Please join us every Monday at midday as we pray the Moderator's monthly prayer.

God who became flesh, we give thanks for the life lived in Christ, for the ways modelled in Jesus. For obedience. For prayerfulness. For love. And for all you accomplished through him.

Korean Worship is at 11am every Sunday.

The 8:30 am Sunday services have been split into odd and even weeks. On the odd weeks, a visiting speaker has offered to minister to us. On the even weeks we will be having a more laid-back service of hymns and choruses. Occasionally, a speaker has offered to take the service on an even Sunday. Communion will be offered on the first Sunday of the month, and possibly the 5th Sunday.

Thursdays:- *casual prayer meeting 10 am on weeks 1,3,4,5

*11:30 on 2nd Thursday of the month We believe it is important to come before God every Thursday and pray His guidance for our future, without the pressure of having to actually pray aloud, if we find that difficult. We all have our gifts, and some of us have the gift of agreeing in prayer, without feeling we can say prayers out loud ourselves. If you can't be with us physically, please pray for our situation, at home *Fellowship morning tea is 10 am on April 8th (2nd Thursday

of the month). At Harvest Café (Kon Tiki Building)

Saturdays:- Indoor Bowls at 1 p.m. Thankyou Wilf and Mavis Shroeder.



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We seek to be a prayerful and listening church Please note the location of the Hearing Loop in the church

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Korean Language	Sundays, 11am	Ŧ

Thank you for the ongoing support for the Ministry, & Ministry of our Church. A reminder that direct deposit offering is available. Our Church Banking Details: UCA Maroochydore Uniting Church - St George Bank. BSB 334 040: Account No. 553864 511

Uniting Church Links - For Information from the Wider Church Qld Synod Information - https://ucaqld.com.au/

For links an information to Synod Resources and Activities.

National Assembly News - https://assembly.uca.org.

Please send any notices for next week's 'Herald' to janstrudwickart@gmail.com by Wednesday afternoon

Bible Readings

March 28	Good Friday April 2	Easter Day April 4
ls 50: 4-9a	ls 52:13- 53:12	Acts 10:34-43 / Is 25:6-9
Ps 118: 1-2, 19-29	Ps 22	Ps 118:1-2,14-24
Phil 2: 5-11	Heb10: 16-25 or	1 Cor 15:1-1 or
	Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9	Acts10:34-43
Mk 11:1-11/Jn 12:12-16	Jn 18:1-19:42	Jn 20:1-18 or Mk 16:1-8

Worship & Coming Events March

Sunday 28 th March	Palm/Passion Sunday
8:30 am service	Hymns and Choruses
11 am service	Korean Worship service

Easter Services Not decided yet

We thank Allan for presenting last week's service, and for all those who attended the meeting following.

Thankyou Neville for playing the hymn music for us; thankyou Janette for the flower arrangement; thankyou Theo for the massive job of mowing and maintaining the grounds.

Our prayers:

for Trish and her two sons. For their treatment to be successful for Marie's pain to be alleviated, and her leg healed for Jan Rossow's daughter-in-law for Len Wood and his healing after his hip replacement for Jenny to be comforted at the loss of her friend for continued improvement for Shirley Cope, Eileen, Russ, Barb for Val Vellacot's and Nancy's improvement for Bev's shoulder and her grand daughter in Melbourne for understanding of the issues facing us as a church For Contemplation:

From "Word for Today" Sunday 8th September 2019

STOP PUTTING IT OFF "Teach us to number our days" Psalm 90:12

In a 1985 newspaper essay, Anne Wells wrote: "My brother-in-law opened my sister's bureau and lifted out a tissue-wrapped package. It was an exquisite silk handmade slip; the price tag with an astronomical figure on it was still attached. "Jan bought this the first time we went to New York.... Eight or nine years ago.... She never wore it' she was saving it for a special occasion. Well, I guess this is the occasion." He put the slip on the bed with the other clothes we were taking - to the mortician. Then he turned to me, "Don't ever save anything for a special occasion. Every day you're alive is a special occasion!" Those words changed Anne Wells' life. She continued: 'I'm not saving anything anymore. Now we use our good china... for every special occasion – losing a [kilo], getting the sink unstopped, the first camelia blossom, getting both legs in our trousers without over balancing. "Someday" and "one of these days" are fighting a losing battle to stay in my vocabulary. If it's worth seeing, hearing or doing, I want to see, hear, and do it now. I'm trying very hard not to put off, hold back or save anything that would add laughter and lustre to our lives. And every morning when I open my eyes I tell myself this is a special occasion.' Makes you think, doesn't it? Makes you want to drain the last drop of joy out of every day and break free from the cement of procrastination that whispers, 'You can do it later'. Wise up! Forgive that offence, tell that person you love them, take that trip, go back to school. Decide today to do the thing you've been putting off.