

UNITING CHURCH IN AUSTRALIA



BELMONT CONGREGATION

42 Thomson Street, Belmont Vic. 3216

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SUNDAY 15th March 2020

WORSHIP LEADER: Rev. Ikani Vaitohi

*We welcome all who are worshipping with us today,
especially newcomers and visitors.*

CRAZY WHIST and GAMES EVENING

**Belmont Uniting Church
Hall**

**Friday 20TH March, at
7.30pm**

Donation \$5 per person

Please bring a small plate of
food for supper
Come along & enjoy this night
of fun & fellowship
Proceeds to assist with our
special morning teas
PRIZES GALORE

ADVANCE NOTICE FOR EVENING FELLOWSHIP

March 25 7.30pm Service led by
Lorraine Leitch

April 9 Evening Maundy
Service - time TBA

April 22 7.30pm - Open Meeting
- Ian Henricus - Cycling in France

May 27 7.30pm - Open Meeting
- Glen Coomber - Calligraphy

TOMORROW

CHURCH "SPRING" CLEAN

A late spring clean is planned to
clean the Church and hall on
**Monday March 16 starting at
9.00am.**

It is planned to complete the job
on the same day.

Your help would be appreciated
to achieve this.

If you are able to help, even for
an hour or so, we would be
grateful.

**If you have a cleaning kit,
bucket, rags, window cleaner,
etc. please bring it (not
essential).**

For additional info contact a
property committee rep.
Les McCann, Cliff Rankin, Vern
Matthewson, Max Richards,
Richard Buckwell, Ray Bunting

The Ministry Team is based at the Belmont Church Office

on most Tuesdays to Fridays from 9.30a.m. – 12.30p.m.

Rev. Ikani Vaitohi will be in attendance on most of those days..

He welcomes any congregational members
who would like to drop in for a cuppa or chat.

Please Note: *In case of emergency, the Ministry team remains
available at any time. See back page for contact numbers.*

WELCOME MAT: Operates every week on Fridays from 10 a.m. – 1.00 pm. Join us for a cuppa, chat, games and lunch at 12. You are most welcome. Bring a friend and enjoy the fellowship and fun. Any queries, contact Carl Schaller, Muriel Bullock or Fay Harper.

THE BIBLE SHARING GROUP: Meets every **Tuesday at 10.00 a.m.** in the main hall. New members are most welcome to attend. Come along and enjoy a “cuppa” at 9.45 a.m. For further information, contact Peter Woods.

CRAFT FELLOWSHIP: Meets on **Tuesday 17th March** at 10 a.m. in the Meeting room. Bring your own craft if you wish or just enjoy Morning Tea and the friendly company. All welcome.

PASTORAL CARE: Committee meeting **Tuesday 17th March** at 7.30pm.

WORSHIP ROSTER

Planning has begun for the period April to July inclusive. Neville thanks those people who have already given him the dates they will be unavailable to serve. Thanks also to the seven people who have agreed to be on our roster for the first time. They will be a big help. Please be aware that all information pertaining to the roster needs to be with Nevill **TODAY**, 15th March.

It is anticipated that the new rosters will be in the pigeon-holes by Sunday March 22nd and they will come into operation on 5th April. For any further explanation, please contact Neville.



PRAYER POINTS

Dear Lord, fill us with Your living water so that we may joyfully share Your transformation of our lives with others.

Dear Heavenly Father, we are aware of the problems associated with coronavirus. We especially pray for people who have contracted the virus and the health workers and authorities who are working to reduce the spread of the virus.

Dear God, help us to be obedient to Your Word and by faith, free us from the unfair and often impossible demands we place on ourselves.

Belmont Congregation Sunday 22nd March, 2020

Rev Ikani Vaitohi

Duty	8.30 a.m.	10.00a.m.
Stewards	C Schaller (M)	J Jeffers (M) G Coomber (I)
Readers	N Phillips, E Richards	N & P Woods
Porch Stewards	E Richards M Richards (P)	B Dickie (P) L Jackson R Jeffers D Woods
Host/ess	\	L Moss, B Pullin
P.A.	M Richards	W Harper
Flowers	Jill Jeffers	
Morning Tea	R Angus	T & L Yates P & W Jones E & B Wood
Transport	(1) B Couper (2) P & B Jones (3) B Johns	

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SERVICES IN AGED CARE HOMES

Kalkee – Nangatta: Thursday 19th March at 1.45 p.m.

Rev. Tupe Ioelu

Kalkee Murray Hostel: Thursday 19th March at 3.15 p.m.

Rev. Tupe Ioelu

LECTIONARY for 22nd March, 2020

1 Sm 16: 1 – 13, Ps 23

Eph 5: 8 – 14, Jn 9: 1 - 41

CONTRIBUTIONS for the NEWS SHEET

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