



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 24 April, 2022

Together@10 + Cluster Workshop at Mountview
Communion Service

10.00am

Easter 2c

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

Notices

Farewell to the Rivett family – this Sunday 24 April at Mountview Together@10

This Sunday will be our Cluster opportunity to farewell Rev Pete Rivett and his family. Although Rev Pete finishes with us in the first week of May, before moving to Lorne, we will take this together opportunity to express our appreciation to him for his committed and heartfelt ministry to our members for the past twelve months. Mountview members who wish to express their thanks to Rev Pete may contribute to a retiring offering this Sunday, by placing such within an envelope specially marked 'Mountview'.

Cluster Workshop on a Shared Future - this Sunday 24 April at Mountview

Congregation members are invited and encouraged to attend the Whitehorse cluster workshop on Sunday after Together@10. This will commence immediately following the conclusion of morning tea, so you are encouraged to take part. We will be conducting a number of information sessions.

(Rev) Phil McCredden, who is leading us through our shared future deliberations, will provide an overview of the shared future process and a brief summary of his findings from the recently completed shared future survey. You will also have the opportunity to register your interest in obtaining a full copy of the survey report.

Members will be given the opportunity to engage with the process in small congregational groups; and mix with other congregation members during a shared BYO lunch. We look forward to seeing you at the workshop!
Don't forget to bring your own lunch!

Maroondah Singers – Back in Concert! “Sail Away With Song”

Sunday 1 May at 2.30pm at Mountview Uniting Church Hall

Adults \$30, Concession \$25 and children under 15 years free.

This is a fully vaccinated event. Tickets need to be booked on line:

www.trybooking.com/BYGEK or by the link on the Maroondah Singers website.

Enquiries: President (Merrilyn) 0404 092 216.

Come and join us for a wonderful afternoon of music.

Centre 81 Pantry ... REMINDER!

We at Centre 81 are experiencing an increase in the number of people who are seeking our help with the provision of food parcels.

As the cost of living is increasing, and the price of food is escalating, the Centre 81 Committee has suggested that instead of a once a month food collection, that a basket be left in the foyer (just inside the front door) on a **weekly basis**. Centre 81 is almost thirty-three years of age, and we appreciate all the support that we have received, and are receiving over the journey, by helping us to provide hospitality and practical help to those within our Community who are in need.

If you are able, please, a small donation of food/money would help us to keep our pantry supplies well stocked.

Thankyou from the Committee at Centre 81

Centre 81 Election Day Book Stall

I guess that many of you would have read copious amounts of books during the Covid 19 Pandemic. If you would like to pass some of them on to Centre 81, for resale at our Book Stall, on Election Day, May 21, 2022, that would be much appreciated.

Three options for collection:

1. Bring them to Church, and the Committee members will collect them from there
2. Take them to Centre 81 on Tuesday or Friday mornings between 10 AM & 12 noon
3. If you would like them to be collected from your home, please call Jill

This is a fund raising effort to support the work of the Centre 81 Drop-in/Care Centre.

Thankyou from the Centre 81 Committee

BBQ on May 21 ... **still some gaps in the roster!**

A sausage sizzle is to be held on Election Day – May 21. If you can spare an hour or two to assist, please put your name on the roster located in the foyer. Please see Peter Cox for more details.

Membership of Synod 2022

The Presbytery is still seeking nominees for people to be included in the ballot for membership of the Synod meeting in July. Thus the closing date for nominations has been extended to 9:00 am on Tuesday 26 April. No further extension is possible because the ballot takes place at the Presbytery meeting on the following day. Details and a nomination form may be sent to you by email if you contact Geoffrey Willis.

Tech Learn and Share

Mark you diary: 3pm Tuesday 26th April at Mountview (in worship space)

Coming up next: Get to know your mobile phone – Including the basics of using your phone
Do you struggle with understanding your phone? Would you like to know how to text or even access texts sent to you? Would you like to be able to take a photo and send it to family? Or would you like to be able to install your Vaccination certificate on your phone (or even your spouse's)?

We are going to have a go at sharing and helping each other with our phones so if these or any other issues are what interest you, come along. If you need a ride, give Rev Peter a call and he will arrange a lift for you.

Kids Hope Corner - Story of the Week (from Corry Skillbek, Forest Hill)

A Teachers Affirmation - told by a Kids Hope mentor.

"I had a wonderful Kids Hope session today. Apparently Ben was not sure if I was coming and asked his teacher if I would be there.

We started a new book and Ben sat still and listened for a long while! We talked about Ned Kelly and made a mask which he really enjoyed. There was a teacher in our meeting room much of the time who'd had a lot to do with Ben in earlier times. After our session and having taken Ben back to his classroom, the teacher said "I am astounded by his speech and how much he spoke to you!" She said he was nonverbal when he started school!"

Emergency Appeal: Ukraine Crisis

Act for Peace (organizers of the Christmas Bowl Appeal) invites people to give generously to provide urgently needed food, medicine and temporary shelter to displaced families in the Ukraine. Donation envelopes are available from the foyer table. Alternatively you may make an online transfer to Act For Peace Ltd, BSB: 012 332, Account number: 2323 75215, Reference: A-45123-helpukraine.

Whitehorse Cluster Website

The website includes information about our Cluster, our ministry team's contact details, our Cluster News bulletins, as well as all our latest '@ Home Worship' resources.

<https://www.mountviewuca.org/whitehorse-cluster.html>

Worship Roster

This Sunday 24 April: Together at 10 + Workshop (at Mountview)

Jill Kidd (VF) Jenny Balshaw (F) Heather Barnes (F) Margaret Swain (F)
Peter Cox (Lead Steward)

Next Sunday 1 May: Rev Tina Lyndon Ng

Denyse Ward (VF) Peter Cox (F)

Lectionary Readings

This Sunday 24 April: Tim Joyce

Acts 5: 27-32 Psalm 118: 14-29 or Psalm 150 Revelation 1: 4-8 John 20: 19-31

Next Sunday 1 May: Peter Cox

Acts 9: 1-6, (7-20) Psalm 30 Revelation 5: 11-14 John 21: 1-19

Prayer Cycles

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

This Sunday 24 April: Heather Barnes

World: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia

Ecumenical: St John's Anglican Church, Blackburn

UCA: Box Hill (Hanbit Korean), Box Hill (St Andrew's), Box Hill (Wesley)

Uniting's Hotham Mission

Next Sunday 1 May: John Gerrand

World: Afghanistan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan

Ecumenical: St Alfred's Anglican, Blackburn North

UCA: Burwood, Burwood Heights; Uniting's Kildonan

Lawn Mowing

April: Michael Plumridge and Eddie Short

May: Peter Cox and Kelvin Ward

Whitehorse Cluster Ministers Contact and Availability Details

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Mountview's Website: <https://www.mountviewuca.org>

Mountview's Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/MountviewUCA/>

Mountview's YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC95I3LWuFptWld392FOIEIq>

Cluster Resources: <https://www.mountviewuca.org/cluster-worship-resources.html>

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