

20<sup>th</sup> June 2021

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# Keiraview Uniting News



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Mark 5:32

Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at his feet and, trembling with fear, told him the whole truth. He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering."

welcome

Morning Worship **9:30am**  
led by Rev. David Stuart

Evening Worship **6:00pm**  
led by Rev. David Stuart

## Thought for the week

### Spending Time with God

*A River Runs Through It* is Norman Maclean's masterful story of two boys growing up in western Montana with their father, a Presbyterian minister. On Sunday mornings, Norman and his brother, Paul, went to church where they heard their father preach. Once Sunday evening rolled around, there was another service and their father would preach again. But between those two services, they were free to walk the hills and streams with him "while he unwound between services." It was an intentional withdrawing on their father's part to "restore his soul and be filled again to overflowing for the evening sermon."

Throughout the Gospels, Jesus is seen teaching multitudes on hillsides and cities, and healing the sick and diseased who were brought to Him. All this interaction was in line with the Son of Man's mission "to seek and to save the lost" (Luke 19:10). But it's also noted that He "often withdrew to lonely places" (5:16). His time there was spent communing with the Father, being renewed and restored to step back once more into His mission.

In our faithful efforts to serve, it's good for us to remember that Jesus often withdrew. If this practice was important for Jesus, how much more so for us? May we regularly spend time with our Father, who can fill us again to overflowing

By John Blase  
(from Our Daily Bread Devotionals)

## PRAYERS

Pray for the students using, and helpers involved in the Breakfast Club.

Pray for Rev. David Stuart and his family.  
Pray for the ministry of Khairul and Sue.

Pray for the Wesley Community Care Program - for those it serves and those who provide services.

Pray for students in primary & secondary for those undergoing tertiary studies or training.

## COMING UP AT KEIRAVIEW

Day	Time	Activity
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	10:40	<b>Keiraview Uniting Congregational Meeting</b>
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	18:00	<b>Community Dinner</b>
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	10:00- 12:00	<b>Eden Playtime &amp; Community Gardening</b>
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	13:15- 14:45	<b>KYB Women's Bible Study</b>
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup>	19:00- 20:00	<b>Insights Young Adults</b>
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	18:30	<b>Bowling End of Term outing for Kids' Club &amp; ThreeSixTeens</b>



## From the Safe Church Team

The capacity of our building is 274 based on 1 person/2 sq mts. Physical distancing of 1.5m should be maintained as far as practical including in meeting rooms and office areas. This restriction is what determines the placement of the chairs in the church.

For those having Morning Tea or any other events serving refreshments or meals at Keiraview please continue to maintain physical distancing during preparations in the kitchen and when sitting at the tables.

If you have any questions regarding the latest COVID Safety Guidelines please speak to the Safe Church Team (Gavin Whitten, Vi Richardson, Phil Crawford or Pauline Doyle) or email:

safe-church@keiraview.org



Could all volunteers please make sure they have completed a Volunteer Form and return it ASAP to Vi Richardson, Phil Crawford or Pauline Doyle or to the safe church email above. Printed copies are available at church.



## Keiraview Congregational Meeting

will be held in the church on **TODAY (20th June) at 10:40am** for the presentation of the Financial Report and the Budget.

**Community Dinner** In celebration of the anniversary of the Uniting Church in Australia on the 22<sup>nd</sup> June, the 6pm service today will be a Community Dinner in the hall. During the dinner we will sing, pray, fellowship and learn a little about what it means to be the Uniting Church. The dinner will consist of Pizza and Chicken Wings at a cost of \$5 an individual or \$10 a family. If you would like to come and share in this Community Dinner, please let me know **by 4pm TODAY** so we can ensure we order enough food. Rev. David Stuart

**Bowling** There will be a joint Three:SixTeens and Kids' Club End of Term outing to Bowling this Friday (25<sup>th</sup> June). Contact [khairul@keiraview.org](mailto:khairul@keiraview.org)

**Prayer Meeting** is on next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 8:30am before morning service. Prayer requests to Norma Coudrey.

**World Day of Prayer 2021** Sincere thanks to all for your generous support of the WDOP 2021. Donations totalled \$1,380 and have been sent to further the mission to Vanuatu. Your gift is very much appreciated and will be life changing for many providing health care education and housing. Fae McGregor

**Working with Children Week** is this coming week (21-27<sup>th</sup> June). The NSW Office of the Children's Guardian is offering free compliance webinars on 23<sup>rd</sup> June (10-11am or 6:30-7:30pm). More details at this link <https://bit.ly/3vHSZ9X>

## Bottle Tops

There is a box in the church foyer for the collection of plastic bottle tops. This plastic is being collected to be recycled into prosthetics. Thanks



## Newsletter Winter Hiatus

The Keiraview newsletter will go on hiatus for the winter recess. The final newsletter before hiatus will be 27<sup>th</sup> June, returning 18<sup>th</sup> July.

Please send any notices for the hiatus period **by 23<sup>rd</sup> June** to ensure it will make it into the 27<sup>th</sup> June edition.

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10am to 3pm  
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Parking behind Church Centre & in Shopping Mall opposite  
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Lyn Brown 0425 219 233 Robyn Johnson 0414 307 910  
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**OTHER ATTRACTIONS**

- CAKE STALL
- HOME MADE CARD STALL
- BUY-BACK STALL
- CRAFT ACCESSORIES, RIBBONS STALL
- PLANT STALL
- LIGHT ENTERTAINMENT
- BABY CLOTHES & BAGS STALL
- BARISTA COFFEE AVAILABLE AT THE CAFE - \$4 EACH AS REQUIRED
- PICKLES & CHUTNEY STALL

## Position Vacant – Presbytery Bookkeeper

Illawarra Presbytery UCA is seeking a bookkeeper, permanent, part-time (10-15 hrs per week).

Work/life balance and flexibility available. Shellharbour Village office with possible work from home. Position will include: MYOB/Xero, lodging BAS, payroll/superannuation processing and reporting, producing financial reports.

For more information and a copy of the position description, please contact Presbytery Administrator, Vi Richardson Mob: 0491 185 320; Email: [admin.ip@nswact.uca.org.au](mailto:admin.ip@nswact.uca.org.au)



## Uniting Climate Action Network (UCAN) Launch

All interested members of the Uniting Church community are invited to the on-line launch on the evening of Thursday, June 24.

Come and hear:

- The network's purpose and how it connects to the Synod Climate Action Strategy and wider action on climate
- How we can put our faith and values into action (including what you, your congregations and communities are passionate about)
- How UCAN members will be connected to build on our strengths
- What to expect next

The Moderator, Rev Simon Hansford, will join us to affirm the importance of this work for the life of our church and our world.

When: Thursday, June 24

Time: 6.00 pm- 7.15 pm

The meeting will be via Zoom. Registration below

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/ucan-launch-tickets-158673371325>

In the meantime, if you have any questions or would like more information please contact Jon O'Brien at [joobrien@uniting.org](mailto:joobrien@uniting.org) or phone 0477 725 528.

## ELECTRONIC GIVING

**Banking Details** If you prefer to do an electronic bank deposit as offertory, the details are:

Keiraview Uniting Church, BSB: 634 634, Account #: 100017747

## ROSTER

27<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2021

### Flowers

Leonie Erskine

### AV/Streaming

Colin Gold  
Kath Hamdan

### Welcomers

Keith Smyth  
Thelma Smyth

### Announcements

Clive Arthur

### Elder

Lyn Jones

### Music

Robin Bradley

### Bible Reader

Ross Bryceson

### Prayer

Darren Kirwood

### Offering Counting

Alan Bradley  
Lyn Jones

### Morning Tea

Annette Arthur  
Sandy Brisbane  
Don Townsend  
Sue Townsend

## READINGS

### PENTECOST 5

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27

Psalms 130

2 Corinthians 8:7-15

Mark 5:21-43

Please send notices for this news sheet to Grace

by noon Wednesday.

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