



# Surfcoast Uniting Churches

7th June 2020

Worship together is available via video services on our website each Sunday from 9:00am  
[www.surfcoast.unitingchurch.org.au](http://www.surfcoast.unitingchurch.org.au)

Bellbrae is worshipping Live on Zoom at 11:00am Sundays  
Airey's Inlet is Live on Zoom at 1:30pm Sunday

*Minister: Rev. Suzie Castle*

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Leave days: Saturday and Wednesday

## *Trinity Sunday: a sonnet by Malcolm Guite*

In the Beginning, not in time or space,  
But in the quick before both space and time,  
In Life, in Love, in co-inherent Grace,  
In three in one and one in three, in rhyme,  
In music, in the whole creation story,  
In His own image, His imagination,  
The Triune Poet makes us for His glory,  
And makes us each the other's inspiration.  
He calls us out of darkness, chaos, chance,  
To improvise a music of our own,  
To sing the chord that calls us to the dance,  
Three notes resounding from a single tone,  
To sing the End in whom we all begin;  
Our God beyond, beside us and within.

Who is Malcolm Guite?

He is a poet-priest and Chaplain of Girton College, Cambridge. He teaches for the Divinity Faculty in Cambridge and lectures widely in England and North America on Theology and Literature

For something completely different but the same, check out Gerald Manly Hopkins sonnet called 'God's Grandeur'.



God eternal.  
Three  
in one

### Lectionary Readings:

#### Trinity Sunday June 7th:

Genesis 1: 1-2, 4a  
Psalm 8  
2 Corinthians 13: 11-13  
Matthew 28: 16-20

#### Pentecost 2 June 14th

Genesis 18: 1-15  
Psalm 116: 1-2, 12-19  
Romans 5: 1-8  
Matthew 9: 35—10:8

### UPDATE: *Uniting Barwon* *Emergency Relief* is OPEN

They offer support such as:

- Food and food vouchers
- Clothing and household items
- NILS (No Interest Loan Scheme)
- Family Bill Assist Program
- Homelessness and Housing
- Education Assistance Program
- Advocacy & links to other services

Use these telephone numbers to  
access local services

GROVEDALE: 4210 1100  
NORLANE: 5278 8492  
WINCHELSEA: 0419535490

### The COOKBOOK PROJECT UPDATE

This is the last week for collecting recipes so get them to us as soon as possible! Email your recipes to [newslettersurfcoastuc@gmail.com](mailto:newslettersurfcoastuc@gmail.com), or post to Tricia Genat, PO Box 898. Torquay. Handwritten recipes are fine—we will type them up!

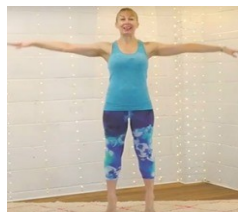
Thank you to everyone who has provided their favourite recipes, and offered to test some out as well. Here is the last teaser for you to try before the cookbook comes out in July.

#### Cheryl's Mum's Guaranteed Easy Fruit Cake

(almost guilt-free, no fat, no added sugar)

Ingredients: 1 kg mixed fruit, 2 cups strong black coffee, 2 cups SR flour  
optional: spices (eg. mixed spice) & lemon rind from one lemon

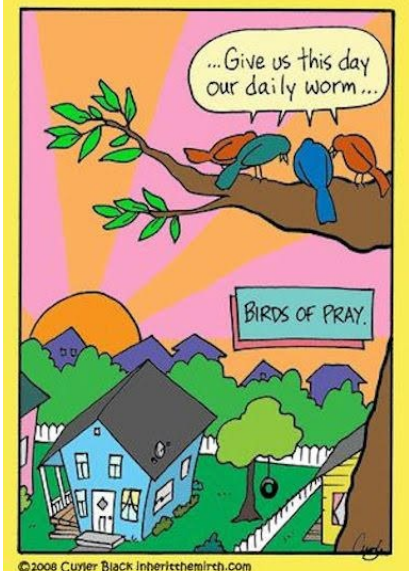
Method: Boil fruit in coffee in large saucepan for approx. 5 mins, *leave overnight*. Add sifted flour next day (plus spice & lemon rind if liked). Mix well. Bake in prepared brown paper & baking paper-lined square tin at 150 degrees C for 60-90 mins. Test with skewer to check for doneness. Cool in tin on rack. Refrigerate for long life, in sealed container.



**Standing  
Pilates  
for  
Seniors  
60+**

Feeling a little stiff after lockdown? Check out the safe and easy Pilates class as seen on the Torquay Community House website.

[www.torquaycommunityhouse.org.au](http://www.torquaycommunityhouse.org.au)  
Search for "The Girl With The Pilates Mat" on YouTube and click through the ads.



### Community Messages:

**Torquay congregation:** Although churches have been allowed to open, due to the restriction still on numbers we will not be starting worship in church for a little while yet. **Bellbrae and Aireys** are continuing with their Zoom services too.

Remember you can view services on line at [www.surfcoast.unitingchurch.org.au/worship-services](http://www.surfcoast.unitingchurch.org.au/worship-services)

**OP shop books** still available by appointment : call to Carleen on 0415173794

**Airey's Inlet** St Aidan's Church, 29 Great Ocean Road, Airey's Inlet. [aireysinletunitingchurch@gmail.com](mailto:aireysinletunitingchurch@gmail.com)

**Bellbrae:** Bellbrae Uniting Church. School & Anglesea Roads, Bellbrae

**Torquay:** Torquay Uniting Church, 27 Anderson Street, Torquay

**BELLBRAE BRIC-A-BRAC OP SHOP & BOOK ROOM:** Uniting Church Hall, School Road, Bellbrae. Ph: 5261 5139

**NOTE: All our churches & the OPshop are currently closed as per COVID 19 restrictions**



**Weekly offerings can be made via direct debit or credit to the congregation account :**

BSB: 083-929 and Account Number 93-009-8403 Please add notes in the deposit area to identify your congregation: Aireys Inlet:3231AI, Bellbrae:3228BB or Torquay:3228TQ

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