and Molly, who introduced us to this life changing organisation as Alex was one who helped the establishment of MAF as a Life Line for people in remote areas.

Support includes Medical Care, Disaster Relief, Community Development, Education and Christian hope.

MAF are asking us to hold a function to ask for support to raise funds for fuel to help keep the aeroplanes and pilots to continue their "Flying for Life"

Fund raising efforts can include:

A "Fuel Good for Father's Day" morning tea.

Fuel donation gift cards for Father's Day which are available for purchase.

Children's colouring gift cards and Memorial cards also available for purchase.

Would you like to be part of this support as well as giving thanks for Dads?

Further information will be available in the church foyer and all donations are gratefully accepted.

Please speak to either Joan Calcutt, Lyn Mulligan or one of the other members of our JIM Group about this special effort.

SAMMY STAMP

Remember to save all your unwanted used stamps and place them in the marked box on the shelf under the clock in the church foyer.

However there are a few instructions which will assist the Sammy Stamp volunteers in Melbourne with their sorting.

- Check that stamps are not heavily franked.
- If trimming stamps from envelopes they need to have a 3mm border around the whole stamp.
 - If unsure about trimming leave on the envelope!
 - If appropriate leave stamps on postcards.

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR August and September 2022

August 14th Pentecost 10 Isaiah 5: 1-7, Psalm 80: 1-2, 8-19 Hebrews 11: 29-12:2, Luke 12: 49-56 Please see back page for roster

August 21st Pentecost 11
Jeremiah 1: 4-10, Psalm 71: 1-6
Hebrews 12: 18-29, Luke 13: 10-17
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August 28th Pentecost 12 Jeremiah 2: 4-13, Psalm 81: 1, 10-16, Hebrews 13: 1-8, 15-16, Luke 14: 1, 7-14 Please see back page for roster

September 4th Pentecost 13
Jeremiah 18: 1-11, Psalm 139: 1-6, 13-18
Philemon 1: 21, Luke 14: 25-33
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September 11th Pentecost 14 Jeremiah 4: 11-12, 22-28, Psalm 14 1 Timothy 1: 12-17, Luke 15: 1-10 Please see back page for roster

September 18th Pentecost 15 Jeremiah 8: 18-9:1, Psalm 79: 1-9 1 Timothy 2: 1-7, Luke 16: 1-13 Please see back page for roster.

KEY VERSE FOR THE WEEK

"Restore us, O Lord God Almighty; make your face shine upon us; that we may be saved. Psalm 80: 19

ROSTER FOR AUGUST and SEPTEMBER 2022

August 14th

Bible Reader: Margery Scott

Prayers for the People: The Reverend Peter Gador-Whyte

Bell Ringer: Geoff Naylor Counting: Pat Reid

Morning Tea: Dianne Sapwell & Wilma Andrews

August 21st

Bible Reader: David Roach Prayers for the People: Doug Gorwell Bell Ringer: Diane Jones Counting: Diane Prowse Morning Tea: Pat & David Reid

August 28th

Bible Reader: Jim Barry

Prayers for the People: The Reverend Peter Gador-Whyte

Bell Ringer: Peter Dickson Counting: Lesley Pope

Morning Tea: Megan Smith & Joan Calcutt

September 4th

Communion Steward: Marjorie Barry Bible Reader: Wilma Andrews Prayers for the People: David Runia Bell Ringer: Neil Derrick Counting: Robin Munro Morning Tea: Pat & David Reid

September 11th

Bible Reader: Rod Greer Prayers for the People: The Reverend Peter Gador-Whyte

> Bell Ringer: Geoff Naylor Counting: Pat Reid Morning Tea: Rod & Judy Greer

If you are on morning tea please remember to bring milk, and if you are not able to do your rostered shift endeavour to swap with someone before contacting Dianne Sapwell.