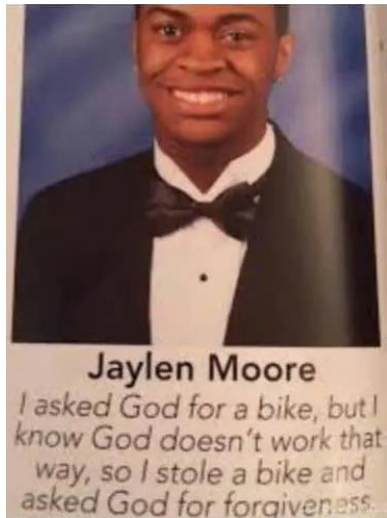


Why couldn't Jonah trust the ocean?... He just knew there was something fishy about it.



When your body is a temple but you wanna make it a megachurch



The Maroochydore Herald

Maroochydore Uniting Church



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



We seek to be a prayerful and listening church

**6th Sunday after Pentecost
30th June 2024**

Leadership Team

Chairperson: Jan Rossow
Treasurer: Bev Lacey

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Margaret Holmes

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Worship Services

English Language Sundays, 8.30am M: 0413 836 557
Korean Language Sundays, 11am

Korean Leader: Ps. Gil Park

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

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HEARTINESS VS. HEARTLESSNESS TOWARDS OTHERS

*"It is Christ. . . who also maketh intercession for us."
"The Spirit. . . maketh intercession for the saints."
ROMANS 8:34, 27*

Do we need any more argument than this to become intercessors—that Christ “ever liveth to make intercession”; that the Holy Spirit “maketh intercession for the saints?” Are we living in such a vital relationship to our fellow men that we do the work of intercession as the Spirit-taught children of God? Begin with the circumstances we are in—our homes, our business, our country, the present crisis as it touches us and others—are these things crushing us? Are they badgering us out of the presence of God and leaving us no time for worship? Then let us call a halt, and get into such living relationship with God that our relationship to others may be maintained on the line of intercession whereby God works His marvels.

Beware of outstripping God by your very longing to do His will. We run ahead of Him in a thousand and one activities, consequently we get so burdened with persons and with difficulties that we do not worship God, we do not intercede. If once the burden and the pressure come upon us and we are not in the worshipping attitude, it will produce not only hardness toward God but despair in our own souls. God continually introduces us to people for whom we have no affinity, and unless we are worshipping God, the most natural thing to do is to treat them heartlessly, to give them a text like the jab of a spear, or leave them with a rapped-out counsel of God and go. A heartless Christian must be a terrible grief to Our Lord.

Are we in the direct line of the intercession of Our Lord and of the Holy Spirit?

**Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
June 30th**

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27
Psalm 130
2 Corinthians 8:7-15
Mark 5:21-43

**7th Sunday after Pentecost
7th July**

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10
Psalm 48
2 Corinthians 12:2-10
Mark 6:1-13

Sunday 30th June

-8:30 am James McKenna

Sunday 7th July

-8:30am Rev Jan Rossow

Please join us for morning tea after the service

Birthdays this week: John Carstairs (7th)



Other Notes

Over the next few weeks the editor of the Herald will be away and this space will be left for others to fill in important events that need to be noted.

It is not a mistake that the space might be left vacant.