

# Weekly News



# High Street Uniting Church

We acknowledge the traditional custodianship of the  
Bunurong people in this region

**Week of 25<sup>th</sup> February 2024: Lent (2) - Unimaginable Future**

## Coming up

### March:

**Fri 1st:** World Day of Prayer at 10:00am (at St Paul's Anglican Church)

**Sat 2nd:** "Afternoon Delights" Fundraising Concert at 1:30pm

**Sun 3rd:** Clean up Australia Day at 9:45am; meet at Frankston Pier.

**Mon 4th:** L.E.G.s meeting at 6:00pm

**Mon 11th:** Labour Day public holiday, office closed. **\*\* No Gardening Club on this date\*\***

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## It's Virgil Snyder's 90th birthday and you're invited!



Date: **Sunday, 3rd March**

Time: **1:00pm -4:00pm**

Location: **Baxter Village Parkside Centre**

Hosted by: Virgil and Margaret's families

Come and go as you'd like. Have a chat and a cuppa with Virgil. Please no presents, just your presence! Enjoy the fellowship of all the other well-wishers! If you'd like to make a plate of your goodies, please do so! We all know how much Virgil loves his sweets!!

If you can't make it and would like to leave message, please email Virgil at: [wvsnyder@gmail.com](mailto:wvsnyder@gmail.com).

Virgil has not returned to his home in Baxter Village but has joined Margaret in a room at the Manor in the village.

## Clean Up Australia Day

### 3rd March 2024

For those who are interested and want to influence the cleanliness of our beachfront, we will be joining in with Clean Up Australia!

Date: **Sunday, 3rd March.**

Time: **9:45 sharp.**

Location: **Frankston Pier**

Bring gloves and your enthusiastic smile! We are working with Frankston Beach Patrol.

We will return to the Contemporary worship at around 11:00am to report back.

Contact Tim Lake 0419482805 for more details.

## 2024 HSUC AGM

This year the HSUC Annual General Meeting will be held between services on **Sunday, 17th March.**

As in previous years, we will be having elections for some of the members of our Elders and Church Council. There will be three vacancies for each council and nomination forms are available. There is a detailed notice on the board at the back of the church showing those members whose terms have come to an end and are eligible for re-election. Please consider our leaders prayerfully.

**Reports and nominations will be due by Sunday, 3rd March.**

## Walkie Talkies this week

**Tues 27<sup>th</sup>:** Sandhurst Blvd off McCormicks Rd

**Thurs 29<sup>th</sup>:** Pearcedale Football ground

**8:30am start in Jan, Feb & Mar.**

For more information, contact Ley on 0408 355 622

## Heatsafe Frankston Event

Join Alison Cooke, a Frankston local for an event on heat safety supported by Sweltering Cities.

Date: **Tuesday, 27th February**

Time: **6:30pm -8:00pm**

Location: **Frankston Library, 60 Playne Street, Frankston**

To register, visit: [actionnetwork.org/events/heatsafe-frankston-community-event/](https://actionnetwork.org/events/heatsafe-frankston-community-event/)

## Name Badges

A new batch of name badges will be ordered the week starting Monday, 4th March. They cost \$8.00 for a standard pin fastening - if you would like to order one, please see Keith Holmes or Emma Lindenburg on Sunday, or email Esther in the office.

## With Love to the World

Annual subscriptions (\$20) are now due for this daily Bible reading guide. To renew your subscription or become a new subscriber, payment can be made at the office to Esther or on Sundays to Keith Holmes or Emma Lindenburg. Alternatively, a direct deposit can be made to the Church bank account labelled "subscription".



## Presbytery Prayers

This week we ask you to join us in prayer for for the Beaumaris Congregation, including Rev Chris Cohen (Supply) and Chair Nick Toovey.

## World Day of Prayer 2024

The service this year will be held at **St. Paul's Anglican Church** on **Friday, 1st March**. It will begin with a quick **morning tea at 10:00am**, with the **service to begin at 10:30am**. The Guest speaker will be David Lepore from 'Bible Society Australia'.

All are invited to attend and hear what Palestinian Christian women have to tell us. They call us, the global church, to be united in treating all with justice and love.

There are flyers available in the Church to be shared with friends and family.

## "Afternoon Delights"

*A fundraising concert for Tom Sutherland's work in India*

Join us on **Saturday, 2nd March at 1:30pm in the Church** for to raise funds for Tom's work.

Performances by Roberta MacGregor, accompanied by Anne Glading, and Cadence.

Entry \$25 (Concession \$20) including afternoon tea

Tickets can be purchased at the venue on the day or from the church office or through <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/afternoon-delights-concert-tickets-824953968527?aff=oddtcreator>

More information can be found on the flyers in the foyer.

## Count her in: Walk for Women

*An International Women's Day Event*

Invitation to a special walk and brunch:

Walkers: **8:45am at Seaford Beach**

Brunch: **10:30am at Frankston Yacht Club**

For more information, please visit:

[events.humanitix.com/walk-for-women-inaugural-international-women-s-day-walk](https://events.humanitix.com/walk-for-women-inaugural-international-women-s-day-walk)

## Traditional Rosters

Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> February 2024

**Bible reader:** Dawn P.

**Prayers of the People:** Erica H.

**Stewards:** Cheryle W, Heather R.

**Morning tea:** Jill C, Vilma.

Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024

**Bible reader:** Alan M.

**Prayers of the People:** Marlene T.

**Stewards:** Neville P, Rona R.

**Morning tea:** Harriet H. & John U.

*Further details can be found on our website or on the noticeboard in the Church*

## More Information

**Prayer team:** Phone 5971 2840 (Marlene) or email

[HSUCPrayer@googlegroups.com](mailto:HSUCPrayer@googlegroups.com)

### Offerings:

Account name: Frankston Uniting Church

BSB: 063 133

Account #: 00800128

Please use **OFFERING** as the description

OR

Mail Cheque to:

31 Lucerne Cres

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**Notices:** Please send any items to [frankstonuc@gmail.com](mailto:frankstonuc@gmail.com) by midday on Thursday.

**HST:** Please send material to [johnannable@bigpond.com](mailto:johnannable@bigpond.com)

## Zoom/Phone Details

On a tablet or laptop computer

Go to:

<https://zoom.us/j/95468493260>

**Password:** 3199

(or go to <https://zoom.us/join> and use the meeting number below)

On a phone without video:

**Call:** (03) 7018 2005

**Meeting ID:** 954 6849 3260 #

**Participant ID:** #

**Password:** 3199 #

# Traditional Rosters: March 2024

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP							
Date	Colour	Preaching	Bible Reader	Prayers of the People	Day	Bible reading	Psalm
March 2024 - RCL Year "B"							
03-Mar-24	P		Alan Mathews	Marlene Thresher	Lent 3	John 2: 13-22	Ps 19
10-Mar-24	P		Rod Carruthers	Ian Cayzer	Lent 4	John 3: 14-21	Ps 107: 1-3, 17-22
17-Mar-24	P		Heather Rawson	Erica Hutchinson	Lent 5	John 12:20-35	Ps 51: 1-12 or Ps 119:9-16
24-Mar-24	P		*	*	Palm Sunday	Mark 11: 1-11	Ps 118:1-12, 19-29
28-Mar-24	P				Holy Thursday	John 13:1-17, 31b-35	Ps 116:1-2, 12-19
29-Mar-24	B or R				Good Friday	John 18:1-19:42	Ps 22
31-Mar-24	W				Easter Sunday	Mark 16:1-8	Ps 118:1-2, 14-24

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP			
Date	Notes	Stewards	Morning Tea Helpers
March 2024 - RCL Year "B"			
03-Mar-24		Neville Parker, Rona Russell	Harriet Holten & John Upton
10-Mar-24		Mick Johnson, Aubrey Mair	Dorothy Bucher, Alastair Munro
17-Mar-24		Jill Cayzer, Marilyn Sheerin	Enid Churcher, Stanley & Viola Zhungu
24-Mar-24	Combined service at 10:00am		Denise Andrews, Brenda Cooper
28-Mar-24	Service at 7:30pm		
29-Mar-24	Combined service at 10:00am		Fay Loader, Erica Hutchinson
31-Mar-24	Combined service at 10:00am		Carol Calderbank, Sue Baker

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP						
Date	Flowers	Organ	Holy Communion	Duty Elder	Communion Setup	Communion Helpers
March 2024 - RCL Year "B"						
03-Mar-24	Edna Reeves			Dawn Peacock and Robert Latimer	Jill Cayzer and Erica Hutchinson	Keith Holmes and Shirley Groves
10-Mar-24	Edna Reeves					
17-Mar-24	Gill Jenkins					
24-Mar-24	Gill Jenkins					
28-Mar-24	Beryl & Marg					
31-Mar-24					Jill Cayzer	

Rev Ross, in collaboration with the Elders and COG, is working to make the combined services more inclusive. As such, the roster for Easter - starting with Palm Sunday on 24th March, is still being compiled. **If you are NOT available on a day during Easter, please let Rev. Ross know.**

If you are unavailable for a duty or date you've been rostered, please arrange with someone to fill your place, then let Esther in the office know so that the roster can be updated.

If you'd like to be included on the roster, let us know! You can tell Rev. Ross, or Esther in the office.

# Contemporary Rosters: March 2024

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP						
Date	Preparing and Leading Worship		Preaching	Day	Bible reading	Psalm
<u>March 2024 - RCL Year "B"</u>						
03-Mar-24	Ross	Rowena	RP	Lent 3	John 2: 13-22	Ps 19
10-Mar-24	Alan J	Gill	RP	Lent 4	John 3: 14-21	Ps 107: 1-3, 17-22
17-Mar-24	John	Jackie	RP	Lent 5	John 12:20-35	Ps 51: 1-12 or Ps 119:9-16
24-Mar-24	Valmai	Glenise	RP	Palm Sunday	Mark 11: 1-11	Ps 118:1-12, 19-29
28-Mar-24			RP	Holy Thursday	John 13:1-17, 31b-35	Ps 116:1-2, 12-19
29-Mar-24			RP	Good Friday	John 18:1-19:42	Ps 22
31-Mar-24	Alan J	Gill	RP	Easter Sunday	Mark 16:1-8	Ps 118:1-2, 14-24

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP							
Date	Holy Communion	Notes	Children's Time	Band Leaders	Singers	Zoom	Sound
<b>March 2024 - RCL Year "B"</b>							
03-Mar-24	RP		Irene	Mike	Alan & Bronwen M	Meg	Alan
10-Mar-24			Meg	John	Jenni & Valmai	Karin	Alan
17-Mar-24			Rowena	Mike	John & Valmai	Matthew	Alan
24-Mar-24		Combined service at 10:00am					
28-Mar-24		Service at 7:30pm					
29-Mar-24		Combined service at 10:00am					
31-Mar-24	RP	Combined service at 10:00am					

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP		
Date	Welcome and Offering	Hospitality
<b>March 2024 - RCL Year "B"</b>		
03-Mar-24	Santhira & Joy	Gill
10-Mar-24	Kate & Irene	Margaret L.
17-Mar-24	Beryl & Marg	Gill
24-Mar-24		
28-Mar-24		
29-Mar-24		
31-Mar-24		

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