



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:

4 Jul: Friendship Group

8 Jul: Women In Touch

15 Jul: Mingles Christmas in July

Rosters:

Today - 30 June

READER: Finau Nisa

PRAYERS: Graeme Lowe

ORGANIST: Ross Bowden

FLOWERS: Dora Chapman

WELCOME: Bob Townsend

MORNING TEA: Kitchen Renovation

Next Sunday - 7 July

READER: Shirley Chalmers

PRAYERS: Justine Gibbings

ORGANIST: Lorraine Macknight

FLOWERS: Tongan Congregation

WELCOME: Graeme Lowe

MORNING TEA: Tongan Congregation



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@gbl.id.au.

Please join us for morning tea after the service.

Today: Sunday 30 June 2019

10.00am Morning Service led by Rev Paul Chalson

2.00pm Toe Talatalanoa Service

5.15pm City at Night

Lectionary: 2 Kgs 2:1-2, 6-14; Ps 77:1-2, 11-20; Gal 5:1, 13-25; Lk 9:51-62

Next week: Sunday 7 July 2019

10.00am Combined Service led by Rev Robyn Triglone

2.00pm No Service

5.15pm City at Night

Lectionary: 2 Kgs 5:1-14; Ps 30; Gal 6:(1-6), 7-16; Lk 10:1-11, 16-20.

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.

Save Medevac For Refugees - Public Forum

Monday 1 July, 6.30pm, Copland Lecture Theatre, ANU. Dr Kerryn Phelps, AM, who initiated the legislation, and Emeritus Professor John Warhurst AO will speak at a public forum and Q&A on this medical emergency, the critical need for evacuations and the politics that underpin this issue. All welcome.

Friendship Group

The next meeting of the Friendship Group will be on **Thursday, 4 July** at the Ainslie Football Club commencing 12 noon. If you need a lift or require more details please contact Shirley Chalmers. All welcome!

Concert At Kippax

Featuring MO award winning Adam Scicluna. Adam has a world class voice and is a sophisticated, sensitive, and clever comedian. **Sunday, 7 July** at 4.00pm, Kippax Uniting Community Centre, Holt. Tickets at <https://www.trybooking.com/BCQWV>. Ticket prices: \$25 adult; \$22 group bookings of 10 or more; \$15 child under 18 yrs; under 5 free; \$50 family.

Women In Touch (WIT)

WIT will next meet on **Monday, 8 July** at Lewis Hall, St Columba's Uniting Church, 7 Farrer Street, Braddon. The meeting will begin with lunch (BYO) at 12 noon with tea and coffee provided. For more information contact Narelle Sellar.

Common Dreams Conference 11-14 July 2019

A conference for advocates of spirituality and social change. Inspiration for progressive seekers. Sustenance of practical dreamers. Register for the full program, short program or evening highlights. Visit the conference website: 2019.commondreams.org.au

Australian Student Christian Movement

The Australian Student Christian Movement will hold its annual conference on **Saturday, 13 July** 2019 at Holy Cross Anglican Church, Hackett, ACT, on the theme '*Conversations about Christianity, Australia and the World*'. All are welcome to attend at no cost. Program and registration details are at ascm.org.au.

Mingles Christmas In July Dinner & Trivia

Mingles fund raising evening will be held on **Monday, 15 July** commencing 6.30pm at Canberra City Uniting Church. Cost \$25 (Students \$15). Proceeds to Cancer Council ACT, Smith Family and Frontier Services. Tickets available from Margaret Martin, Barbara Lowe and Robin Chapple.

A Midwinter Day's Tale Of Christmas In July

Tuggeranong Uniting Church invites Canberra City Uniting Church to join them on **Saturday, 13 July** at the Tuggeranong Uniting Church, Comrie Street, Wanniasa at 6.00pm. Cost is \$30/\$25 per person/concession. RSVP by 6 July to Kerry at tucadmin@tuc.org.au or 6231 0488.

6 Years On Manus And Nauru, 6 Years Too Long!

Rally, **Saturday, 20 July**, 1.00pm, cnr Northbourne Ave & London Cct, Civic. Join thousands around Australia to rally against this continuing horrific injustice.

City Church Coffee Club

The next Coffee Club outing will be on **Friday, 19 July** to the National Arboretum at 10.30am. Come and join us and enjoy good company and a great view. Please let Barbara Lowe know if you plan to attend and if you need transport. Phone 6241 4779 or email barbara.lowe@gbl.id.au.

Biblical Cultural Immersion - 24 August 2019

Want to understand your bible better? Then travel back in time to first century Palestine in a hands-on experience of some tastes, sights and sounds of a Christian Jewish household. Join in the traditions of hospitality, customs of the time, and household rituals and tasks. Explore the hidden world of the biblical woman – she had significant authority and power, especially over domestic ritual and the education of children. Get familiar with the language of the Old Testament, and learn the Lord's Prayer in Aramaic. Explore the ancient art of storytelling, participate in ancient middle eastern music, and discover how food and biblical history are intertwined, and how meals were intricately linked with the practice of religion, particularly at the Feast of Passover – a time of celebrating freedom. This is a family event – children are welcome and will learn ancient games and simple cooking. Elizabeth and John, former teachers at United Theological College, are expert Biblical scholars and infectious, passionate, experienced communicators. *Venue: Tuggeranong Uniting Church, 1 Comrie St, Tuggeranong. Cost (including all food): \$30/\$25 concession/\$10 children 6-12 yrs. Booking: phone 6231 0488 or 0400-245-006, currently correct email tuc.uniting@gmail.com*