



Keiraview Uniting Church

19th AUG 2018

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

Fisher Street
West Wollongong

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

Your servant is here among the people you have chosen, a great people, too numerous to count or number. So give your servant a discerning heart to govern your people and to distinguish between right and wrong. For who is able to govern this great people of yours? 1 Kings 3:8-9

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A warm welcome to all worshipping
with Keiraview today.

Morning Worship will be led by Rev. Annette Hawken at Farmborough Grove Retirement Village (FGV). All are welcome to stay for morning tea after.

Evening Worship is led Music Makers at Wollongong West Public School (WWPS) practise beforehand at 5pm.

THIS WEEK AT KEIRAVIEW

Tues.21st **Coffee & Chat** 9:30-11am at FGV.
Speaker: Ken Kirwood.

Bible Study 8pm at 7 Gerard St.,
Farmborough Heights. Enq. Scott
Morrison 0418 665161

Fri. 24th **Kid's Club** 4-5pm at WWPS, for kids
in Yrs K-4. Cost: \$3.

Good Samarateens 7-8:30pm at
WWPS, for kids in Yr5+. *Contact Nat*
0421 605946 for more details



A Fairtrade
Faith Community

COMING EVENTS (Keiraview)

Belonging Course Fri., 24 Aug., The first (of twelve) of the Baptism/Confirmation classes. Contact Annette 4229 2303

Prayer Meeting Sun., 26 Aug., 8:30am in the Craft Room at FGV. Prayer requests to Norma Coudrey 4229 7392

Snags in September Sat., 1 Sept., 12 noon at Lakeside Park, Kanahooka. More details below.

Pastoral Care Coordinators Meeting Thurs., 6 Sept. Details TBD

COMING EVENTS (other)

Hymnfest ft. Wollongong Gospel Choir Sun., 26th Aug from 2 – 3pm at Dapto Uniting Church, 122 Princes Highway.

Taize Prayer Gathering Sun., 9th Sept., 6pm at St Paul's Catholic Church, 251 Tongarra Rd, Albion Park.

Keiraview Family "Snags in September"

to support the Frontier Services Remote Ministry.

Meet at Lakeside Park at Kanahooka *
on Saturday 1 September at 12 noon.

- There will be a Sausage Sizzle with bread, sauce and onions and cool drinks available for \$5pp.
- Please bring your folding chair/table or rug. There is limited undercover table and seating.
- BYO tea, coffee & salad.
- Please bring a slice, cake, biscuits or fruit to share.

It will be another opportunity for both gatherings to enjoy fellowship together over a meal. There will be some activities/games for the children and the 'young at heart'. Any profit from the Sausage Sizzle plus a donation box available on the day will go towards this important ministry especially in this time of severe drought.

*Directions: take Kanahooka Road then turn right into Lakeside Drive. We will be on the left hand side (lakeside) somewhere opposite the shops.

Can't come on the day but would like to make a donation? then Fae would be happy to receive it.



Frontier Services
Standing with people in the bush



RSVP by **Sunday 25 August** to Fae 42713762 for catering purposes.

for the residents of **Farmborough Grove** and Nursing Homes. Pray for the Managers and staff. Give thanks for the use of facilities for worship.

for those in our **Church Family** undergoing tests, treatment, and for those suffering bereavement.

for the **Belonging Program** focusing on Baptism & Confirmation.

for the success of Uniting's new **Retirement Village** apartments in Wallaroo Drive, Shellharbour. 78 units are under construction, pray for the builders and their safety whilst construction is under way.

A Prayer from **UCA Lectionary Resources**

Holy Wisdom,

you granted Solomon's request

for an understanding mind

and the knowledge to discern good from evil.

Fill us with such understanding and knowledge

that we may act as instruments

of your loving desire for creation,

working with you to transform

our conceit into concern for others,

our fear into love,

our violence into peace,

and our brokenness into wholeness. **Amen.**



TEAR AUSTRALIA



Sydney | September

Just Women

Saturday
8 September 2018
10am – 12pm
Barneys Anglican Church
Broadway, Ultimo

A CHRISTIAN RESPONSE TO RACISM

President of the Uniting Church in Australia Dr Deidre Palmer has called on Australians to respond with love, hospitality and inclusion to a surge in anti-immigration rhetoric in Australian public life.

“Jesus’ great commandment to his followers was to love God and love your neighbour. As Christians we believe all people are created in the image of God and deserving of respect and dignity. Racism is incompatible with the Christian faith,” said Dr Palmer.

“The Uniting Church is a proudly multicultural church. Our ministry in Christ continues to be powerfully transformed by the strong and flourishing intercultural community we hold across our diversity,” said Dr Palmer. Every day I thank God for the blessings of our gloriously multicultural Church. When I think of ‘Christian values’ I think about overcoming racism and discrimination in all its forms. In his ministry, Jesus challenged religious and social prejudice and sought to break down the barriers that separate us from each other socially, religiously, culturally and politically. Christian values are about inviting people to create communities, where all people can flourish.

Jesus’ call is to love in the face of hatred and to embody God’s generous hospitality. As Martin Luther King Jr famously observed - hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that.

So I urge Uniting Church members and all Australians to embrace the multicultural nature of our society and respond with love and compassion to those who are being made to feel unwelcome”.

Dr Palmer called on Church members to boldly bear witness to the reconciling ministry of Christ that we proclaim.

NEXT WEEK ...

Sunday, 26th August

1 Kings 8:22-30, 41:43

Psalms 84

Ephesians 6:10-20

John 6:56-69



Flowers	Bronwyn Wilson
Audio System	Rod Doyle
PC/Slide Show	Clive Arthur
Welcomers	Kevin Smyth Thelma Smyth
Announcements	Annette Arthur
Elder	Alan Bradley
Music	Kerryn Morrison
Bible Reader	Alan Bradley
Prayer	Alayne Guerin
Offering Counting	Ross Johnson Lyn Jones
Morning Tea	Michael Allen Robyn Allen Don Townsend Sue Townsend

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