



Newsletter

Ocean Grove,
Uniting Church in Australia
Sunday January 28th 2024

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"the dove" AGM

will be held in the Church Hall on
Tuesday February the 13th at 1.00pm.

All are welcome to attend.

Nominations open 26th January and close at
5.00pm on February the 9th. Please place
completed nomination forms in a sealed envelope
addressed to *"the dove"* Secretary and let Gonni
know so that she can collect it.

Phone 0432 350 071

Nomination forms can be found on the noticeboard
at *"The Dove"*

Please note that there will be
no printed newsletter
on Sunday February the 4th.
You will be able to read all the latest news though
through the website.

We have been advised by Presbytery that there will be an
offering taken up at the service on
Sunday February the 4th.
Please come prepared.

Date for your 2024 calendar

Presbytery warmly invites us to the
Ordination and Induction of Kyle Moffitt and Annie Brophy
on Sunday February the 4th at 2.00pm at the Ocean Grove
Uniting Church.

This is a significant Presbytery occasion, as we celebrate
with the Congregations of Barwon Heads and Ocean Grove,
Kyle, Annie and their family.

We look forward to seeing you on this day.
Marie Craw.

**Please note that there will be NO morning services of
worship at both churches and the special afternoon
service will be followed with refreshments in the hall.**

ADVANCE NOTICE
CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
SUNDAY FEBRUARY THE 25TH
IMMEDIATELY AFTER WORSHIP.

THIS MEANS THAT ANNUAL REPORTS MUST BE HANDED IN TO
DIANNE SAPWELL BEFORE THE 9TH OF FEBRUARY.

“Let’s do Lunch”
Friday February the 9th.

We will be enjoying a good meal and a time of
fellowship at the Ocean Grove Bowling Club at
12noon.

Please add your name to the list on the table in the
foyer before Tuesday February the 7th, so that a
booking can be made.

LECTIONARY READINGS JANUARY and FEBRUARY 2024

January 28th Epiphany 4

Dt. 18: 15-20, Psalm 111,
1 Corinthians 8: 1-13, Mark 1: 21-28

February 4th Epiphany 5

Isaiah 40: 21-31, Psalm 147: 1-11 20c
1 Corinthians 9: 16-23, Mark 1: 29-39

February 11th Transfiguration of Jesus

2 Kings 2: 1-12, Psalm 50: 1-6
2 Corinthians 4: 3-6, Mark 9: 2-29

February the 18th Lent 1

Genesis 9: 8-17, Psalm 25: 1-10,
1 Peter 3: 18-22, Mark 1: 9-15

Key Verse

**“Great are the works of the Lord; they are pondered by all
who delight in them”**

Psalm 11: 2

“The Church Council has formed a Property Committee that is a sub committee of Church Council.

Membership as appointed by the Church Council is:

Rod Greer, Geoff Naylor, Robert Quarrell, Barry Calcutt, Neil Derrick, Lesley Pope, and Doug Gorwell.

At their initial meeting on Thursday 18th of January, Rod Greer was elected Chairperson.

The Committee will report to the Church Council and receive direction from them.

Membership will be appointed from the Church Council.

Its role will be the maintenance of church property.

The Manses are currently under the control of the Project Control Group until such time as they are fully settled financially. After which the new Manse will be administered through the Parish Executive.”

Thank You

Rod Greer

ROSTERS FOR JANUARY and FEBRUARY 2024

January 28th

Welcome and notices: Doug Gorwell
Bible Reader: Peter Dickson
Bell Ringer: Geoff Naylor
Sound: Geoff Naylor
Prayers for the People: Dianne Sapwell
Counting: Dianne Sapwell
Morning tea preparation: Megan Smith

February 11th

Welcome and notices: Peter Burnham
Bible Reader: Jim Barry
Bell Ringer: Diane Jones
Sound: Lesley Pope
Prayers for the People: The Minister
Counting: Robin Munro
Morning Tea Preparation: Dianne Sapwell

February 18th

Welcome and Notices: Carol Naylor
Bible Reader: Margery Scott
Bell Ringer: Peter Dickson
Sound: Robert Quarrell
Counting: Diane Prowse
Morning Tea Preparation: Pat Reid

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.

LIKE SOMETHING PUBLISHED IN THE NEWSLETTER?

Then please have it to the office by 8.30am Thursday mornings.

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