



Name Badges

Please wear your name badge to help newcomers and visitors get to know us more easily. If you require a new or replacement name badge, please speak with one of the stewards so we can organise one for you.

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Diary Dates:

18 Feb: Mingles

1 Mar: World Day of Prayer ACT

2 Mar: Safe Church Workshop

24 Mar: Congregation meeting

Rosters:

Today - 17 February

READER: Shirley Chalmers

PRAYERS: Bala BalaretnaRaja

ORGANIST: Ian Kummerow

FLOWERS: Tongan Congregation

WELCOME: Dora Chapman

MORNING TEA: A Butler, K Trembath,
B Griffiths

Next Sunday - 24 February

READER: Rachel Gilks

PRAYERS: Margaret Martin

ORGANIST: David Franks

FLOWERS: Esther Kwon

WELCOME: Alex Pringle

MORNING TEA: Lisa & Finau Lapupua



We warmly welcome all members, friends and visitors to our service today. If you would like to make this church your home please talk to the Minister or one of the Stewards on duty or complete a care card available in the foyer. If you are a student you can contact Dennis Martin on 0404 747 608 or [dwardmamartin@gmail.com](mailto:dwandmamartin@gmail.com) Otherwise you can contact Barbara Lowe on 6241 4779 or barbara.lowe@gbf.id.au.

Please join us for morning tea after the service.

Today: Sunday 17 February 2019

10.00am Morning Service led by Narelle Sellar

2.00pm Toe Talatalanoa Service

5.15pm City at Night

Lectionary: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1; 1 Cor 15:12-20; Lk 6:17-26

Next week: Sunday 24 February 2019

10.00am Morning Service led by Rev Paul Chalson

2.00pm Toe Talatalanoa Service

5.15pm City at Night

Lectionary: Gen 45:3-11, 15; Ps 37:1-11, 39-40; 1 Cor 15:35-38, 42-50;
Lk 6:27-38

Our Vision And Values

Canberra City Uniting Church is a diverse community of people who, by word and action, seek to share the good news of the love of God seen in Jesus Christ.

We try to be an inclusive community providing a place of nurture and care for people of different cultures, abilities, ages, family structures and sexual orientations.

As a congregation of the Uniting Church in Australia, we aim in our worship to bring people into the presence of God, through ordered, thoughtful and innovative liturgy and scholarly interpretation of the Bible. We foster a strong commitment to social justice and peace, both in Australia and in the rest of the world.

As a city church we endeavour to serve the local community as disciples of Christ. We aspire to live as responsible stewards of the earth and its resources, which we understand to be part of God's creation.

Mingles

Mingles will start its new year on **Monday, 18 February** beginning with the usual dinner at 7.00pm. Our speaker will be one of our members, Don Rowland, on Making Decorative Woodwork. Don has won a number of prizes for pieces he has made. Please let Dora Chapman know in advance if you are attending and if you plan to bring food to share or just pay \$12.

Book Launch

Please contact Terry Birtles for an invitation if you wish to attend the book launch of his biography of Francis Birtles on **22 February** at the National Museum.

Film Group CANCELLED

Please note that the Film Group planned for **Friday, 22 February** has been cancelled.

World Day Of Prayer

Australian Church Women ACT will be holding the World Day Of Prayer on **1 March 2019** at The Salvation Army, Cnr Fawkner and Elouera Streets, Braddon at 11.00am. Parking available in the Church grounds. The service has been prepared by the women of Slovenia using the theme 'Come-Everything is Ready'. Guest speaker for the service will be Rev Belinda Groves from the Canberra Baptist Church. A light lunch will follow the service. Cost \$6.00.

Second Safe Church Awareness Workshop - 2 March 2019

Who needs to attend? Church leaders who haven't previously attended a workshop or need refresher training after 3 years. These include Councillors, Ministers, pastoral carers and Ministry program leaders. Attendance is particularly encouraged for those who couldn't go to the 9 February workshop.

When: Saturday, 2 March 2019 - 9.30am - 3.30pm. Refresher only (3 year update) - 9.30 am -1pm. Please arrive 15 minutes before start time.

Venue: Gungahlin Uniting Church, 108 The Valley Avenue, Gungahlin.

Cost: \$25 pp (\$20 refresher). Support is available for people who are unable to afford the registration fee.

Morning tea/lunch: Morning tea provided. Please bring your own lunch.

Registration: Registrations must be made prior to the workshop and are due by 24 February 2019. If you wish to register, contact Rinda Scott.

Further information: see link to Synod website <http://>

ume.nswact.uca.org.au/upcoming-courses/scta-workshop-registrations/

Save The Date

The next meeting of the Canberra City Congregation will be on **Sunday, 24 March**, after morning worship. There will be updates on current activities including renovations, finances and the Early Morning Centre. If you would like to add an agenda item, please contact Kathy Trembath (ktrem2@live.com.au).

Contact Magazine

The next edition of Contact will be available on Sunday, 2 March. If you have items to be included please forward to the office by Monday, 25 February.

O'Connor UC - Office Administrator

O'Connor Uniting Church is seeking an Office Administrator to work in the Church Office 10 hours per week. It is important to have general office skills and good people skills. Also important to have a good working knowledge of MYOB accounting system. For further details please contact Council Chair Wendy Veenstra 6257 7911.

Ministerial Advisory Council on Ageing

Expressions of interest are now being sought for the Ministerial Advisory Council on Ageing (the Council) The Council provides a link between the Minister for Seniors and Veterans and older people in the ACT. The Council assists the Government in developing and implementing positive ageing policies, to advance the status and interests of older people in our community. The Council seeks representation from people with diverse backgrounds, experiences and abilities to apply and become a voice for all older people in Canberra.

We are keen to receive expressions of interest from people who have a demonstrated commitment to the advancement of older people and who have a particular interest in creating an age-friendly city and countering elder abuse.

To apply please visit: https://dhcs.smartygrants.com.au/1921_MACA

For more information and link to the referee proforma template please

visit: https://www.communityservices.act.gov.au/wac/seniors/advisory_council_on_ageing Expressions of interest are open now and close on Tuesday, 12 March 2019, 5pm.