

Adare Uniting Church — Update 20, 16th May 2024



West Island

Photo courtesy Ken and Lesley Mableson

PREACHING PLAN

Sun May 19th – Rev'd J McWhinney *

Sun May 26th – Rev'd J McWhinney *

Sun June 2nd – Rev'd J McWhinney H.C.

Sun June 9th – Rev'd B Carbins *

Sun May 12th – Rev'd J McWhinney *

* Indicates morning tea after the service.

Rev'd Janice's day off

next week will be Wednesday 22nd May.

LECTIONARY READINGS

Sunday 19th May

Acts 2:1–21 or Ezekiel 37:1–14

Psalms 104:24–34, 35b

Romans 8:22–27 or Acts 2:1–21

John 15:26–27, 16:4b–15

If you don't fill your mind with the Word of God, the enemy will fill it with fear, anxiety, stress, worry and temptation.

PEOPLE

A thanksgiving service for the life of Mrs Coral Maynard will be held on Friday 17th May at 11:00 am at Adare.

Lorraine C. would appreciate your prayers as she will have open-heart surgery on 20th May.

Sheila and Bob A. would also appreciate your prayers.

Helen Pratt, along with daughters Di and Jenny send a big THANK YOU to the Adare UC congregation for the love and support that was generously given by way of prayer, phone calls, cards, visits and practical acts of kindness through all the stages of Neil's decline in health and then subsequent passing. The Pratt family have certainly felt embraced and supported by the Adare church family.

CONGREGATION MEETING

The Adare Congregation Half-Yearly Meeting will be held after our church service on Sunday 26th May. If you have any business to add please contact Jaelene on 0401228321 or Graeme Schwartz on 0448032252.

BIRTHDAYS

Kaitlyn Warren	18/05
Judy Brinkworth	21/05
Peter Cranwell	23/05
Shaton Videon	24/05
Fay Buckley	30/05

BIRTHDAY SURPRISES:

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

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Graeme & Judy Schwartz	19/05/1973
Pam & Robert Harkness	20/05/1960
Mike & Rosalie Somerset	21/05/1981

ROSTER JULY TO OCTOBER 2024

Thanks to all who have returned their forms indicating their availability for the next roster.

If you haven't yet done so, please return your completed form as soon as you can, by email news4adare@gmail.com, or print out and leave at the church office.

Many thanks, Janet E.
(Administration Assistant)

CAN YOU HELP?

Di Foxy, with son Harley (and their dog) have to vacate their rental home by July 21st as it is being sold. They would like to find a 3-bedroom home with a yard big enough for their dog, in the Fleurieu area, and can pay up to \$420 per week.

Di writes: 'My body can't move house any more, as this is my 28th move in my life. If anyone can help me and my little family, please do so...God knows our needs, I have been praying hard.'

Her complete letter to church members is on the noticeboard in the hallway outside the office.



UNITING IN PRAYER 2024

19 May - 22 June



Through Uniting in Prayer, different parts of the Uniting Church will be connected to each other through a national prayer chain.

The prayer chain has been sent by email and is now available in full on the Act2 website. If your community didn't receive it or you're not on the list, please email the Act2 team.

Prayer Chain Now Available: act2ucca.com/unitinginprayer2024

Your invitation to the National Prayer Chain

Connecting the whole Uniting Church through Uniting in Prayer

Dear Adare Uniting Church (Victor Harbor),

On 19 May, Pentecost Sunday, we begin Uniting in Prayer 2024: 35 days of prayer across the national Uniting Church. If you haven't yet registered, you can find information, resources and sign up on our website.

Having had lots of positive feedback from last year, we are excited to release the 2024 Uniting in Prayer Prayerchain. Through Uniting in Prayer, your home community is being invited to pray for two other Uniting Church communities.

The two communities we invite you to pray for are Airport West and Yarrhapinni.

Through Uniting in Prayer, you might like to:

- contact these two communities to ask for prayer points;
- name these communities in your Prayers of the People;
- pray for these communities in your meetings or gatherings, e.g. church council or leaders meetings, or a prayer group if you have one;
- find a way to pray together with people in these communities, e.g. on Zoom or phone.