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**CAN  
Community  
Support  
Choirs in  
the Round**

Thanks to  
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**A Message from the Executive Officer**

“A huge thank-you to all who contributed to and attended our wonderful Winter Choirs in the Round fundraiser last Saturday. It was a wonderful afternoon of song and community, a great opportunity to raise awareness of our work at CAN Community Support and of course to raise some much needed funds. We are delighted with the result – we were able to raise \$3373.50 to go towards our fabulous community programs.

Don't forget end of financial year is just around the corner. Read about the wonderful work happening at our free community lunch on Wednesdays, and please consider giving a tax deductible donation to CAN Community Support this financial year.

We are so grateful for this work and for your generous support!  
Stay warm,

Virginia.”

## This Week at CAN

- Sunday June 30 @ 10.00 CAN worship
- Sunday June 30 @ 12.00 CAN Church Council
- Wednesday July 3 @ 7.45am Holy Communion by Zoom
- Sunday July 7 @ 10.00am CAN worship inc. Holy Communion

### Lectionary Bible Readings

Today

June 30, 2024

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

Next Sunday

July 7, 2024

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10, Psalm 49, 2 Corinthians 12:2-10, Mark 6:1-13

### CAN roster for Sunday volunteers:

	30 June GREEN Pentecost 6	7 July GREEN Pentecost 7	14 July GREEN Pentecost 8		30 June GREEN Pentecost 6	7 July GREEN Pentecost 7	14 July GREEN Pentecost 8
<u>Preacher</u>	Ray G	Ray G	Peter Adam	<u>Property</u>	David J	Ian B	David J
<u>Liturgist</u>	Elika S	-	Jean D	<u>Offering</u>	David J Ken T	Ken T David J	David J Paul SM
<u>PP Prep</u>	Jill T	Ray G	Barbara LV	<u>Hosp 1</u>	David H	Pam K	David H
<u>Music</u>	Jean E	Mac N	Peter A	<u>Hosp 2</u>	Jean D	Leah B	Elika S
<u>Camera</u>	Paul SM	Paul SM	Paul SM	<u>Flowers</u>	Jill T	Shirley J	Greta B
<u>Reader</u>	David H	Prit S	Hyunwoo K	<u>HC Elder</u>	-	Shirley J	-
<u>AV</u>	David J	Ken T	David J	<u>Children</u>	- (School holidays)	- (School holidays)	- (School holidays)
<u>Greeter</u>	Pam K	Leah B	Mac N				

### Hymns of the 20th Century

**Join in singing some of the best in this free event!**

Introduced by Rev Dr D'Arcy Wood with pianist Bruce Macrae and guest choir. Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 2:30pm

Stonnington Uniting Church, 59 Burke Road, Malvern East

Or for a Zoom link, email: [ken.barelli@bigpond.com](mailto:ken.barelli@bigpond.com)

For enquiries call Ken on 0418 317 942 VicTas UC Historical Society

## CAN Congregation

Offerings to the Church of All Nations Parish Mission.

Your offerings support the ministry and mission of the congregation. The Congregation budget contributes the major component of the Community Support budget as well as ministry costs and other mission support.

Offerings can be made during the church service OR by regular bank transfer.

Bank transfers can be regular as weekly, fortnightly, monthly Offerings, OR as an occasional offering

Bank details are:

Bendigo Bank BSB 633000 Account No.:191446954

Name: Church of All Nations of Carlton

### Link for live streaming the 10.00am Service

Here is the link to watch the 10.00am service live on the church's Facebook page. You do not need a Facebook account to watch.

<https://facebook.com/events/s/can-worship/442706434310396/>

We will continue to offer this option for those who may be uncomfortable attending in person for whatever reason - health, mobility, geography, whatever...

### Donations to CAN Community Support

Donations to CAN Community Support are tax deductible and can be made in person to CAN Community Support Administration Office ( Tuesday – Thursday) in the CAN Centre, OR by Bank transfer as follows:Bank details are:

Bendigo Bank: BSB 633000

Account No.: 191170380

Name: CAN Community Support

### CAN Wednesday Communion

Each Wednesday at 7.45am a group of around 8 people gather by Zoom for a time of worship and fellowship, including sharing the bread and wine. The worship service runs for around 30 minutes. BYO bread and wine.

Click [here](#) for link to Wednesday Zoom Communion

### Public Housing

Ray attended two meetings during the week regarding the future of Public Housing in Victoria and specifically the high rise towers in Carlton. One of the hotly contested issues is whether the towers should be demolished and rebuilt or if they should be renovated. A link to the documents tabled in the Victorian Parliament giving some of the background to the decisions, including the redevelopment of the Elgin St site.

<https://www.parliament.vic.gov.au/parliamentary-activity/taled-documents-database/taled-document-details/8310>



# Church in Ordinary Time: A Wisdom Ecclesiology

## AMY PLANTINGA PAUW

The doctrine of creation has been missing in most theological accounts of the church. That has made it harder for Christians to make common cause with others in a religiously pluralistic world and to address the ecological threat we all face as creatures. The lecture will propose a wisdom ecclesiology that takes the doctrine of creation seriously in thinking about the church.



**Location:** Brunswick Uniting Church, 214 Sydney Rd, Brunswick. Parking is available behind the church off Edward Street.

**Date/Time:** Thursday, July 18th @ 7.30pm

**Registration:** This is not required but, will help with planning light supper following the lecture [click here](#)

**Admission:** Free

**Contact:** CTM@ctm.uca.edu.au

Professor Pauw teaches Doctrinal Theology at Louisville Presbyterian Seminary in Louisville, USA. With Serene Jones she edited *Feminist and Womanist Essays in Reformed Dogmatics*. Her book, *Church in Ordinary Time: Wisdom Ecclesiology*, appeals to feminist, wisdom, liturgical and classical theologies to re-frame the church's engagement with the world.

### CAN Discussion Series - Ageing and Our Faith

Change in date for the third in our discussion series - Ageing and Our Faith. It was previously scheduled for this coming Thursday but it will now be held on Thursday July 18 at 2.15pm We will meet at Redmond Park Retirement Village which is located at 300 Pigdon St Princes Hill.

### Winter Clothes Appeal

Thanks to those who have donated warm winter clothes for CAN Community Support. Ayan, our Sustainability Worker from CAN Community Support reports she is getting some requests from residents in the Carlton Estate for winter clothes.

We said we would put a request out for any donations. So check out your wardrobe and see if you have any warm clothes you could pass on. We need all shapes and sizes. Put them in the box at the entry to the church and thanks in anticipation



**Our intrepid team:  
Evan, Jeff, Mark**

**CAN:**

**C**OMMITTED TO

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**C**REATION



**Our Commitment:  
to Protect Creation –  
Bold Climate Action  
by 2030  
starting NOW**



## The Passing of Rev Dr Gondarra OAM

With profound sadness the Uniting Church Assembly mourns the passing of Rev Dr Gondarra OAM, a giant in the life of the Uniting Church and Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress and a revered Yolŋu elder.

Rev Dr Gondarra was instrumental in the founding of the Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress and provided visionary leadership to Congress, the Uniting Church and the global

church for over four decades. He was the first Yolŋu minister appointed to a congregation and the first Indigenous Moderator.

"The loss of the Reverend Doctor has seen the curtain close on one of the most extraordinary men of our time," said UAICC National Chairperson Rev Mark Kickett.

"When the book of Hebrews talks about the heroes of faith in Chapter 11, so too the Reverend Doctor can be numbered amongst them as a hero of faith."

"Rev Dr Gondarra OAM was a tireless advocate for his people and their right to sovereignty and self-determination," said Uniting Church President Rev Sharon Hollis.

Read all the latest news from the Assembly by clicking [here](#)

And for Vic Tas Synod news click [here](#)

## CAN Strategic Plan

The current three year CAN Strategic Plan is due to expire this year. We did spend a significant amount of time and energy doing a "refresh" on it last year and the Church Council does not discern that the congregation is ready for a major, blue sky, "from the ground up" Strategic Planning exercise again. But the Church Council is definitely open to hearing any new or emerging priority areas in the life of the congregation people would like to bring forward. They will confirm the process for the new Strategic Plan at the meeting on Sunday June 30.

Soon we will spend a few weeks seeing if we flush any of these ideas out and bring them to a Congregational meeting. For now this is an invitation to begin thinking and praying about what you think should be the important priorities and goals of the congregation.

## Children's Ministry at Church of All Nations during School Holidays



During the school holidays, Children's Ministry classes will not be held during Sunday services.

Children are ALWAYS welcome in worship; for Sundays 30 June, 7 July, & 14 July individual activity kits will be available for children's interest under parental supervision in the church.

## The Theology of Visibility Workshop– Sat 27 July

Manningham extends an invitation to all to an upcoming event, The Theology of Visibility, to be held on Saturday 27 July from 9.30am-12.30pm at Manningham Uniting Church.

Leading this workshop is the Rev Grace Ji-Sun Kim, a world renowned scholar and expert in intercultural, feminist and post-colonial theology.

Location: Manningham Uniting Church, 109 Wood Street, Templestowe.

Tickets are \$20 per person (including morning tea).

For more information, or to register/RSVP –

[manninghamuc.org/theologyofvisibility](http://manninghamuc.org/theologyofvisibility)

## 17TH ASSEMBLY. Join us as we install Rev Charissa Suli as President of the Uniting Church in Australia



On Thursday 11 July the 17th Assembly meeting will open with worship and the joyful installation of Rev Charissa Suli as the 17th President of the Uniting Church in Australia.

The installation will be a historic event, with the Uniting Church being the largest Australian Christian denomination to elect a person of colour as national leader. Charissa will be the youngest person to serve as President and the third woman. The President is the spiritual leader and representative of the Uniting Church nationally.

Opening worship will be held at 7:30pm AEST on Thursday 11 July at St Stephen's Uniting Church, 197 Macquarie Street, Sydney. Opening worship is a public event and all are invited to join in celebrating God's call to Charissa, assuring her of our prayer and support. If you are planning to attend in person, please RSVP by 23 June.

The service will also be livestreamed at 7:30pm AEST (QLD, NSW, ACT, VIC, and TAS), 7pm ACST (SA and NT) and 5:30pm AWST (WA). Online access details are coming soon.

Click [here](#) to read all the latest from the UCA Assembly