

Surfcoast Uniting Churches



Lectionary Readings

Easter Sunday

Acts 10 34-43
Ps 118 1-2, 14-24
1 Cor 15 19-26
John 20 1-18

Easter 2

Acts 5 27-32
Psalm 118 14-29
Rev 1 4-8
John 20 19-31

Sunday Worship Services

Today

Anglesea	9:00	Rev Suzie Castle
Aireys Inlet	10:30	Rev Suzie Castle
Torquay	9:30	Rev Kevin Yelverton
Bellbrae	11:00	Rev Kevin Yelverton

Next Week

Anglesea	9:00	Rev Bernie Long
Aireys Inlet	10:30	Chris Machar
Torquay	9:30	Rev Suzie Castle
Bellbrae	11:00	Rev Suzie Castle

An Easter Affirmation from

"Lent & Easter Readings from Iona"

We believe in a bright and amazing God, who has been to the depths of despair on our behalf;

Who has risen in splendor and majesty; who decorates the universe with sparkling water, clear white light, twinkling stars and sharp colours, over and over again.

We believe that Jesus is the Light of the world;

That God believes in us, and trusts us, even though we make the same mistakes over and over and over again.

We commit ourselves to Jesus, to one another as brothers and sister, and to the Maker's business in the world.

God said: Let there be light.

Helen Lamie


Christ is risen... He is risen indeed!

21st April 2019

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Anglesea

Trinity Uniting Church
Murch Crescent
Anglesea.


Bellbrae

Bellbrae Uniting Church
Cnr School and Anglesea Roads
Bellbrae.

Torquay

Torquay Uniting Church
27 Anderson Street
Torquay.

Bookroom and Brick A Brac at Bellbrae

 Bellbrae Op Shop
and Book Room

Ph: (03) 5261 5139
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Opening Times

Thursday, Friday 10am–4pm
Saturday 10am–1pm
Tuesday sorting: 1pm–4:30pm
Helpers are very welcome

Coastal Calendar for April 22-28

Tues 23 rd	Torquay Beaut Beanies	10:30am
Tues 23 rd	Anglesea Prayer Shawl Knitting Group	2:00pm
Wed 24 th	Anglesea Afternoon Fellowship	1:30pm
Thur 25 th	ANZAC DAY	
Frid 26 th	Torquay Coffee and Kids	9:30am
Sat 27 th	Anglesea Working Bee	9:30am

Coastal Calendar for April 29th-May 5th

Mon 29 th	Torquay Dine-Out	12:00
Tues 30	Torquay Beaut Beanies	10:30am
Tues 30 ^t	Anglesea Prayer Shawl Knitting Group	2:00pm
Thurs 2 nd	Torquay Coffee and Kids	9:30am
Thurs 2 nd	Elouera Service	2:15pm
Frid 3 rd	Torquay Coffee and Kids	9:30am
Frid 3 rd	Aireys Inlet Coffee & Chat	10:00am

WHAT'S ON THE COAST

Newsletter mail out – We are establishing an email data base for the newsletter. If this is the way you would prefer to receive your church communications each week, please let us know at newslettersurfcoastuc@gmail.com
This move helps lessen our footprint on the environment as well as monetary cost to the church

Anglesea



Meet the candidates for Corangamite

Q&A

FREE ENTRY

Sarah Henderson MP Liberal Party of Australia Invited	Libby Coker Australian Labor Party Confirmed
Simon Northeast Australian Greens Confirmed	Damien Cole Independent Confirmed
Neil Harvey United Australia Party Invited	

Find out about your candidates' policies on issues affecting refugees and people seeking asylum.

Tuesday 23rd April, 7.30pm

Torquay Football Club Spring Creek Pavilion

For more information email: aireysinletrar@gmail.com, phone: 0427701275

*Can you help with watering the Church garden one of three days per week? Please let John Balderstone know and a roster will be formed Saturday 27th April at 9.30

is a Working Bee please keep this date free.

*The April meeting of the Anglesea Afternoon Fellowship will be held this coming Wednesday, 24th April at 1.30 pm. The theme will be Easter Traditions and the item for Concern, is Cans of Fruit.

*We have received an invitation from Belmont Evening Fellowship, to attend a Blumes Fashion Parade. This will be in their Church Hall on Wednesday May 8th @10 am for Morning Tea followed by 10.30 am showing of the fashions. Enquires 5244 1864.

Bellbrae

Surf Coast Arts Trail Contributors needed

Calling, crafters, painters, bakers and willing helpers.

Bellbrae is inviting anyone in our parish who would like to join us and participate in the Surf Coast Arts Trail on August 10th and 11th. This has become an annual event on our calendar, which has developed friendships and raised money for our linked congregations. We are calling for submissions from artists and crafters to exhibit and/or sell their work. We also invite people who would like to sell crafts and cakes. Space is limited and entries need to be in to John Adams by April 9th. This year we are waving the exhibition fee in exchange for a few hours of your time serving in the op-shop or book room. We are also looking for volunteers to do two-hour stints between 10am and 4 pm on both days. If you would like to be involved please contact John on 0431920806 or email: waytoolongtobeawebname@yahoo.com

Bellbrae Bric-a-Brac volunteer roster June to December 2019

Many thanks to all our fabulous Bellbrae Bric-a-Brac volunteers this year, you have done a great job; sorting, arranging and selling goods of all sorts and of course lots of chatting. Please have a happy and peaceful Easter as you meet up with family and friends. I would appreciate it if all current volunteers could let me know of any changes that need to be made to the next six month roster, as soon as possible. I am off overseas in May for six weeks, so I would like to complete the roster in the next couple of weeks. I know I have really enjoyed working in the Op Shop and meeting our volunteers and customers. So if you know of anyone who would like to volunteer, please let me know. All that is required is a Working With Children Check, forms available from me.

If you could let me know if anyone has a new or different email address, that would be great.

My Contact details are: helen.c.g@bigpond.com and my mobile 0438639609.

Many Thanks, Helen Gaylard

Torquay

Torquay Uniting Church Dine Out----Date change

The next Dine out will be on Monday **April 29th** at the Beach Hotel Jan Juc, at 12 noon.

Please Contact Jean Elder on 52615540.

It is just three weeks until the

Sacrededge Festival at Queenscliff

May 3-5.

This festival, hosted by Queenscliff Uniting brings together over 30 story tellers, musicians and artists from a diverse range of backgrounds. It is an actual experience of diversity rather than a talkfest about diversity. People from different spiritual and cultural traditions, people who love justice, ideas, music and the arts, come together and form community. All ages are welcome.

Information about tickets and program are available at our website and facebook pages

http://www.unitingqueenscliff.org.au/Queenscliff-Point_Lonsdale_UCA/SacredEdge.html

<https://www.facebook.com/SacredEdgeFestival/>

HEAR THE FACTS

You are invited to an information session which will help to answer the myriad questions which many of us have about the refugee situation in

Geelong.

REFUGEES?

ASYLUM SEEKERS?

VISA HOLDERS?

Guest speaker: Linda Cusworth, is a Volunteer team leader at the Wesley Uniting Church Welcome Place (a drop-in centre for people seeking asylum), and a member of the Combined Refugee Action Group. She has several years' experience in supporting people seeking asylum as they navigate the complicated visa application process.

St Luke's Uniting Church has supported many refugees and several of them will join us for this meeting.

When: Sunday May 5th at 5pm.

Where: Belmont Uniting Church, Thomson Street Belmont.

Listen: be informed – ask questions.

Stay: enjoy a light meal and tea/coffee. Suggested donation for the meal is \$5. Any funds raised will be forwarded to St Luke's to help support their refugee programs.

Minister Dates for Leave

2019 holidays - June 17th - 30th and September 2nd - 8th (3 weeks)

2019 study leave - September 30-October 6

Our Fire Plan

No Church activities will take place on any day declared **EXTREME** or **CODE RED**. This includes worship services.

Newsletter Contributions .. send to newslettersurfcoastuc@gmail.com

Deadline Thursday 5:00pm.