



# Mountview Uniting Church, Mitcham

A congregation of the Whitehorse Uniting Cluster

Nurturing our people in the Christian faith and reaching out  
to the local community in the power of the Holy Spirit

**Sunday 9 May, 2021**

**9.30am**

**Easter 6<sub>B</sub>**

**Easter:** The great fifty days of Easter includes eight Sundays. It begins with the Easter Vigil and concludes on the Day of Pentecost. The season celebrates the Resurrection and Ascension of Christ and the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

## Notices

### Some changes at Centre 81 from Tuesday May 11, 2021

Masks are now not required to be worn at Centre 81; however hand sanitizing and QR Code registration must be done by all Receptionists, and anyone else who attends. Because we now have the safety of the QR Coding, morning tea may now be served, in a COVID friendly manner. Details of how to serve morning tea may be found on the desk at Centre 81.

Thank you, Jill Kidd

### Mission and outreach

You will be aware that the 'Mountview House' project, next door to our church, is nearing completion. This new building will provide short-term accommodation for people in need and will be managed by Uniting. Uniting has chosen the indigenous name 'Marrageil Baggarrook' for the facility, which means 'divine women'.

Prior to its opening, two Open Days will be held and members of all congregations are warmly invited to see the facility. The Open Days will be on Friday 14 May and Tuesday 18 May from 9.30 to 11.00 am. On both of these occasions Centre 81 will be open between 10.00 am and 12.00 for people to drop in for a 'cuppa'. All are welcome to call in.

Lynne Rosenthal, Secretary, Whitehorse Regional Council.

### Pastoral Partners Meeting NEXT Sunday 16 May

We will meet following the Worship Service. Looking forward to seeing you.

Heather Barnes, Pastoral Partners Co-ordinator

### Advanced Notice

On Sunday 23rd May, Pentecost Sunday, there will be a combined service for the Whitehorse Cluster at Mountview Uniting Church. Start time for the service will be confirmed before then.

Lynne Rosenthal.

### Sunday Evening Forum at Forest Hill Sunday 30th May at 4.30 - 6.30pm

This is an opportunity for members of the Whitehorse Cluster to meet together informally and listen to a speaker on an important subject. The Rev Dr Sunny Chen, Presbytery Minister, Congregations, will present on 'The role of Presbytery and Strategies for the Future of Congregations' followed by Q&A. A light meal will be served (Covid Safe). Please indicate your intention to attend (for catering) to message on 98773562 or email :

[fhuc.contact@gmail.com](mailto:fhuc.contact@gmail.com). Details are on the flyer attached and on our Notice Board.

## Les Withers

Les Withers, former Mountview member and Parish Council chairperson, passed away peacefully on May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at Park Lane Aged Care Residence, aged ninety-one years. His funeral will be at Ringwood Uniting. His wife Judi, also a long-time former Mountview member, Pastoral Partner, and choir leader, is in Palliative care at Wantirna. Please remember them both and their families in prayer.

## Worship Roster

### This Sunday 9 May Rev Peter Cannon (Leader)

Heather Barnes (Vestry/Fellowship) Margot Kemke (Fellowship) Peter Cox (Lead Steward)

### Next Sunday 16 May Rev Tina Ng (Leader)

Denyse Ward (Vestry/Fellowship) Jenny Balshaw (Fellowship) John Cosstick (Lead Steward)

## Lectionary Readings

### This Sunday 9 May: Jenny Balshaw

Acts 10:44-48 Psalms 98 1 John 5:1-6 John 15:9-17

### Next Sunday 16 May: Helen Jackson

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 Psalms 1 1 John 5:9-13 John 17:6-19

## Prayer Cycles

Rostered members for 'Prayers of The People' – please email your prayer (for your upcoming Sunday) to [multi-media@mountview.unitingchurch.org.au](mailto:multi-media@mountview.unitingchurch.org.au) before 6pm Thursday

### This Sunday 9 May: Michael Plumridge

World: India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka

Ecumenical: New Hope Baptist Church, Blackburn North

UCA: Bayswater, Ferntree Gully, Scoresby; Uniting Connections

### Next Sunday 16 May: Margot Kemke

World: Bangladesh;, Bhutan;, Nepal

Ecumenical: St Luke's Anglican, Vermont

UCA: Blackburn (The Avenue); Uniting East Burwood Centre

## Lawn Mowing Roster

May: Bruce McCann and John Gerrand

## Mountview Contacts

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