



Newsletter

Ocean Grove,
Uniting Church in Australia
Sunday April 2nd 2023

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DATES AND TIMES FOR EASTER SERVICES

MAUNDY THURSDAY

April 6th 5.00pm

GOOD FRIDAY APRIL 7TH

10.30AM

EASTER SATURDAY APRIL 8TH

12noon “Service of Waiting”

EASTER SUNDAY

6.00AM Barwon Heads Uniting Church

10.30am Ocean Grove

A BIG THANK YOU

Thanks to everyone who donated so generously to the
Act for Peace Earthquake Appeal.

We are pleased to announce the amount raised was \$652.80

Once again many thanks.

The Ocean Grove JIM Group

RECYCLED TREASURE SALE
Saturday 15th April 8.00am—12noon.

Please place your name on the list in the foyer if you can help set up on Friday the 14th from 9.30am, assist with sales on the day, or with packing up from 12noon.
See Judy Greer or Neil Derrick for any further information.
Remember “that many hands make light work”

THANKS FROM THE UCAF

A big thank you from the UCAF for the donations of toothpaste and toothbrushes, monetary donations and hand-knitted rugs which we delivered to Cottage by The Sea during our visit las Monday when we toured the recently renovated building. We had an excellent tour and the light, bright accommodation for the children is wonderful.

DATES FOR CALENDARS

Sunday April 30th
5.00pm service at St. Peter's Anglican Church
with the Reverend Jill McCoy

Sunday July 30th
5.00pm service at O/Grove UCA
with The Reverend Peter Gador-Whyte

Sunday October 29th
5.00pm service at St. Peter's Anglican Church
with the Reverend Jill McCoy

Sunday December 31st
5.00pm service at O/Grove UCA
with The Reverend Peter Gador-Whyte
(Watchnight Service)

Please make sure that you write these dates and times on your calendars now. Also there will be a 10.30am service at Ocean Grove each Sunday.

LECTIONARY READINGS FOR APRIL 2023

April 2nd Palm Sunday

Isaiah 50: 4-9a, Psalm 11:1-2, 19-29 or Psalm 31: 9-16
Philemon 2: 5-11, Matthew 21: 1-11, or 26: 14-27:66 or Matthew 27: 11-54

April 9th Easter Day

Acts 10: 34-43 or Jeremiah 31: 1-6,
Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24
Colossians 3: 1-4 or
Acts 10: 34-43
John 20: 1-18 or
Matthew 28: 1-10

April 16th Easter 2

Acts 2: 14a, 22-32
Psalm 16
1 Peter 1: 3-9,
John 20: 19-31

April 23rd Easter 3

Acts 2: 14a, 36-41, Psalm 116: 1-4, 12-19
1 Peter 1: 17-23, Luke 24" 13-35

April 30th Easter 4

Acts 2: 42-47, Psalm 23
1 Peter 2: 19-25, John 10: 1-10

Key Verse

“The crowds answered, “This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee”

Matthew 21: 11

EASTER TREATS

Please see a small display of ethical, affordable Easter treats in the church foyer.

All items were purchased locally.

Choice magazine considers ethical chocolate to be certified by one of these certification bodies: Rainforest Alliance, Fair Trade, and Cocoa Alliance.

Notice from the JIM Group

ROSTERS FOR APRIL 2023

April 2nd

Communion Steward: Marjorie Barry
Bible Reader: David Roach
Prayers for the People: Judy Greer
Bell Ringer: Neil Derrick
Counting: Robin Munro
Morning Tea: M. Smith & J. Calcutt

April 9th

Bible Reader: Rod Greer
Prayers for the People: The Minister
Bell Ringer: Geoff Naylor
Counting: Diane Prowse
Morning Tea: Pat & David Reid

April 16th

Bible Reader: Diane Prowse
Prayers for the People: Jim Barry
Bell Ringer: Diane Jones
Counting: Pat Reid
Morning Tea; Rod & Judy Greer

April 23rd

Bible Reader: Megan Smith
Prayers for the People: The Minister
Bell Ringer: Peter Dickson
Counting: Lesley Pope
Morning Tea: Pat & David Reid

April 30th

Bible Reader: Neil Derrick
Prayers for the People: The Minister
Bell Ringer: Neil Derrick
Counting: Robin Munro
Morning Tea: Megan Smith & Joan Calcutt

If you are unable to do your rostered task please endeavour to make your own swap before contacting Dianne Sapwell. If you do make a swap it would be appreciated if you let Dianne and the Minster know.