



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 28th January 2024, 10.00am

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

A special welcome to first time worshippers.

May you be blessed through your time with us.

This service is being live streamed so please join us in **LIVE** worship at 10.00am at this link:

[BUC service live 28 Jan.](#) 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. Dr Bob Mitchell and Jane Jamison.

SONG OF WELCOME **TIS 474** *Here in this place.*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER

NOTICES & SHARING

FAMILY TIME / SERMON PREVIEW

WE SING **TIS 210** *O for a thousand tongues.*

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE

OFFERING HYMN **TIS 161** *Tell out my soul.*

SCRIPTURE READINGS OT: Deuteronomy 18: 15-20
Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

MESSAGE "A sermon without a sermon."

MUSIC REFLECTION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRE-COMMUNION SONG **TIS 526** Lord Jesus Christ.

COMMUNION

SENDING OUT & BLESSING

FINAL SONG

TIS 686

Lord Jesus, we belong to you (verses 1-6).

JANUARY BUC PRAYER FOCUS:

- As members of BUC we humbly ask for guidance for BUC as we go forward into 2024
 - Teach us to listen to that guidance.
 - Give us the courage to act on it.

SUNDAY 3rd February:

10.00 am Worship Leaders: Rev Paul Ryu and Fran Willmott.

Lectionary Readings: Is 40:21-31; Ps 147:1-11, 20c; 1 Cor 9:16-23; Mk 1:29-39

Contact Paul on: paul.j.ryu@gmail.com mobile 0421 528 233 text preferred.

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 January please forward prayers to be circulated to Max at mandf.procter@gmail.com or 0435 602 453 by midday on Mondays. Additional prayers will be circulated as needed.

BUC UPCOMING EVENTS and SERVICES: are listed in the latest Calendar under Communications on the website.

WORSHIP AND ACTIVITIES AT BUC: As we gather please remember that COVID-19 is still very alive, along with other infectious diseases like colds and flu.

- Observe personal space and respect others safety.
- Hand sanitizer is available, please use it.
- Masks, are available, and are a great way of staying safe and not spreading germs.
- If you are involved in serving food a mask is required.
- If unwell please rest up at home and join us in online worship.

NON-PERISHABLE FOODS AND CLEANING GOODS: Please continue donations for Camcare, Burwood East Uniting and Burwood Neighbourhood House. Place your donations in the box in church on Sunday mornings as you enter. You can still contribute in the foyer at any time during the week.

BARRY'S PLACE DROP- IN is open Thursdays 10.00 – 11.30am. This ministry presents an opportunity for BUC folk and passersby to call in to Barry's Place for a chat and a tea/coffee. We do give thanks to the Fallon family who assisted in the upgrade of this room in memory of Barry's love of people.

ELDERS AND BUC VISITORS MEETING: Friday 2nd February @ 10am in Barry's Place. Please forward any agenda topics to Fran by Monday 29 Jan.

EASY WALKERS: On Saturday 3rd February our walk will be around Karkarook Park ,Warrigal Road , near South Road Heatherton, with a loop walk of about 3 km. Morning tea will be BYO. We plan to go by bus or you can drive if you prefer. Talk to us about this. Please let us know if intending to walk for transport planning and in case of any necessary change of plan. Jenny & Graeme grajenstone@bigpond.com 9878 1652. Jen: 0434 007463, Gra: 0431 015 198

BUC CALENDAR FEBRUARY - APRIL 2024: The upcoming issue of our Quarterly Calendar will be published early in February. Christine requests entries about upcoming events, dates and anything of interest to our community.

Many thanks, Christine. zenart@netspace.net.au

WEDNESDAY MORNING SMALL GROUP: will resume meeting to discuss readings from With Love to the World on Wednesday mornings from 9am to 10am in Barry's Place commencing on 7th February. Contact is Maree Silver. silver.maree@gmail.com.

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REGULAR SERVICE

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