High Street Uniting Church



NEWS: 22nd May 2022

We acknowledge the traditional custodianship of the Boon Wurrung people in this region

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Assembly recap

The 16th National Assembly meeting wrapped up on the Sunshine Coast recently after four days of discussion, Christian community, worship, prayer and discerning the will of God for the Uniting Church in Australia. One of the most significant moments was a historic renewal of the Covenant between the UCA and the Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress.

More information can be found on the website at: https://uniting.church/dwelling-in-love-at-the-16th-assembly/

Bus to David's Installation

As already mentioned in recent services, we are pleased to announce that a bus has now been organised to take members of our congregation to attend David's induction as Moderator. This will occur on **Thursday 30 June**, just before the commencement of Synod, at Wesley UC in the city. The 48 seater bus will leave our church at **6pm** and should return around **10.40pm**. It has seat belts and bottled water will be provided. The cost will be **\$25 per head**. We hope that a considerable number of people will avail themselves of this opportunity. Please inform Esther in the office as soon as possible to secure your seat - **payment due by the 31st of May.**

Ph: 9783 3400 email: frankstonuc@gmail.com

VOTING FOR THE JNC RECOMMENDATION

As foreshadowed, at the special Congregational Meeting between the services today (22 May) at 10am, the chair of our Joint Nominating Committee, Rev Joy Blamires, will present the name of the minister the JNC, supported by Presbytery, have recommended be called to High St UC. Joy will outline the process and reasons for this decision and address any queries. A secret ballot will then be conducted to hopefully endorse this recommendation. Please note that those of you who use Zoom to access services, and wish to vote, can do so either by phoning Esther at the office on Monday next (9783 3400), who will transcribe the Yes/ No to a ballot paper OR vote in person at the office during office hours on Monday. The votes will be tallied on Tuesday and the result announced next Sunday.

Vale Eileen McCarty

We are saddened to hear of the passing of Eileen McCarty, on the 11th of May. Eileen and her husband, Robert, were long time members of the congregation. We send our love to her family. The details for the funeral service are:

Date: Friday, 27th May at 2:00pm

Venue: Simplicity Funeral Chapel Seaford

2A - 2B Klauer Street Seaford



ZOOM/PHONE DETAILS

For all services:

On a tablet or laptop computer: Go to https://zoom.us/j/95468493260 and use the 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 #

More Information

Website: www.frankstonuniting.org.au

<u>Prayer team:</u> Phone 5971 2840 (Marlene) or email <u>HSUCPrayer@googlegroups.com</u>

Office hours: 9:00 am and 1:00pm. frankstonuc@gmail.com or 9783 3400

Offerings:

Account name: Frankston Uniting Church BSB: 063 133 Account #: 00800128 Please use **OFFERING** as the description

OR

Mail Cheque to: Keith Holmes 31 Lucerne Cres Frankston VIC 3199

<u>Notices:</u> Please send any items to <u>frankstonuc@gmail.com</u> by midday on Thursday.

Mission Guild

Mission Guild will be meeting in the Blue Room this coming Thursday (26th of May) at 11:00am.

PLEASE NOTE THE NEW TIME!

The Social Worker from Broadmeadows Uniting Church Outreach Program will be coming to us to receive a car-full of blankets, rugs, beanies, scarvies and other items targeted at keeping the community they care for warm this winter.



MAY FETE 2022!

Despite the very unfriendly weather, with the good work of all involved, the current result is that up to date we have taken **\$5098.95.** A breakdown of the individual stalls will be published in the next High Street Times.

Keith Holmes

Coming Up:

Sun 22nd May: Congregational Meeting

at 10:00am

Sun 29th May: HST going out

Sun 5th June: Pentecost (Combined

service at 10:00am)

Tues 7th June: Church Council at 7:30pm

Thurs 16th June: Baxter Village

Communion

Fri 17th June: Articles for HST due

Tues 21st June: Elders at 1:30pm

COG at 7:30pm

Sun 26th June: HST going out

Take this Bread

This is the title of a book by Sara Miles and is her spiritual memoir of a 21st century Christian.

The Thursday evening study group will be reading and discussing this book and we have eleven copies. If you would like a copy, and would like to join us on Thursdays, please see Arthur or Fiona today (Sunday 22nd May). **NB:** You are not expected to have read all of the book by the next meeting.

Presbytery Prayers

This week we ask you to join us in prayer

- Creative Ministries Network congregation
- <u>Cranbourne Uniting Church</u>, including supply minister Paul Dau and chair Tony Duncan

Traditional Rosters

Sunday, 22nd May

Bible Reader: Juli Lincoln

Stewards: Rona Russell, Heather Rawson **Morning Tea:** Dorothy B, Harriet H, John U.

Sunday, 29th May

Bible Reader: Ross Huggard

Stewards: Rona Russell, Heather Rawson **Morning Tea:** Carol C, Robert L, Virgil S

The Contemporary Roster and further details for the Traditional Roster can be found on our website, frankstonuniting.org.au, or on the noticeboard.