

Adare Uniting Church — Update 40, 10th October 2024



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PREACHING PLAN

Sun Oct 13th – Bishop Michael Musale *

Sun Oct 20th – Rev'd J McWhinney *

Sun Oct 27th – Rev'd Casey Lau *

Sun Nov 3rd – Rev'd B Hancock

Sun Nov 10th – Mr P Smithson *

* Indicates morning tea after the service.

Rev'd Janice's day off

next week will be Wednesday 16th October.

LECTIONARY READINGS

Sunday 13th October

Job 23:1–9, 16–17

Psalm 22:1–15

Heb 4:12–16

Mark 10:17–31

BIRTHDAYS

Linda Thorvaldson	10/10
Margaret Irrgang	11/10
Graeme Schwartz	12/10
Bernice Humphrys	13/10
Julie Kuchenmeister	14/10
Bryan Ezard	17/10
Christine Abbott	21/10
Joseph Warren	21/10
Grant Dixon	23/10
Belinda Mardon	23/10

BIRTHDAY SURPRISES:

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

DO NOT BE ANXIOUS ABOUT
ANYTHING, BUT IN EVERY
SITUATION, BY PRAYER AND
PETITION, WITH THANKSGIVING,
PRESENT YOUR REQUESTS TO
GOD. AND THE PEACE OF GOD,
WHICH TRANSCENDS ALL
UNDERSTANDING, WILL GUARD
YOUR HEARTS AND YOUR MINDS
IN CHRIST JESUS.

Philippians 4:6–7

SAMARITANS' PURSE: OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Sunday 13th October is the last day to return your box(es) for this important ministry.

CONGREGATION MEETING

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING for ADARE UNITING CHURCH will be held after our Church service on **Sunday 1st December 2024**.

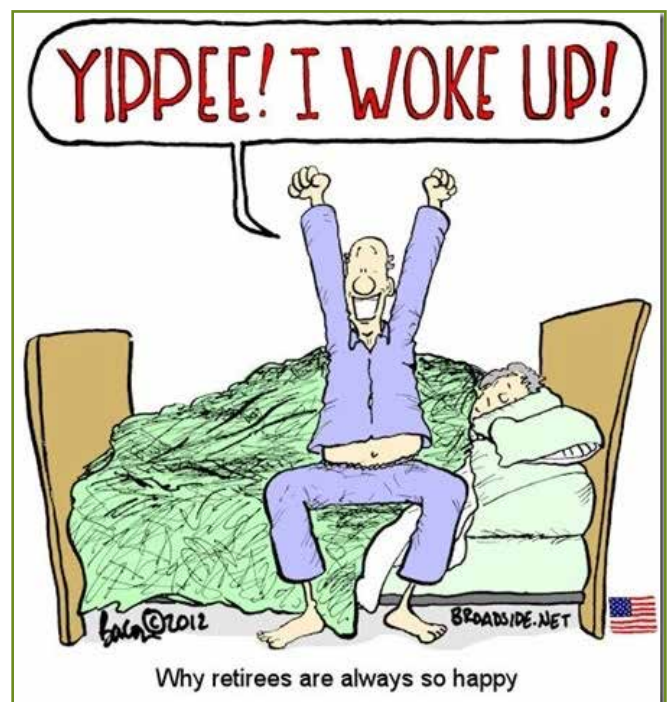
There is a need for **new Church Council members**. Please consider this prayerfully as it is a very important part of Adare Church. For more information on this role please contact any current Church Councillor or the Church Office. I have nomination forms for this role. I will also leave some in the Church Office. I will need these forms back by **November 12th**.

Reports will be needed from all our **Church committees & organisations**. Please either email or give to me **by November 12th** as they will need to be given to Janet Ezard to add to the Update before our AGM meeting.

I will be away from 14th to 23rd October but please contact me for any further information.

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Bishop Michael Musale

Bishop Michael Musale serves as the General Overseer of Christ Victory Gospel Ministries, and President of Victory Christian School, both located in Turbo, Kenya. Michael was born and raised in Nairobi in the era when Britain was gradually relinquishing responsibility for Kenya.

He was one of the first African children to study at the prestigious Prince of Wales School in Nairobi (incidentally, which Bryan Ezard also attended for high school). From there he gained a tertiary qualification and taught high school science for several years before going into full-time Christian ministry. His wife Emily also spent many years teaching. They have three adult children.

In Africa, the term 'Bishop' often means an overseeing minister, and Michael Musale supervises five congregations and mentors pastors and other leaders in Kenya and beyond. In 2013 he opened a school that provides free education to poor children in his area of western Kenya, who would otherwise be denied a good quality learning experience. The school commenced as a result of sponsorship gained in Adelaide and Perth, following a well-received speaking tour. Bishop Musale encourages groups and churches to consider the nation-building vocation enunciated by Governor Arthur Phillip, in 1788, at the commencement of modern Australia.