Next Sunday, 11th December, after Church, we are having our annual **Christmas market**

What is a Christmas market after church?

It is when you bring stuff to donate, by putting it on the table (with a price on it), and hopefully someone will know with absolute certainty that they cannot do without it.

Why do a Christmas market?

Because it will really help us with funds.

What can you donate to the Christmas market?

Food fresh or baked, or whatever, Jams etc, little gifts that might be purchased to use as Christmas presents or stocking fillers. (Do people still fill stockings?). Things that might be saleable, that you somehow aquired, but haven't used and don't have a use for.

We usually set up a couple of tables, with these goods available for people to peruse, and hopefully, buy.

Please join us for morning tea, after the service.



Dad Jokes @Dadsaysjokes

I accidentally drank some Holy Water with my laxative.

I'm about to start a religious movement.



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The Maroochydore Herald

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4th December 2022 2nd Sunday in Advent

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 ServicesKorean Leader: Ps. Gil ParkEnglish LanguageSundays, 8.30amM: 0413 836 557Korean LanguageSundays, 11amSuncokuc

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				
December 4 th	December 11 th			
Isaiah 11:1-10		Is 35:1-10		
Romans 15:4-13	Ps 146:5-10 or Lk 1:46b-55			
Matthew 3:1-12	Jas 5:7-10			
Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19	Mt 11:2-11			
Sun 4 th Dec	8:30 am R 11 am Kore	ev Jan Rossow ean service		
<u>Tues, Wed, Thurs</u>	Korean Prayer meeting 6-7 am			
Mon, Wed Fri	Line dancing			
		rking bee /cleaning 4:30 -6pm		
		uth Bible Study 6-9pm		
	Prayer Me	,		
Sat 10th Dec	Indoor Bowls with Wilf and Mavis			
Sun 11 th Dec	8:30am Re	ev Peter Hall		

Fellowship Christmas Lunch: Thursday 8th December, at the Waterfront Hotel. From around 11:30 am for midday start. Please RSVP to Jan Strudwick by 4th December. Please also let Jan know if you need transport to the lunch.



11 am Korean Service – Pastor Gil Park.

A big thankyou to Marie, Pam and Trish, who manned a stall at Allora last week, selling jams, craft items and cooking etc. They raised, and donated to the church \$150! Thankyou.

Birthdays this week: Trish Hair 2nd Dec; Jan Rossow 10th Dec

ARE YOU LISTENING?

James 1:19-20 So then, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath; for the wrath of man does not produce the righteousness of God.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt got tired of smiling that big smile and saying all the usual things at those White House receptions. So, one evening he decided to find out whether anybody was paying attention to what he was saying. As each person came up to him with extended hand, he flashed his big smile and said, "I murdered my grandmother this morning." People would automatically respond with comments such as "How lovely." or "Continue on with your great work." Nobody listened to what he was saying, except for one foreign diplomat. When the president said, "I murdered my grandmother this morning," the diplomat responded softly, "I'm sure she had it coming to her."

It's a funny story, but how often do we do the same? It seems that we have lot's to say but we are not very good at listening. Think about it -- how many language, speech, and speaking courses can you find in your college course book? But can you find even one class on listening?? There is such a lack of good listening skills in this day and age that we have to pay someone a lot of money just to listen to us! More importantly, God has many things He desires to reveal to us -- but we're always talking, talking, talking!

Let's strive to do less talking and more listening today. Let's give the Lord and others a chance to be heard.

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