



Be grateful that no matter how many pieces of cake you eat, your earrings will always fit.

Life Lessons from a Sea Turtle

- Sometimes you have to dig yourself out of a hole you didn't dig
- Make time for the beach
- Slow down
- Come out of your shell
- Age gracefully
- Life is better with a good friend
- Enjoy the views
- Travel far



The Maroochydore Herald

The Uniting Church in Australia
QUEENSLAND SYNOD

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

**Pentecost 22
29th October**

*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	
Margaret Holmes	Rev Jan Rossow

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 and information to Synod Resources and Activities.
National Assembly News - <https://assembly.uca.org>

Items and notifications for inclusion in the Herald are gratefully received.

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



Huey Dewey, Louie & Bob were stunned by Barbara's reaction to their surprise. They thought for sure the dead mouse they put in her coffee cup would please her and yet, there she was out cold on the kitchen floor

SINGLES AD
The following ad appeared in the Atlanta Journal:
SINGLE BLACK FEMALE seeks male companionship. Ethnicity not important. I'm a very good looking girl who LOVES to play. I love long walks in the woods, riding in your pickup truck, hunting, camping and fishing trips, cozy winter nights lying by the fire. Candlelight dinners will have me eating out of your hand. When you get home from work I'll be at the front door wearing only what nature gave me. Call (404) 555-1212 and ask for Daisy.
Over 1500 men found themselves talking to the Atlanta Humane Society about an 8-week old black Labrador retriever.



Lectionary Bible Readings

October 29 Pentecost 22	November 5 Pentecost 23
Dt 34:1-12	Joshua 3:7-17
Ps 90:1-6, 13-17	Ps 107:1-7, 33-37
1 Thes 2:1-8	1 Thes 2:9-13
Mt 22:34-46	Mt 23:1-12

Sunday 29th October 8:30 am Uniting World Service

Wednesday 1st Nov All Saints Day

Sunday 5th November Rev Jan Rossow (Communion)

Thursday 9th November Fellowship morning tea at Em Jay's

Please join us, in the hall for a tea or coffee, after church

Please pray for

Israel, Palestine, Jordan, Syria and all those caught up in the conflict those facing heightened fire danger this season.

Anniversary 27th October: Margaret and Arby Holmes-62 years

When You Want a Moment to Yourself.....

Yet the news about [Jesus] spread all the more, so that crowds of people came to hear him and to be healed of their sicknesses. But Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed. – Luke 5:15-16

When You're Too Busy to Take Care of Yourself.....

You can be sure that God will take care of everything you need, his generosity exceeding even yours in the glory that pours from Jesus. – Philippians 4:19 (MSG)

October 19

*Mere infants in Christ.
(1 Corinthians 3:1)*

Are you mourning, believer, because you're so weak in the divine life—because your faith is so little, and your love so feeble? Cheer up, for you have cause for gratitude. In some things you're equal to the greatest and most full-grown Christians. You're as much bought with blood as they are. You're as much an adopted child of God as any other believer. An infant is as truly a child of its parents as is the full-grown adult. You are as completely justified, for your justification is not a thing of degrees. Your little faith has made you every bit as clean. You have as much right to the precious things of the covenant as the most advanced believers, for your right to covenant mercies lies not in your growth but in the covenant itself. Your faith in Jesus is not the measure of your inheritance in Him, but the token of it. You're as rich as the richest, if not in enjoyment, yet in real possession. In the family register of glory, the small and the great are written with the same pen. You're as dear to your Father's heart as the greatest in the family. Jesus is very tender over you. You're like a bruised reed, and He will never break the bruised reed.¹¹⁶⁹ Instead of being downcast by reason of what you are, you should triumph in Christ. In Him I'm made to sit in heavenly places.¹¹⁷⁰ Am I poor in faith? Still in Jesus I'm heir of all things. I will rejoice in the Lord, and glory in the God of my salvation.

From "Morning by Morning" by Charles Spurgeon