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you can take one man's trash to another man's treasure but you can't make it drink

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Fun fact: the blending of idioms or cliches is called a malaphor.

My personal favorite is "We'll burn that bridge when we get to it."

chromalogue

I'm rather fond of "It's not rocket surgery" and "not the sharpest egg in the attic," but my all-time favourite is, "...until the cows freeze over."

bowtochris

You've opened this can of worms, now lie in it.



The Maroochydore Herald



20th November 2022

Uniting in Christ
 acting with love
 living with hope
 witnessing in faith
 working for justice

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

Leadership Team

Property:	Theo Quick	Korean Members:	Gil Park
Treasurer:	Bev Lacey		Winni Yun
Secretary:	Jan Strudwick	Korean Interpreter:	Chalice An
	Margaret Holmes		
	Rev Jan Rossow		

Worship Services

English Language Sundays, 8.30am
 Korean Language Sundays, 11am

Korean Leader: Ps. Gil Park
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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

Lectionary Bible Readings

Reign of Christ - November 20

Jeremiah 23:1-6 and Luke 1:68-79
Jeremiah 23:1-6 and Psalm 46
Colossians 1:11-20
Luke 23:33-43

November 27

Isaiah 2:1-5
Psalm 122:1-9
Romans 13:11-14
Matthew 24:36-44

Sun 20th Nov

8:30 am Rev Jan Rossow
Korean service is at Harvey Bay today

Tues, Wed, Thurs

Korean Prayer meeting 6-7 am

Mon, Wed Fri

Line dancing

Fridays

Church working bee /cleaning 4:30 -6pm
Korean Youth Bible Study 6-9pm
Prayer Meeting

Sat 26th Nov

Indoor Bowls with Wilf and Mavis

Sun 27th Nov

8:30am Rev Peter Hall
11 am Korean Service – Pastor Gil Park

Please join us for morning tea, after the service.

Uniting News-Theme for this month

Let us choose to build on solid ground

Foundation on the rock - Matthew 7:24

As we face the changes, the transformations and the disruptions, let us remember to look to our firm foundations so that storms will not shake us. Let us find our feet and walk together.

Please pray for

-the humanitarian crises in Somalia, Pakistan and Ukraine.
-for members of our community
-people to take our Sunday services now, and over the Christmas holidays

When You Don't Feel Like It from" Christian Perspectives "

We all struggle with spiritual discouragement and lethargy. Some days our circumstances threaten to overwhelm us, and we struggle just to pray. Many times we just don't feel like doing the things we know we should. For one reason or another, God sometimes seems far off and unreachable.

David faced times like these in his life. The Psalms are filled with verses that express his despair and feeling of abandonment.

Yet the Psalms also give us the key to living victoriously during the dark periods of life. Let's take a quick look at Psalm 119:89-95*.

"Forever, O LORD, Your word is settled in heaven. Your faithfulness continues throughout all generations; You established the earth, and it stands. They stand this day according to Your ordinances..."

My circumstances or feelings have not changed God. He is the same God today as He was when He hung the stars in the sky, led the Israelites through the Red Sea, and fed the five thousand.

"For all things are Your servants..."

All things, even the things affecting me right now, are God's servants. The circumstance, people, and events around me are all under God. They are His servants, designed to help and bless me spiritually

"If Your law had not been my delight, Then I would have perished in my affliction. I will never forget Your precepts, For by them You have revived me. I am Yours, save me; For I have sought Your precepts. The wicked wait for me to destroy me; I shall diligently consider Your testimonies."

Recalling God's faithfulness and control over everything that touches us gives us strength to walk with God even when we feel like giving up in despair. He is perfectly capable of sustaining us if we will only let Him. We simply need to choose to *delight* in and *diligently consider* God's precepts (His principles and character) despite how we feel. Choosing to delight in God might not be easy. It might even involve hard work. But only God can revive and save our soul from spiritual lethargy.

Next time you feel spiritually drained or inadequate, remember that you have a choice. You can wrap yourself up in excuses and self-pity, or you can choose to draw your strength from an unchanging God. *By Katherine Hannon*