



Welcome to Burwood Uniting Church

Grounded in Faith/Engaged in the World, BUC is called
To know God personally and God's mission for the world
To be an adventurous Christ-Centred Community
To relate through God's reconciling love, to all people
To respond faithfully to the urging of the Spirit

Sunday 8th May 2022

**A special welcome to first time worshippers.
May you be blessed through your time with us.**

This service is being livestreamed so please join us in **LIVE** [worship at 10.00am AEDT](#) at this link
[BUC service live 8 May](#)

If you miss the start or wish to view it later, just open [YouTube](#) on your TV or IT device and search for "Burwood Uniting Church Melbourne".

Worship led by Rev Paul Ryu and Fran Willmott.

SONG OF WELCOME **TIS 107** *Sing praise and thanks giving.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

NOTICES & SHARING

WE SING **TIS 659** *The Lord is my shepherd.*

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE

SONG OF OFFERING **TIS 647** *Comfort, comfort all my people.*

SCRIPTURE READINGS Acts 9:36-43
John 10:22-30

MESSAGE

MUSICAL REFLECTION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

FAMILY TIME

SENDING OUT AND BLESSING

SONG OF BLESSING **TIS 779** *May the feet of God walk with you.*

PEW SHEET : Please forward all notices to **RICHARD** richard.hedding@gmail.com by Wednesday 5.00pm. Please state for which date/s you need your notice to be listed. Neither the church email, nor the Office will be accessed for this process, so do not leave any messages in the Office.

PRAYER NETWORK: For the month of May please forward prayers to be circulated to Jenny at grajenstone@bigpond.com or 0434 007 463 by midday on Mondays. Additional prayers will be circulated as needed.

BUC Prayer Focus:

- Give thanks for the love shared by mothers and all who care for others.
- Give thanks that God's arms are wide enough to welcome us all.
- Pray for God's refreshing thoughts and ideas to be shared at our Mission Study



SUNDAY 15th MAY. 10.00am. Worship Leaders: Rev Gareth Darlow and Glenys Borland.

Mission Study: Rev Gareth Darlow, Ruth Crawley

Lectionary Readings: Acts 11:1-18 Ps 148 Rev 21:1-6 Jn 13:31-35.

WELCOME to REV PAUL RYU: Paul will be ministering with us during May. He will be available 1 day each week for pastoral contact and will lead worship on 1st, 8th, 22nd and 29th May. Contact Paul on: paul.j.ryu@gmail.com mobile 0421 528 233 text preferred for initial contact.

INVITATION TO PRAY together for the Holy Spirit to refresh and renew our Ministry at Burwood; Tuesdays in Barry's Place. Contact: Fran for time. 0405 396 009

WORSHIP AND ACTIVITIES AT BUC: As we enjoy the freedom of gathering again please remember that COVID-19 is still very alive.

- Observe personal space and respect others safety.
- Hand sanitizer is still recommended.
- Masks are a great way of remaining safe and not spreading germs.
- If you are involved in serving food a mask is required.

Enjoy seeing the smiles again but above all stay safe and thinking of others.

ACT FOR PEACE UKRAINE CRISIS APPEAL: Act for Peace are running an emergency appeal for humanitarian support in Ukraine. Please consider supporting this vital work. Donations can be made via the donation envelopes at church or online at <https://actforpeace.org.au/>

LADIES' FELLOWSHIP MEETING MONDAY 9TH MAY: The meeting will be held in Barry's Place at 1.30 p.m. We will be looking at those old gadgets from the past (and new ones if you have some). Bring them along. Your memories of these things will be welcome too. Queries to Floss 99138380

SUNDAY 15th MAY BUC MISSION STUDY: Rev Gareth Darlow from Glen Iris UC and Ruth Crawley from Camberwell UC will join us in exploring future ministry from BUC. Your input is important. Please be praying for minds to be open to the Lord's guidance and enlightenment as we seek His will.

BREAD COLLECTION: Burwood Neighbourhood House is looking for assistance with the midweek bread collection. This can be done Tuesday evening between 5.30 and 6.30 or 9.00 Wed morning. If you can assist a team doing this please contact Pam or Fran.

TAIZE SERVICE: For those missing our Taize service there is a service at St Luke's, Essex Rd., 2nd Wednesday each month @ 7.30pm.

BUC CALENDAR MAY-JULY 2022: Entries are invited for the next issue of our Quarterly Calendar. Please email any dates and events, or anything of interest to our community to Christine: zenart@netspace.net.au

SOCIAL JUSTICE DATES MAY 2022. (Synod).

- 14th World Fair Trade Day.
- 15th International Day of Families.
- 16th International Day of Living Together in Peace.
- 16th – 22nd National Volunteer week.
- 21st World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue
And Development.
- 22nd International Day of Biodiversity.
- 26th National Sorry Day.
2017 Statement from the Heart made at Uluru.
- 27th 1967 Referendum allowing laws for Aboriginal
People and to be included in the census.
- 27th – 3rd. (Jun) National Reconciliation Week.
- 29th Reconciliation Sunday, Uniting Church.

CONTACTS

Congregation Contact: Fran Wilmott: 0405 396 009

Pastoral Care Congregation: Fran W
Glen S

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Bookings Officer: Pam D

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REGULAR SERVICES

Sunday Worship: 10.00 am: Face to face in the Worship Centre

Communion: 10.00am 4th Sunday