

# Adare Uniting Church — Update 45, 9th November 2023



Victor Harbor Cross of Sacrifice War Memorial

Photo courtesy Sandy Mardell

## PREACHING PLAN:

Sun Nov 12th – Rev'd J McWhinney \*

Sun Nov 19th – Mr P Smithson \*\*

Sun Nov 26th – Mr J Hayward \*

Sun Dec 3rd – Rev'd J McWhinney **HC**

*\* Indicates morning tea after the service.*

*\*\* The AGM will follow the service.*

## PEOPLE:

During November Peter Smithson will be preaching at Yilki UCA and Jim Hayward will be preaching at Ashbourne UCA and Pt Elliot/Newland UCA.

Both will also preach at Adare while Janice is away.

## LECTIONARY READINGS:

### Sunday 12th November

Joshua 24:1–3a, 14–25

Psalms 78:1–7

1 Thessalonians 4:13–18

Matthew 25:1–13

## JANICE'S DAY OFF

next week is Wednesday 15th November.

She will be on annual leave 19th–27th November.

## PRAYER:

Join us for a short service of prayer on Tuesday 14th November at 9 am in the Church.



## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

Christine & Grant Dixon  
10/11/1979

Helen & John Williams  
13/11/1993

Bob & Sheila Arnold  
14/11/1959

## ADARE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION:

This meeting will be held after our church service on 19th November 2023.

I have the forms for anyone considering nominating for Church Council.

General Business items can also be sent to me to be added to the agenda.

Many thanks,

*Jaelene Slade* – Secretary of Adare UC Congregation

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## ZONTA GARDEN SPECTACULAR:

THANKYOU to the Adareables and to Jim Hayward for contributing the the great success of the Zonta Garden Spectacular.

It was a beautiful day and a beautiful venue.

Proceeds from the day and sale of raffle tickets amounted to over \$8,900 which will be used for Zonta's Local Homeless Project.

Many thanks,

*Faye Anderson*

### BIRTHDAYS:

Doris Lush	10/11
John Magor	13/11
Ronda Arthur	14/11
Barry Fletcher	14/11
Lindsay Pryde	16/11
David Keep	20/11
Anthea Butler	20/11

\* A Big 'O' Birthday—100 years!!.

### BIRTHDAY SURPRISES:

When your birthday is listed, please check your pigeon-hole and receive your birthday surprise!

## THE SIDE EFFECTS OF



## BEING A VEGAN

SOUTH COAST CHORAL and ARTS SOCIETY

## CHRISTMAS JOY



Sunday 3rd December  
2023

2:00pm

\$15

Victor Harbor Town Hall, 12 Coral St

Tickets: \$15 from choristers,  
Swan's Pharmacy or at the door  
**Guest Artists**

APPARENTLY, "MAYBE NEXT TIME"  
IS NOT THE RIGHT WAY TO RSVP TO  
A WEDDING INVITATION





I hate it when TV shows say they contain 'adult themes' but then don't show anyone going to work, paying their bills or cleaning up after their kids.

## COVID-19 UPDATE:

As there is another COVID strain in our community, it is important to care for ourselves and others.

Please stay home if you have any 'flu-like symptoms. Use the hand sanitiser provided in the foyer and remember to keep to social distancing as much as possible. Please no hugging, just big smiles.

*Anne Craig* (for Church Council)

## Ordering a pizza in 2023

CALLER: Is this Pizza Hut?

GOOGLE: No sir, it's Google Pizza.

CALLER: I must have dialed a wrong number, sorry.

GOOGLE: No sir, Google bought Pizza Hut last month.

CALLER: OK. I would like to order a pizza.

GOOGLE: Do you want your usual, sir?

CALLER: My usual? You know me?

GOOGLE: According to our caller ID data sheet, the last 12 times you called you ordered an extra-large pizza with three cheeses, sausage, pepperoni, mushrooms and meatballs on a thick crust.

CALLER: Super! That's what I'll have.

GOOGLE: May I suggest that this time you order a pizza with ricotta, arugula, sun-dried tomatoes and olives on a whole wheat gluten-free thin crust?

CALLER: What? I don't want a vegetarian pizza!

GOOGLE: Your cholesterol is not good, sir.

CALLER: How the hell do you know that?

GOOGLE: Well, we cross-referenced your home phone number with your medical records. We have the result of your blood tests for the last 7 years.

CALLER: Okay, but I do not want your rotten vegetarian pizza! I already take medication for my cholesterol.

GOOGLE: Excuse me sir, but you have not taken your medication regularly. According to our database, you purchased only a box of 30 cholesterol tablets once at Lloyds Pharmacy, 4 months ago.

CALLER: I bought more from another Pharmacy.

GOOGLE: That doesn't show on your credit card statement.

CALLER: I paid in cash.

GOOGLE: But you did not withdraw enough cash according to your bank statement.

CALLER: I have other sources of cash.

GOOGLE: That doesn't show on your latest tax returns, unless you bought them using an undeclared income source, which is against the law!

CALLER: WHAT THE HELL?

GOOGLE: I'm sorry sir, we use such information only with the sole intention of helping you.

CALLER: Enough already! I'm sick to death of Google, Facebook, Twitter, WhatsApp and all the others. I'm going to an island without the internet, TV, where there is no phone service and no one to watch me or spy on me.

GOOGLE: I understand sir, but you need to renew your passport first. It expired 6 weeks ago...

Join the Choir of  
**ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL**

For an inspiring night of candles, carols and readings  
celebrating the Story of Christmas.

**Your Invitation to a  
Very Special and  
Exciting Community  
Event.**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023  
Newland Church  
Victoria Street, Victor Harbor.**



The combined churches of Victor Harbor and the South Coast cordially invite you and your guest to attend a special presentation of Christmas Music by the Choir of St Peter's Anglican Cathedral (Adelaide), in the historic Newland Church in Victor Harbor on Thursday evening, the 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023 at 7:00pm.

The beautiful and iconic Victor Harbor Newland Church will be transformed by candles, music and voices for this special community event in which the Choir, under the direction of Cathedral Musical Director and with the Cathedral Organist, will perform in the much-loved King's College (England) style, the music of Christmas.

Sure to be a highlight of the festive season, this special event will include audience participation as well as the involvement of various leaders & members of the local churches and community groups.

This is a free non-ticketed community event and there will be an opportunity for donations in support of the work of Pastoral Support Workers (school chaplains) to provide vital services to our children in local schools.

We look forward to having you join us for this special community occasion.

**Chair: Newland-Pt.Elliot UC**

**RSVP:** Geoff Penhall at [geoff.penhall@gmail.com](mailto:geoff.penhall@gmail.com) / phone 0428 652 221 by **11 Dec. 2023**

Rev Anne Butler and members of the Newland-Port Elliot Uniting Church are proud to host this event.