

## Newsletter

## Ocean Grove, Uniting Church in Australia Sunday September 24th 2023

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#### **UCAF NEWS**

# Next meeting Monday 25th September 10.30am in the church foyer.

At 11.00am our local exercise Guru, Marg McLean will be joining us for morning tea followed by our gentle but effective

#### **Chair Exercise Workout!**

We would love you to join us!

Morning tea is provided and you are asked to bring along anything suitable for our Trading Table.

#### **UCAF NEWS**

The UCAF Group are collecting face washers and roll on deodorant for Cottage by the Sea.

If you would like to support this initiative please place items in the marked box in the foyer. Thanks for supporting our successful sock drive. Cottage by the Sea were very appreciative of our effort.

Do note be afraid to take a big step if one is required. You can't cross a chasm in two small steps. (Chinese saying)

It is greatest of all mistakes to do nothing because you can only do a little.

Do what you can.

(Sydney Smith: Canadian Illustrator)

## FREE Electric Recliner—dual motor, Good condition

Interested?
Then please phone Geraldine
On 0401 905 966

### SAFE CHURCH TRAINING

There will be further Safe Church Training Sessions as required by UCA.

If you prefer it you can also complete the course online at ucavictas.com.au/safe church-training

If you need any help contact Robert Quarrell on 0418 143 890 or robert.quarrell@bigpond.com

Please note Robert is not available from the 1st October until the 5th of November.

## LECTIONARY READINGS FOR September and October 2023

## September 24th Pentecost 17

Exodus 16: 2-15, Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45 Philemon 1: 21-30, Matthew 20: 1-16

#### **October 1st Pentecost 18**

Exodus 17: 1-7, Psalm 78: 1-4, 12-16 Philemon 2: 1-13, Matthew 21: 23-32

### October 8th Pentecost 19th

Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20 Psalm 19 Philemon 3: 4b-14, Matthew 21: 33-46

## October 15th Pentecost 20

Exodus 32:1-14, Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23, Philemon 4: 1-9, Matthew 22: 1-14

#### October 22nd Pentecost 21

Exodus 33: 12-23, Psalm 99

1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10, Matthew 22: 15-22

Key Verse
"So the last will be first, and the first will be last."

Matthew20: 16

#### **ROSTERS FOR SEPETEMBER and OCTOBER 2023**

#### September 24th

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

Sound: Dianne Sapwell
Opening of Worship: Doug Gorwell

#### October 1st

Communion Steward: Doug Gorwell Bible Reader: Diane Prowse Prayers for the People: Dianne Sapwell Bell Ringer: Diane Jones Counting: Robin Munro Morning Tea" Pat & David Reid Sound: Diane Jones Opening of Worship: Marjorie Barry

#### October 8th

Bible Reader: Ben McKinley
Prayers for the People: The Minister
Bell Ringer: Peter Dickson
Counting: Pat Reid
Morning Tea: Megan Smith & Joan Calcutt
Sound: Lesley Pope
Opening of Worship: Dianne Sapwell

#### October 15th

Bible Reader: Peter Dickson
Prayers for the People: Doug Gorwell
Bell Ringer: Diane Jones
Counting: Diane Prowse
Morning Tea; Pat & David Reid
Sound: Robert Quarrell
Opening of Worship: Doug Gorwell

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.