



Finally found a good use for cauliflower



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. 🚗



FOR SALE - Single owner tomb. Only used three days, and still has that new tomb smell. Reason for sale.. resident was resurrected.



The Maroochydore Herald

Maroochydore Uniting Church



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

Easter Sunday
20th April 2025

We seek to be a prayerful and listening church

Leadership Team

Chairperson: Jan Rossow

Treasurer: Bev Lacey

Property matters: Theo Quick

Secretary: Jan Strudwick

Margaret Holmes

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.

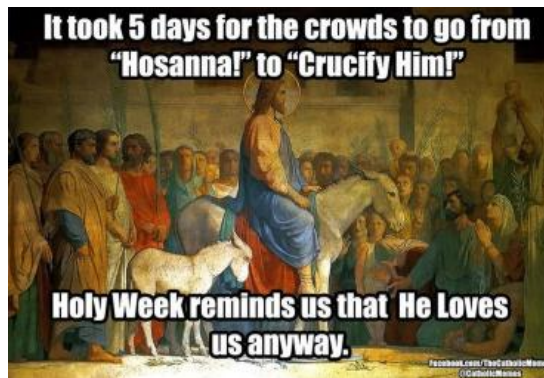
National Assembly News - <https://assembly.uca.org>.

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

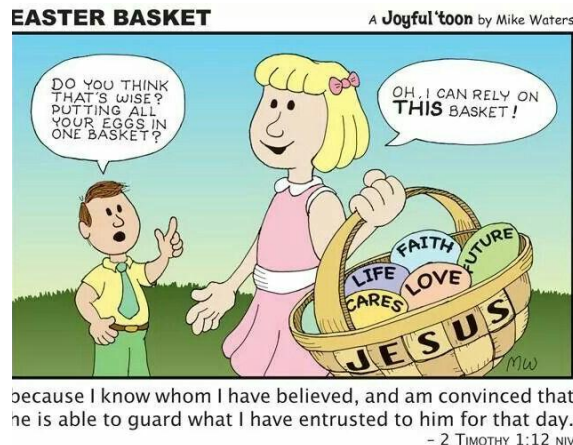
April 20 Easter Sunday
Resurrection of the Lord
 Acts 10:34-43 / Isaiah 65:17-25
 Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
 1 Cor 15:19-26/Acts 10:34-43
 John 20:1-18 / Luke 24:1-12

Apr 27 2025 Easter 2
 Acts 5:27-32
 Ps 118:14-29 or Ps 150
 Rev 1:4-18
 Jn 20:19-31

Easter Sunday 20th -8:30 am Rev Jan Rossow
Sunday April 27th -8:30 am Rev Darren King



A big thankyou goes to Rev Jan Rossow, for stepping in at short notice, to bring us our service today



but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect 1 Peter 1:19

Standing at the foot of the Cross, we see head, hands, feet, and side, all pouring forth crimson streams of precious blood. It's "precious" because of its *redeeming* and *atoning power*. By it the sins of Christ's people are atoned for³⁸⁴—they are redeemed from under the law,³⁸⁵ reconciled to God,³⁸⁶ and made one with Him.³⁸⁷ Christ's blood is also "precious" in its *purifying power*—it "purifies us from all sin."³⁸⁸ "Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow."³⁸⁹ Through Jesus' blood there is not a spot left upon any believer,³⁹⁰ no wrinkle nor any such thing remains.³⁹¹ The blood of Christ is likewise "precious" in its *preserving power*. We are safe from the destroying angel under the sprinkled blood. Remember it is *God's seeing* the blood that is the true reason for our being spared.³⁹² Here is comfort for us when the eye of faith is dim, for God's eye is still the same. The blood of Christ is "precious" also in its *sanctifying influence*. The same blood that justifies by taking away sin, does in its after-action, vitalize the new nature and lead it onward to holiness. There is no motive for holiness so great as that which streams from the veins of Christ.³⁹³ And "precious," unspeakably precious, is this blood, because it has an *overcoming power*. "They overcame him by the blood of the Lamb."³⁹⁴ How could they do otherwise? Those who fight with the precious blood of Jesus Christ, fight with a weapon that cannot know defeat. By trusting the power of Jesus' blood, we will always conquer!

From "My Utmost for His Highest" by Oswald Chambers