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SUNDAYS

- All age Worship Service @ 9:30 AM
 - KUCA* (Sunday School) during school terms
 - CONNECT family ministry 2nd & 4th
Sundays @ 4:30PM
- *Kids of Uniting Church in Australia

MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER

Happy New Year!

Welcome to 2023 and welcome to Rev Emma Nicholls. Community Life Uniting Church looks forward to the way God will use each of us to be the hands and feet of Jesus in our world.

"God's light is a great and wondrous gift. It brings joy in the midst of despair, and hope in a world that knows darkness all too well. It is a glorious way to imagine God's presence changing things. God's light is for the whole world.

A central image for the season of Epiphany is light: the light of God's presence and action in our world. Today's readings reflect that image in a variety of ways: light in the darkness, light that illuminates in new ways, light from a star. This light may indeed come to Israel; but it is for the transformation of the whole world, and all those who see and understand, regardless of their background, pay homage and bring gifts in thanksgiving."

(From The Whole People of God)

Lectionary Readings for January 1, 2023 NEW YEARS DAY

Isaiah	63:7-9
Psalms	148
Hebrews	2:10-18
Matthew	2:13-23

Lectionary Readings for January 8, 2023

Isaiah	42:1-9
Psalms	29
Acts	10:34-43
Matthew	3:13-17

Lectionary Readings for January 15, 2023 EPIPHANY 2

Isaiah	49:1-7
Psalms	40:1-11
1 Corinthians	1:1-9
John	1:29-42

Safe Ministry with Children (Congregation)

If you require the Safe Ministry with Children training or the refresher course, please refer to the below.

Face to Face - Modules 1 & 2 for congregations

- Saturday 18th February 9am - 12 noon
- Saturday 20th May 9am - 12 noon
- Wednesday 16th August - 6.30pm (via zoom)
- Saturday 4th November 9am - 12 noon

Venue

Bremer Brisbane Presbytery Office
 13 William Street, Goodna
 Register after Jan 21, 2023
 by emailing Melloney
 (link) or calling on 0413 667 671

If you completed SMC training 2 years ago, are due for your refresher and don't require assistance, please see below:

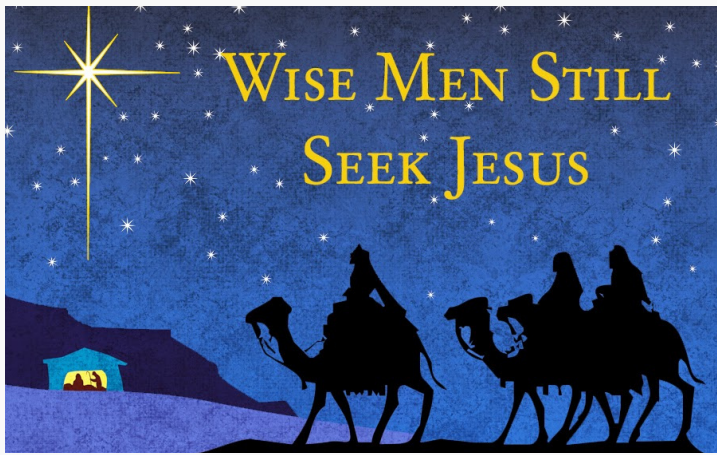
edUCate

NEW ON LINE LEARNING PLATFORM

At the bottom of the Safe Ministry With Children page (on the synod website) is a link to the new online learning platform (edUCate). You can also click here <https://educate.ucaqld.com.au/login/> (link).

The Learning Team can provide assistance to log in or access an online account on edUCate.

edUCate support @ —————→ learning@ucaqld.com.au or 07 3377 9990



Calendar Dates to note:

Sunday, January 1	New Years Service
Friday, January 6	Epiphany (aka Three King's Day)
Sunday, January 15	Rev Emma's first Sunday service
Sunday, January 22	Rev Emma's Induction service
Sunday, January 29	CONNECT for families 5:00 - 6:30pm

COMMUNITY PANTRY NEEDS:

- Savoury crackers
- Pasta Sauce (not Pasta)



Please drop items off in the church collection tub or deliver to Leanne in the church office.

And nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising.
Isaiah 60:3

EPIPHANY, Friday Jan 6th

Isaiah 60:1-6
Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14
Ephesians 3:1-12
Matthew 2:1-12



IF YOU'D LIKE TO GIVE ONLINE PLEASE USE OUR DETAILS BELOW.
NAME: FOREST LAKE UNITING CHURCH
BSB: 638 060
ACCOUNT NO: 13233238

Community Life Uniting Church Offering July - Nov 2022



CHURCH COUNCIL

Council Chairperson: Mr Greg Braithwaite ☎ 0438 182 639

Secretary: Mrs Leanne Crick

Treasurer: Mrs Debbie Giebel

Church Council congregation reps:

Darren Crick, Richard Davis, Vicki Taylor

Elders:

Greg Braithwaite, Lorraine Christian, Leanne Crick, Gail Edoni, Pam Kerr, Olive Phillips



COME ALONG AND JOIN A GROUP

TIME	GROUP	LOCATION	CONTACT
MONDAY 9:30 - 11:00AM DURING SCHOOL TERMS	CHAT 'N PLAY playgroup	On holidays	Tara R 0429 936 964
MONDAY 6:45 - 8:45PM	LADIES BIBLESTUDY	On holidays	Leanne C 0403 860 074
MONDAY 7:00 - 8:45PM	MENS BIBLESTUDY	On holidays	TBA
WEDNESDAY (9:30AM COFFEE & CHAT) 10:00 - 11:30AM	LADIES BIBLESTUDY	On holidays	Pam K 0413 316 737
THURSDAY 6:30 - 7:00PM	PRAYER GROUP	In recess	TBA
SUNDAY 9:30 - 10:45AM DURING SCHOOL TERMS	KUCA Kids of Uniting Church in Australia (Sunday School)	On holiday	Melloney B 0412 024 458

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Please email contributions by Wednesday midday, for Friday emailing day.

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WEEKLY ROSTERS

DATE	TYPE OF SERVICE	BIBLE READER	MEET & GREET	COUNT OFFERING	FLOWERS	MORNING TEA	KUCA
1ST JANUARY	COMMUNION	RICHARD D	CAROL & DENNIS	OLIVE & IVAN	TASI	DAVE J & TUYEN	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
8TH JANUARY	REGULAR	GWENDA	IVAN & URSULA	SAM & RICHARD D	SALOTE	TUINONA FAMILY	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS