

Keiraview Uniting Church



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

**1st March 2020 –
1st Sunday of Lent**

9:30am Morning Worship
6:30pm Evening Worship

34 Fisher St., West Wollongong

“Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone.”

1 Corinthians 12:4-6

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

Morning Worship will be led by Rev Annette Hawken at Keiraview. All are welcome to stay for morning tea after.

Evening Worship will be led by Rev Annette Hawken at Keiraview.

Prayer

For those who are sick or who are caring for the sick.
For all involved with the Agape home in Thailand.
For the Uniting Illawarra and the South Coast Chaplaincy teams as they transition to new leadership.
A prayer of Thomas Ken (1637-1711)
*Create in us, O Lord,
a heart forever resigned to your will,
a life always mindful of your presence
and a devotion eternally dedicated to your glory;
through Christ our Lord..
Amen.*

Coming Up at Keiraview

Tue 3 rd and weekly	Eden Playtime 10am-12noon for children aged 0 to 5 years old
Thur 5 th Mar	Pastoral Care Co-coordinators meeting 4pm
Fri. 6 th	World Day of Prayer Service 10am at Keiraview.
Fri. 6 th and weekly	Kids Club 4pm at Keiraview for kids in K-4. Good Samaritans 7pm at Keiraview for kids in Yr5-10.
Wed 11 th Mar	Pastoral Care Team meeting 7:30pm
Sat 14 th to Sun 15 th Mar	UME Discipleship Weekend
Sat 21 st	Big Market Day

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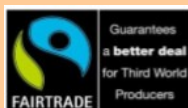
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A Fairtrade Faith Community

“Rise! Take up your mat and Walk.”

The World Day of Prayer is this week...
Service at 10am Friday March 6th 2020.

The World Day of Prayer 2020 host country is Zimbabwe



**World Day of Prayer
AUSTRALIA**

World Day of Prayer Help Needed

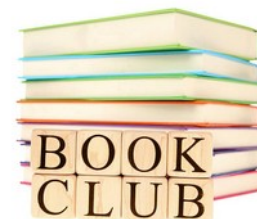
Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the World Day of Prayer Service held on Friday 6 March at 10 am at Keiraview. I am seeking help in the kitchen on the day and also donations of savoury or sweet finger food . We could have between 60 -80 people attending. If you can help please contact Fae ASAP 42713762 so arrangements can be finalised.

Know Your Bible

Know Your Bible (KYB) is an interdenominational Bible study scheme mainly for women. There is an opportunity to recommence a KYB group at Keiraview, probably 1.00-2.30pm on Tuesdays, starting May. If you are interested in participating would you please speak with Annette Arthur or Bev Paton so that arrangements can proceed.



The first meeting of the new BBB Book club will be on **Friday 27 March**, 7.30-9.30 at Keiraview, and we will be discussing a book written by 16th-century monk Brother Lawrence, called 'Practice of the Presence of God'.



You can buy this in hard copy if you like having an actual physical book, but is also available for free here: <http://bit.ly/32hDA32>

If you are interested in joining us, we would love you to come along! There is no need to RSVP, but please bring a plate of food to share.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me: chrisshowe7@gmail.com.

MASSIVE SHOE SALE!

PRICES FROM \$15!

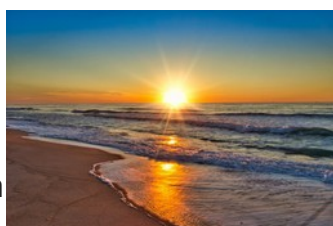


Support Operation Christmas Child at this fundraising event. Saturday 7th March 2020 12:00 to 4:00pm ALBION PARK UNITING CHURCH Entry by Gold coin donation.



Beach Bible Breakfast

The next Beach Bible Breakfast (BBB) will be held on Saturday 14 March at North Beach, 7am - 9am. We meet on the grassy area just north of the surf club at 7am, go for a walk and do a guided meditation, then have breakfast together at Diggies at 8am. All women welcome! Contact Chrissy Howe (chrisshowe7@gmail.com) to RSVP or for more information.



Keiraview Pastoral Care Team has invited Therese Vella, a Registered Positive Behaviour Support Specialist with ASPECT, to speak about children on the Autism Spectrum, at a meeting on Wednesday 11th March 2020. The meeting will be held in the Keiraview centre, 34 Fisher Street West Wollongong from 7.30 – 9.00pm. Interested people very welcome

Sunday, 8th March
2nd Sunday of Lent

Readings:

Genesis 12:1-4a
Psalm 121
Romans 4:1-5,13-17
Matthew 17:1-9

Preaching	Les Hewitt
Flowers	Robyn Johnson
PC / AV	Clive Arthur
Welcomers	Colin Gold Pat Robinson
Announcements	Pauline Doyle
Elder	Nathaniel Hawken
Music	Lurline Butler
Bible Reader	Bev Ratcliffe
Prayers	Norma Coudrey
Offertory Counting	Alan Bradley Ross Johnson
Morning Tea	Ian Almond Jenny Almond Don Townsend Sue Townsend

Next Week

AGAPE FUNDRAISING MISSION BIG MARKET DAY

Saturday 21st March 2020
10am – 2pm



KIDS KORNER

KIDS KORNER at the Agape Market Day will be filled with fun! There will be a 'Guess the number of Jelly Beans in the Jar' competition; lots of fun games to play (everyone wins a prize!), and some great pre-loved books, games, toys and DVDs for purchase.

MARKET STALL – TRASH & TREASURE – CAR BOOT SALE
TEA & SCONES – SAUSAGE SIZZLE – and much more
Rummage Sale



Big Market Day promises to be an exciting and fun day and we strongly urge you to promote the event to family and friends. Flyers advertising Big Market Day are available on the Agape table in the foyer. Please take some if you are able and drop them into letter boxes nearby your home.

We are seeking household items in reasonable/good condition to sell on the Rummage Stall. Here is your chance to get rid of unwanted items that clutter the house or shed - anything of portable size is most welcome. Unfortunately because the Rummage Stall is just that - a stall - we are unable to accept large items such as furniture etc.

There will be two collection Sundays at the Church - 8th and 15th March. One of the small alcoves just inside the door will be set aside to drop off your donated items. For those people who have no means of transporting goods to the Church, we will be offering a pick up service during the week prior to Big Market Day on 21st. If you would like to avail yourself of this service, please contact Adell Smith on 02 4229 6163 or email smithadell@gmail.com and we will arrange a suitable time to come and collect your items.

A reminder - we still need helpers if you are able to help out on the stalls or Devonshire Teas, even for just an hour or so, please enter your name and details into the schedule. As well, please note in the schedule if you intend contributing items for the stalls and what you are donating. This gives us some idea of what to expect for the day and is most helpful in our planning.

Keep in mind, on Sunday 15th March there will be a cacti and succulent plant sale in the Agape Corner. Please bring in any or similar plants to sell or get in early and pre-purchase before Big Market Day.

YOUR HELP ... WILL HELP ... US TO HELP
Children at the Agape Home

UME DISCIPLESHIP WEEKEND

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What?	A fun-filled, information-packed weekend to inspire and encourage leadership, discipleship and mission-minded engagement in our faith communities.
When?	Friday, 13 March – Sunday, 15 March 2020 Start – 7:30 p.m. Fri 13 Mar Finish – 12:30 p.m. Sun 15 Mar
Where?	Keiraview Uniting Church
Cost?	All activities during the weekend are free of charge, with the exception of the “Knowing Your Community” workshop session on Saturday afternoon (see program below) – the cost for this workshop is \$165.00 pp but free if four or more people from the same congregation choose to attend.

Saturday Program

Noon	Meet & Greet UME staff (Bring your own lunch)
1:00pm	Devotion: Living Church – Rev Dr Peter Walker
1:30pm	Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowing Your Church – Rev Dr Cameron Eccleston • MSM Taster – Rev Karen Mitchell-Lambert • Growing Younger – Pulse Team
3:00pm	Afternoon Tea
3:30pm	Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowing Your Community – Rev Dr Cameron Eccleston • Fresh Expression – Rev Dr Raymond Joso • Inter-generational Worship – Pulse Team

Sunday Program

What?	Sunday Worship Services – A chance to worship together and continue the fellowship and discipleship opportunities at various participating churches in the local area.
Keiraview Uniting Church	9:30 am Worship Service Speaker: Rev Karen Mitchell-Lambert
Dapto Uniting Church	9:30 am Worship Service Speaker: Rev Dr Raymond Joso
Northern Illawarra Uniting Church	9:30 am Worship Service Speaker: Rev Dr Cameron Eccleston

Find out more at <http://bit.ly/37WfWdP>