



Keiraview Uniting Church



**Fisher Street
West Wollongong**

Sharing life's journey with faith, hope and love in Christ.

22nd APRIL 2018
EASTER 4

9:15 am Morning Worship
6:00 pm Evening Worship

“I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me— just as the Father knows me and I know the Father—and I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that are not of this sheep pen. I must bring them also. They too will listen to my voice, and there shall be one flock and one shepherd.” 1 John 10:14-16

A **warm welcome** to all worshipping with Keiraview today.

Morning Worship will be led by Rev. Annette Hawken. All are welcome after the service to join in morning tea in the hall.

Evening Worship is led by Rev. Annette Hawken.

THIS WEEK AT KEIRAVIEW

Today **Prayer Meeting**, 8am at Keiraview.

Sat. 28th **Couples & Friends** Sat., 28th Apr., Mt Kembla Hotel Luncheon at own cost. Numbers needed RSVP to Fae by TODAY please.

-- **KYB** on recess until 29th May.

-- **Kids' Club** and **Good Samarateens** on recess until 4th May.

COMING EVENTS (Keiraview)

Music Makers Sun., 29th Apr., 6pm at Keiraview (5pm practise).

COMING EVENTS *(other)*

Hymnsing Today, 2.00pm at Kiama Uniting Church Fellowship Centre, 19 Bong Bong Rd, cnr Manning St Kiama. Sing for one hour then have afternoon tea. Requests: Phone Gail on 4232 1630 or Reuben on 4233 2490

Illawarra Presbytery Meeting Thurs., 26th Apr. at the Northern Illawarra UCA commencing at 4.00pm. **Guest speaker** will be Ms Nicole Rose, Manager of a new office in Synod, responsible for Risk Management. This will be an important presentation for all Congregations.

Fair Trade Faith Conference 27-29 April at Queanbeyan Uniting Church Centre, 13 Rutledge Street, Queanbeyan NSW. This conference brings together people who care about Fair Trade and provides an opportunity to share knowledge and ideas and build networks in this space. For more info and to register: <http://allthenashes.wixsite.com/fairtradefait>.

CMS Illawarra Meeting - "Hope in a time of refugee crisis"

Thurs., 3rd May, 12:30-2:00 p.m. St Mark's Anglican Church, West Wollongong. Speaker: Jo, who has been working in a Middle Eastern city reaching out to Syrian Refugees. BYO lunch, tea/coffee provided, trading table to support work of CMS. Contact Beverley Defty bgdefty@bigpond.com

Safe Church Workshop 5/6 May at Bowral Uniting Church, 9:15am for 9:30am - 3:30pm. Register online at <http://ume.nsw.uca.org.au/upcoming-courses/scta-workshop-registrations/>

YOUTH LEADERSHIP TRAINING - EMPOWERING LEADERS OF TODAY AND TOMORROW. Illawarra Presbytery, Uniting Church of Australia 18th - 21st May 2018, CHITTICK LODGE, 21 Bridges Rd, Gerringong NSW. \$75 inc food & bed.

Registrations close 27th April.

Contact Nat Hawken 0421 605 946

PRAYER REQUESTS

for the **residents of Farmborough Grove & the Nursing home, and those who care for them.** We give thanks for those who give of their time, energy and love to our aging members.

A prayer for **those affected by the bush fires** by Moderator Rev. Simon Hansford.

God of life and death, our prayers today are where our hearts and minds have been during these last days and where they have so often been this season; with those whose lives have been touched in differing ways by the bushfires.

We pray for all those who have been affected; and we give thanks that no one has been killed. We pray for those who have been injured and survived: for physical and emotional trauma; for the fear and helplessness experienced; for the anger and frustration at the injustice of unavoidable disaster;

We pray for those who have lost their home and property or are facing such loss: for those who have been forced to leave their memories and belongings; for the fear & disorientation of all involved; Heal them from their nightmare memories.

We pray for all involved in fighting the fire: for our Rural Fire Service and their leadership and all those we know and those we do not know; we pray for courage in a place of fear; for new strength in the face of exhaustion; for people who have travelled distances in order to resource those who experience fatigue;

We pray for all who offer support and care at this time: for the various agencies, churches and community groups; for disaster response chaplains; for government services as they are activated; for friends and neighbours, known and unknown; for aiding recovery and providing a shoulder to cry on; we give thanks too, for the generosity of many, in small and large ways, to those who are struggling. **Amen**

NEW PRESBYTERY DEVELOPMENT WORKER

The Standing Committee is thrilled to announce that following a recruitment and election process, **Mrs Lucy Earl** has been appointed to the new position of Mission Development Worker. Lucy's qualifications, experience and passion for mission will serve her well to meet the challenges of developing this new venture in the Presbytery's life and witness amongst the congregations of the Southern Highlands. We look forward to Lucy's contribution in this special ministry and ask you to uphold Lucy in your prayers as she commences on 1 May 2018.

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or phone Grace Kennedy on 0415 952 701, by noon Wednesday.

Megaroster & Lectionary Readings - Sun. 29th April

Flowers	Pat Mobbs		
Music	Robyn Bradley	Audio System	Ian Almond
PC / Slide Show	Sam Hawken	Morning Tea	Norma Coudrey
Bible Reader	Colin Gold		Colin Gold
Prayer	Darren Kirwood		Ross Johnson
Announcements	Clive Arthur		June Keith
Elder	Fae McGregor	Welcomers	Sandy Brisbane Freda Broadhead
		Offering Counting	Clive Arthur Lyn Jones

Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 22:25-31; 1 John 4:7-21; John 15:1-8