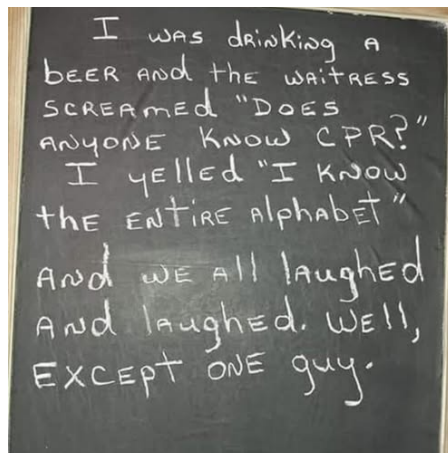
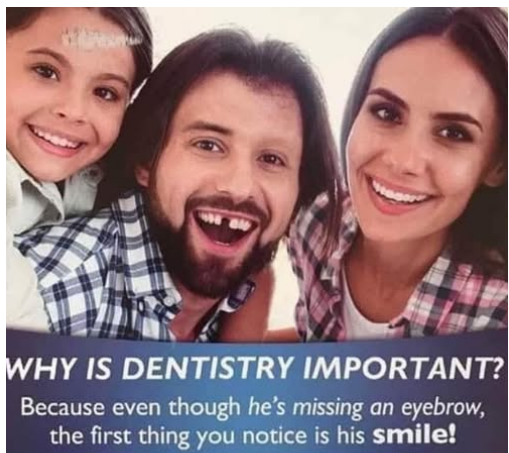


My name is Ned, now I'm a bed,  
and if I ruffs, I scare the fluffs, I  
cannot move, I just play dead, my  
name is Ned, and I'm a bed



• An elderly couple return to a Mercedes dealership to find the salesman had just sold the car they were interested in to a beautiful, leggy, busty blonde.  
"I thought you said you would hold that car till we raised the \$75,000 asking price," said the man. "Yet I just heard you closed the deal for \$65,000 to that lovely young lady there. You insisted there could be no discount on this model."  
"Well, what can I tell you? She had the ready cash, and just look at her, how could I resist?" replied the grinning salesman.  
Just then the young woman approached the old folks and handed them the keys.  
"There you go," she said. "I told you I could get this joker to drop the price."  
"See you later, grandpa."  
Never mess with the elderly!



# The Maroochydore Herald

Maroochydore Uniting Church



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

**Fourth Sunday in Lent**  
**30<sup>th</sup> March 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://ucaqlld.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

<b>Mar 30 Lent 4</b>	<b>Apr 6 Lent 5</b>
Josh 5:9-12	Is 43:16-21
Ps 32	Ps 126
2 Cor 5:16-21	Phil 3:4b-14
Lk 15:1-3, 11b-32	Jn 12:1-8

**Sunday Mar 30**  
**Sunday April 6**

-8:30 am James McKenna  
-8:30 am Rev Jan Rossow  
(Communion)

Indoor bowls continues on Saturdays

Please join us for morning tea after the service

Our prayers once again, for healing, go out to Stephanie and Margaret Holmes who has broken her wrist. Also we remember Winni and Gil as they travel overseas

Birthdays this week: Jan Carstairs (10<sup>th</sup>), Allan Kuchler (11<sup>th</sup>), Lorna Gray (11<sup>th</sup>)

Why couldn't the leopard play hide and seek?  
Because he was always spotted.

What starts with E, ends with E, and has only 1 letter in it?  
Envelope.

Can a kangaroo jump higher than the Empire State Building?  
Of course. The Empire State Building can't jump.

Why did the can crusher quit his job?  
Because it was soda pressing.

What is the tallest building in the entire world?  
The library, because it has so many stories.

## THE SMALL STUFF

*Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry. JAMES 1:13*

During the celebrations of his 30<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, a friend of mine shared the secret of their happy marriage. “Early on, my wife suggested an arrangement. She would make all the small decisions and would come to me for all the major ones. Wouldn’t you know that all these years have passed, and we haven’t had to make one major decision.”

Facetious for sure. Yet, there is wisdom in acknowledging the relatively small number of major decisions in life. Don’t sweat the small stuff, and you won’t sweat much at all.

During the next few days, you’ll be tested. A driver will forget to turn on his blinker. A passenger on the airplane will talk too loudly. A shopper will have 15 items in the “ten items or less” checkout line. You husband is going to blow his nose like a foghorn. Your wife is going to take her half of the garage in the middle. When they do, consider whether or not it’s just small stuff. ‘Don’t give up your joy or theirs over something that’s not worth sweating.

from “You Can Count on God” March 14 by Max Lucado.

I’m going to need some of you guys to start getting weirder. I cannot keep pulling all the weight.

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