



# WHAT DOES PROCRASTINATION TELL US ABOUT OURSELVES?

By James Surowiecki



The Uniting Church in Australia  
QUEENSLAND SYNOD

# The Maroochydore Herald

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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

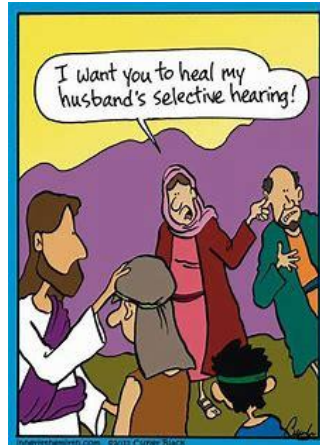
Secretary: Jan Strudwick

Korean Interpreter: Chalice An

Margaret Holmes

Rev Jan Rossow

New Excuse: I was on my way to church and was almost there when I look at my cell phone and it said "NO SERVICE"....so I turned around and went home. 🚗



I don't always have time to call people back, but when I do, I don't.

### 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](mailto:janstrudwickart@gmail.com) by Wednesday afternoon

## Lectionary Bible Readings

<b>November 6</b> Haggai 1:15b-2:9 and Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21 or Psalm 98 Job 19:23-27a and Psalm 17:1-9 - 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 Luke 20:27-38	<b>November 13</b> Isaiah 65:17-25 and Isaiah 12 Malachi 4:1-2a and Psalm 98 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 Luke 21:5-19
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**Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Nov** 8:30 am Rev Jan Rossow-Communion  
11am -Korean Service

**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

**Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Nov** Fellowship morning tea at *Em Jays*

**Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Nov** Remembrance Day....11 am

**Sat 12<sup>th</sup> Nov** Indoor Bowls with Wilf and Mavis

**Sun 13<sup>th</sup> Nov** 8:30 am Morning Service  
11am Korean Worship Service

**Please join us for morning tea, after the service.**

Please pray for  
-the humanitarian crises in Somalia, Pakistan and Ukraine.  
-healing for Doug McDougall, Laurie Kuchler, Judith Judd  
-flood victims along our eastern coast  
-people to take our Sunday services now, and over the  
Christmas holidays

## DISCERNMENT OF FAITH by Oswald Chambers

“Faith as a grain of mustard seed...”

We have the idea that God rewards us for our faith. It may be so in the initial stages, but we do not earn anything by faith; faith brings us into right relationship with God and gives God His opportunity. God has frequently to knock the bottom board out of your experience if you are a saint, in order to get you into contact with Himself. God wants you to understand that it is a life of *faith*, not a life of sentimental enjoyment of His Blessings. Your earlier life of faith was narrow and intense, settled around a little sunspot of experience that had as much of sense as of faith in it, full of light and sweetness. Then God withdrew His conscious blessings in order to teach you to walk by faith. You are worth far more to Him now than you were in your days of conscious delight and thrilling testimony.

Faith by its very nature must be tried, and the real trial of faith is not that we find it difficult to trust God, but that God’s character has to be cleared in our own minds. Faith in its actual working out has to go through spells of unsyllabled isolation. Never confound the trial of faith with the ordinary discipline of life. Much that we call the trial of faith is the inevitable result of being alive. Faith in the Bible is faith in God against everything that contradicts Him- I will remain true to God’s character whatever He may do. “Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him” [Job] -this is the most sublime utterance of faith in the whole of the Bible.

***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.