

Adare Uniting Church — Update 33, August 15, 2025



Wright and Granite Islands from the Bluff

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PREACHING PLAN

Sun Aug 10 – Rev'd J McWhinney *
Sun Aug 17 – Rev'd J McWhinney **
Sun Aug 24 – Rev'd J McWhinney *
Sun Aug 31 – Mr J Hayward *
Sun Sep 7 – Rev'd J McWhinney H.C.

* Morning tea after the service

** Soup and rolls after the service

PEOPLE



A Memorial Service for Rev'd John Magor will be held at Adare on Tuesday 19 August at 11 am.

Please pray for John's beloved children, Suzanne, Tess, Simon and Tim, and all of his beloved family.

LECTIONARY READINGS

Sunday 17 August

Isaiah 5:1–7

Psalm 80:1–2, 8–19

Hebrews 11:29 – 12.2

Luke 12:49–56



Pastoral Conversations

Rev Janice is available on Mondays and Wednesdays for pastoral conversations. If you are interested, please contact

her on 0416 106 518 or jmcwhinney@bigpond.com

Rev'd Janice's days off

this week will be Friday 15th and next week Friday 22nd August.

✦ Bible Love Notes ✦

✦ GRACE
is when God
gives us
things that
we don't
deserve.

✦ MERCY
is when He
spares us
from bad
things we
deserve.

~ Author Unknown

Church Money Management

Our church strives to establish an annual budget and adhere to it. This is a challenging task, as weekly church collections are influenced by factors such as regular attendance, weather conditions, holidays, household expenses, and personal organisation. Therefore, we seek your support.

When possible, our church's financial planning becomes more predictable and the budgets more manageable when individuals set up e-giving to Adare UC. We are not asking for additional contributions, but if you have not yet done so, we invite you to consider e-giving. Pat Keep can assist you with setting it up online. This makes your contributions regular and simplifies budget planning and church management. Additionally, you will no longer need to remember to bring your church collection each week. Give it a try. To those who are already e-giving, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

Adare First Aid Officer

Given the age profile of our congregation at Adare, we recognise the occasional need to support vulnerable individuals who may experience health issues during church gatherings. The Church Council has proposed appointing a First Aid Officer to act as a first responder in any crisis. We aim to train one or two individuals to take on this responsibility.

The ideal candidate will need to hold a first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) certificate, undergo a Working with Children (WWC) check, and comply with South Australia's Safe Church Standards and UCA policies. The Church Council will cover any necessary training costs. If you are interested in being trained, please inform the secretary of the Church Council, Pat Keep.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Barry & Barb Fowler

16/08/1958

John & Pauline Read

29/08/1964

BIRTHDAYS

Dale Speck	15/08
Brenda Rosewarne	16/08
Alan Field	19/08
Barry Irrgang	20/08
Barrie Carbins	21/08
Dorothy Price	27/08

BIRTHDAY SURPRISES:

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

Defibrillator Training

Yilki Uniting Church is looking to train 6 members in how and when to use a defibrillator, and has suggested that we could share costs with Newland (6) and Port Elliot (6), making a cohort of 18 people. Adare Church Council supports the proposal, and if you are interested in learning, please advise Pat Keep.

VICTOR HARBOR MEN'S SHED

will hold a garage sale Saturday 13 September.

Save this date

Sunday October 12th, 2.00 pm at

Adare Uniting Church

Lobethal Harmony Choir

Proceeds to support school chaplaincy.

(More information closer to the date.)

SOUP SUNDAY

This Sunday is the last for soup and rolls this year.

Next month we will have Footy Final Pies on the third Sunday, following the service.

SOUTH COAST CHORAL and ARTS SOCIETY

CHORAL GROUP PRESENTS:



CELEBRATING
75
YEARS
1950-2025

The 2025 Spring Concert

Sunday 31st August 2025 2:00 pm



\$15

Featuring Amazing Guest Artists

Adare Uniting Church

The Drive, McCracken 5211

Tickets available from Choir members, Swan's Pharmacy or at the door.

