

## Newsletter

## Ocean Grove, Uniting Church in Australia Sunday March 31st 2024

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## Simon Lewis HYPNOS Live with Calista and Lazarus Lewis

Musician, recording artist and producer Simon Lewis plays music from his new neo-classical/ambient, piano based album, HYPNOS which was released on March 2nd. He will be joined by his daughter Calista on violin and vocals, and his son Lazarus on cello.

SATURDAY 13TH APRIL 7.30PM—9.30PM Ocean Grove Uniting Church.

More information available at Www.simonlewis.com.au

Ticket link http://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1197341

Or you can buy tickets (\$25 per person) from Joan Calcutt

#### OUR PRAYER CHAIN HAS GONE DIGITAL

All prayer requests can be directed to Robin Munro at wgrl@optusnet.com.au

Robin will send a group email outlining prayer points on a regular basis.

If your name is not on the chain then just send Robin your details and she will most joyfully add you on.

#### CAN AND BOTTLE COLLECTION

Thanks to everyone who has contributed to this appeal so far.

Please keep up the good work.
The collection bag is located under the switchboard in the hall foyer.

Do you like gardening?
Do you like coffee/tea and cake?
Do you like to chat?

If you answered yes to any of the above questions, then you may like to join Barry, Peter and Doug on a Thursday morning from 10.00am—12noon.

This dedicated team of three spend from 10.00—11.00 working in the garden, then they have morning tea, graciously provided by Joan, then back to work for another half hour before finishing for the day.

There is always something anyone of any ability can do.

"Let's do Lunch" Friday April 12th

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 April the 9th, so that a booking can be made.

Not able to add your name then please call Geoff on 0409 740 539

# LECTIONARY READINGS MARCH and APRIL 2024

## **March 31st Easter Sunday**

Acts 10: 34-43, or Isaiah 25: 6-9, Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24, 1 Corinthians 15: 1-11, John 20: 1-18 or Mark 16: 1-8

## **April 7th Easter 2**

Acts 4: 32-35, Psalm 133, 1 John 1: 1-2:2, John 20: 19-31

## **April 14th Easter 3**

Acts 3: 12-19, Psalm 4, 1 John 3: 1-7, Luke 24: 36b-48

## **April 21st Easter 4**

Acts 4: 5-12, Psalm 23, 1 John 4: 7-21, John 15: 1-8

## **Key Verse**

"Trembling and bewildered. The women went out and fled the tomb. They said nothing to anyone, because they wee afraid.

Mark 16: 8

"To those who already have established the Direct Debit system, either weekly or monthly or anyone who might like to consider your offering using this method, our new Bendigo Bank account is now open. If you could please cancel your Commonwealth Bank automatic payment to redirect it to the following account

Ocean Grove Uniting Church

BSB 633 -000

## Account number 214 410 425

The CBA account will remain open until I am sure all have made the change.

Many thanks for your co-operation in this matter." Lesley Pope

#### **ROSTERS FOR MARCH and APRIL 2024**

#### March 31st

Welcome and notices: Dianne Sapwell
Bible Reader: Dianne Sapwell
Bell Ringer: Diane Jones
Sound: Geoff Naylor
Prayers for the People: Dianne Sapwell
Counting: Pat Reid and Lesley Pope
Morning Tea Prep; Megan Smith

#### April 7th

Communion Prep: Dianne Sapwell
Communion Stewards: The Ministers
Welcome and notices: Carol Naylor
Bible Reader: peter Burnham
Bell Ringer: Geoff Naylor
Sound: Diane Jones
Prayers for the People: Peter Burnham
Counting: Lesley Pope and Pat Reid
Morning Tea Prep: Dianne Sapwell

#### April 14th

Welcome and notices: peter Burnham
Bible Reader: Jim Barry
Bell Ringer: Diane Jones
Prayers for the People: Jim Barry
Counting: Lesley Pope and Robin Munro
Morning Tea Prep: Megan Smith

## April 21st

Welcome and notices: Dianne Sapwell
Bible Reader: Margery Scott
Bell Ringer: Peter Dickson
Sound: Dianne Sapwell
Prayers for the People: Judy Greer
Counting: Lesley Pope and Diane Prowse
Morning Tea Prep: 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 Ministers know.