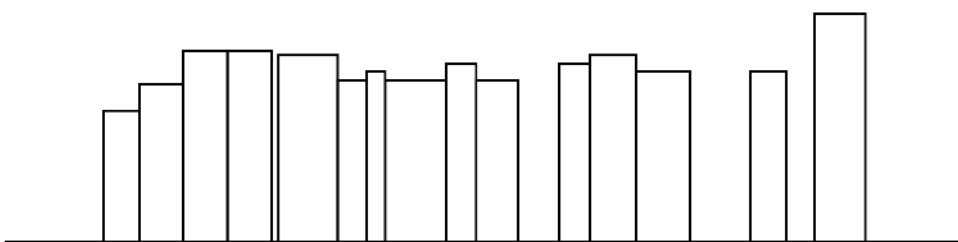
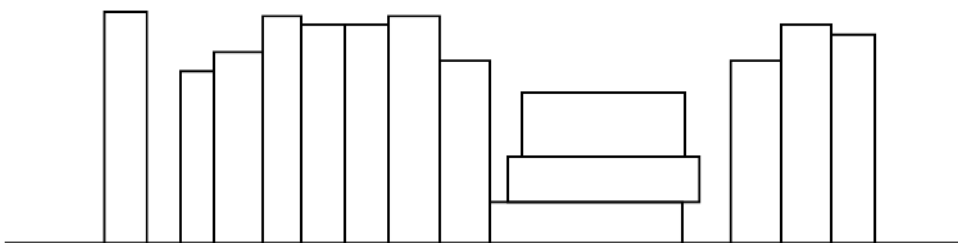




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## SALE OF RADICAL & POLITICAL BOOKS



Books and magazines from the estate of a committed political, curious, idealistic, international thinker, with a passionate interest in developing countries.

Classic titles and more on global and Australian Politics, in particular the Labor Party, World Economics, Women's Affairs, Philosophy, Theology, History, Cultural & Social Theory, Anthropology, Education, Agriculture, The Environment...

Books on National and Community Development, in particular in Africa, Asia and The Pacific.

Over 100 magazine titles, many from the 1970's, small hand-produced editions to well established but hard to find titles, including Arena, Eureka Street and Meanjin.

**Sale of Dr Helen Hill's Library**

Our friend Dr Helen Hill died last year and left a significant library - some titles have already made their way to our lending library on the cupboard on the east side of the church.

Now Helen's brother, Ian, is holding a sale of the body of the library this weekend at Helen's former home.

Drop by to say hello to Ian and maybe snap up a bargain of rare and hard to get books and magazines.

**9.00am - 4.00pm**  
**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February**  
**14 Westgarth St**  
**Fitzroy**



## Up coming Church Meals

The next church lunch is after worship this Sunday Feb 16 and we are putting out the usual call for people to bring some finger food for sharing in a light and early lunch together..

And the next church meal after that is a Friday evening meal on March 28 at Shiny, Prebin, Michelle and Ethan's place. More details on that will come.

**Our study series kicked off last Tuesday Feb 11.**

**We gathered at Redmond Park located at 300 Pigdon St Princes Hill to host us. The series will be held over the three Tuesdays of Feb 11, 18, 25 commencing at 2.00pm**

## LIVING HUMBLY LIVING HOPEFULLY

Reflections of identity and practice and what that may mean for a vocation of caring for our planet as followers of Jesus.

A study series for A Season of Creation written by Paul Chalson

Click the link to study material <https://www.unitearthweb.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Living-humbly-hopefully.pdf>.

There are a couple of printed copies of the study on the Welcome desk

# WESLEY CONVERSATIONS

## *The Ethics of Housing*

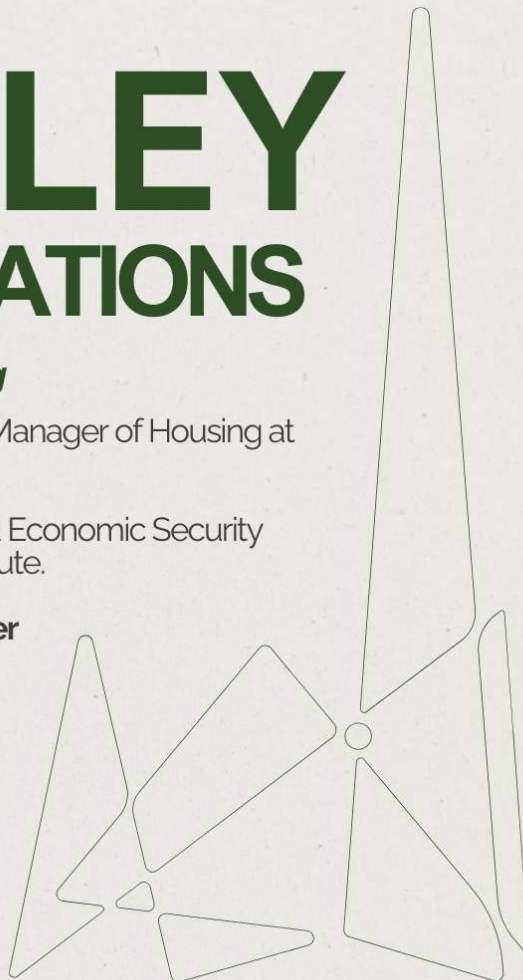
With **Kristie Looney**, General Manager of Housing at Uniting VicTas

**Brendan Coates**, Housing and Economic Security Program Director, Grattan Institute.

Moderated by **Robyn Whitaker**

**THURSDAY,  
FEBRUARY 20TH  
12:30 PM - 1:20PM**

**WESLEY CHURCH,  
LONSDALE ST,  
MELBOURNE.**



Event Link - <https://www.facebook.com/share/18VcmV1RNe/>

### Event Bio:

The Wesley Centre for Theology, Ethics, and Public Policy is hosting a series of 'Conversations That Matter'—lunchtime conversations with experts on the big questions facing society, from housing to politics to bioethics and AI. 'Conversations That Matter' are held in Wesley Church, 130 Lonsdale St, on the **third Thursday** of the month from **12.30 – 1.20pm**. BYO lunch or coffee.

| <b>CAN 3-week roster for Sunday volunteers:</b> |  |                                    |   |                      |  |                                    |   |
|---|--|------------------------------------|---|----------------------|--|------------------------------------|---|
|   | 16 February<br>GREEN<br>Epiphany 6<br>CONG LUNCH | 23 February<br>GREEN<br>Epiphany 7 | 2 March<br>WHITE<br>Transfiguration<br>HC |                      | 16 February<br>GREEN<br>Epiphany 6<br>CONG LUNCH | 23 February<br>GREEN<br>Epiphany 7 | 2 March<br>WHITE<br>Transfiguration<br>HC |
| <u>Preacher</u>                                 | Ray G  | Ray G                              | Ray G                                     | <u>Property</u>      | Jeff J   | Ian B                              | David J                                   |
| <u>Liturgist</u>                                | Sue C  | Jill T                             | -   | <u>Offering</u>      | Jeff J<br>Shiny I                                | Ian B<br>Ethan K                   | David J<br>Michelle A                     |
| <u>PP Prep</u>                                  | Barbara LV                                       | Jill T                             | Evan R                                    | <u>Hospitality 1</u> | Pam K  | Katie E                            | Shirley J                                 |
| <u>Music</u>                                    | Adam D   | Peter A                            | Jean E                                    | <u>Hospitality 2</u> | Shiny I  | Mark S                             | Coco C                                    |
| <u>Camera</u>                                   | Prebin A   | Jeff J                             | William V                                 | <u>Flowers</u>       | Greta B  | Jill T                             | Shirley J                                 |
| <u>Reader</u>                                   | Evan R   | Olivia LV                          | Mac N                                     | <u>HC</u>            | -  | -                                  | Shiny I                                   |
| <u>AV</u>                                       | William V  | Ian B                              | David J                                   | <u>Children</u>      | Ken T<br>Jill T                                  | Katie E<br>Mark S                  | Jill T<br>Shiny I                         |
| <u>Greeter</u>                                  | Shirley J  | Ken T                              | Pam K                                     |                      |  |                                    |   |

**This Week at CAN**

- Sunday February 16 @ 10.00am CAN worship
- Sunday February 16 @ 11.30ish Church lunch - bring some finger food to share
- Tuesday February 18 @ 2.00pm Study/discussion group meets at Redmond Park
- Wednesday February 19 @ 7.45am Wednesday communion
- Wednesday February 19 @ 2.00pm worship at Redmond Park
- Saturday February 22 @ 9.30am Yarra Yarra Presbytery meets
- Sunday February 23 @ 10.00am worship at CAN
- Sunday February 23 @ 12.00 CAN Elders meet

**CAN Wednesday Communion**

The weekly Wednesday Communion by Zoom is held weekly at 7.45am. Have you considered if you might be part of this group who share the bread and cup together? Bring along to your computer screen your own piece of bread and wine/juice and share in this 30 minute worship service

Zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85049027673?pwd=YzIXcExjQUU5bHI0eVgzU3F4akxYQT09>

Meeting ID: 850 4902 7673

Passcode: 9dbLQu



## 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



### Lectionary Bible Readings

Today February 16

Jeremiah 17:5-10

Psalm 1

1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Luke 6:17-26

Next Sunday February 23, 2025

Genesis 45:3-11, 15

Pslm 37:1-11, 39-40

1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50

Luke 6:27-38

### 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://www.facebook.com/CarltonChurchOfAllNations>

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

### Thank you from David Howie

David wishes to pass on his deep appreciation for the care and support he received from the folks from the Church of All Nations at the time of the death of his mother.

During a difficult time the  
Prayers and messages of condolence made a big difference.

ALBANIAN AUSTRALIAN ISLAMIC SOCIETY

# VICTORIAN MOSQUE OPEN DAY

SATURDAY 15 FEBRUARY  
11:00AM - 3:00PM

ALBANIAN MOSQUE,  
765 DRUMMOND ST, CARLTON NTH



## **JOIN US FOR FUN, FAITH AND FRIENDSHIP!**

- All Welcome
- Mosque Tours and Q&A
- Islamic Information Slideshow
- History Exhibition - Melbourne's First Mosque
- Prayer Observation
- Try on a Hijab, Keffiyeh or Prayer Cap
- Kids Craft Activities and Face Painting
- Tea, Coffee & Traditional Albanian Desserts

**Email: [admin@aais.org.au](mailto:admin@aais.org.au) for information**

### **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





# Carlton Neighbourhood Learning Centre Fundraiser

## *An Evening in the Garden*



Join us for a stylish outdoor garden party fundraiser featuring garden-to-plate cuisine by renowned Rumi restaurant, "Tram Car" wine by Michael Unwin Wines, live entertainment, an art auction, and more.

Help us expand our community garden and transform a historic tram into a vibrant/community space, enhancing our ability to support people experiencing disadvantage.



### HOW TO GET YOUR TICKET?

Scan the QR Code to secure your spot or visit <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/1210218248359> to purchase your ticket!

Friday, 28 February 2025, 5.30–8.00 PM

20 Princes St, Carlton North

### SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS:



## Your special invitation

Dear friends,

I'm writing to invite you to *An Evening in the Garden*, a special fundraiser for the Carlton Neighbourhood Learning Centre.

Join us on Friday, 28 February 2025, from 5:30 to 8:00 PM at 20 Princes St, Carlton North, for a magical evening filled with:

- ✨ Garden-to-plate cuisine crafted by the renowned Rumi restaurant
- 🍷 "Tram Car" wine by Michael Unwin Wine
- 🎵 Live entertainment, including chamber orchestra group Inveni Ensemble, to set the perfect mood
- 🎨 An art auction showcasing incredible works
- 🌟 A silent auction and so much more!

All proceeds from the evening will support two transformative projects:

- Expanding our community garden.
- Restoring a historic tram into a unique classroom and community space, creating new opportunities for

This is your chance to enjoy a special evening while making a meaningful impact on our community. Tickets are \$100 per person, with all proceeds going directly toward these initiatives.

[Click here to get your tickets!](#)

If you're unable to attend, you can still support our work by making a **tax-deductible donation** here: <https://cnlc.org.au/donate/>.

Warm regards,  
 Tony Milne  
 Executive Officer  
 Carlton Neighbourhood Learning Centre

*P.S. Dress your best — we can't wait to see you there!*

## Lenten Studies

Our Lenten Studies for 2025 will be in conjunction with our friends at Mark the Evangelist. We will use Rowan Williams' *Christ on Trial: How the Gospel Unsettles our Judgement*.

### FROM THE PUBLISHER

*In this book the former Archbishop of Canterbury looks in depth at the trial of Jesus, using it to teach readers how to face the challenges of life in today's trying times.*

*Bringing the biblical accounts of Jesus' trial vividly to life, Rowan Williams highlights what can be learned about Jesus from each of the four Gospel portraits. Mark shows a mysterious figure revealed as the Son of God. Matthew describes the Wisdom of God tried by foolish men. Luke presents a divine stranger. John speaks of the paradox of divinity submitting to judgement. These discussions are followed by a reflection on Christian martyrdom and a meditation on tyranny, freedom, and truth.*

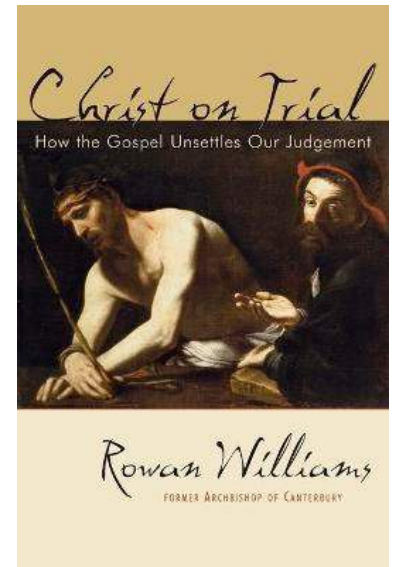
*Throughout the book, Williams draws not only from the Bible but also from fiction, drama, and current events, pointing out ways in which society today continues to put Christ on trial. Even more, he argues that all Christians stand with Jesus before a watching world. Though we may not be directly confronted with death, we are nevertheless called daily to respond to the falsehood of such lures as power, influence, and prestige.*

The study groups seek to be ecumenical in participation, with people from MtE, Parkville's St Carthages, Carlton's Church of All Nations and Hawthorn's Habitat Uniting Church being among those participating. (Let us know if you would like to join our online ones!)

**At the moment, two online (Zoom) groups are planned from Wednesday March 5 (7.45pm) and Friday March 7 (1.30PM), for six weeks (one week per chapter).** (We are, however, hoping to be able to offer other groups in co-operation with other congregations — these will be added to the page here as they are confirmed). (Let us know if you would like to offer a parallel series of studies on this text we could advertise!)

Participants should get their own copies of the book. [Amazon](#) will be the quickest, but it is also [available at other places](#) more cheaply if you get early. The version of the book (cover) on this page is the "reference" version; the older blue-covered edition has the same pagination if you can find a cheap secondhand copy; the black-covered edition is probably also the same pagination, but unconfirmed!

Please register your intention to join us below, so that you can receive the Zoom link for the discussions!



## Two Opportunities to hear Donna Coleman in Concert

### On Sunday 16th February 2:30 p.m.

world-renowned concert pianist and recording artist Dr Donna Coleman will play a recital for the Barwon Heads Fine Music Society at the Barwon Heads Arts Hub, 5 Clifford Parade. Program includes music by Poulenc, Ives, Chopin, Gershwin, and a selection of Rags. Special Guests:

Sally Hobbs, flautist and music mentor in several schools in the region; and Gregory Day, author of *The Bell of the World*, shortlisted for the 2024 Miles Franklin Award, and many other books).



Tickets can be purchased at the door and are very reasonably priced at \$20. For more info click [here](#)

**Friday 28th February** is Donna's "unbirthday," and she will celebrate, as usual ("real" birthday or not!) with a performance at Jazz Lab, 23 Leslie Street Brunswick, doors open at **7:30 for 8:00 p.m. start.**

This very different program features the Australian Premiere performance of *Imaginary Dances* by William Duckworth and the World Premiere of a new work by Melbourne-based Kevin March based upon György Kurtág's *feuilles mortes*; *Nine Rambles Around Walden Pond*, a set of improvisations on the "Thoreau" movement from Charles Ives's *Concord Sonata*, by Donna with Christopher Hale, bass; and Daniel Perlongo's rapturous *Serenade*.

A bit experimental, a lot sublime.

Tickets are \$40/35 for this event; they can be purchased at the door or you can book ahead at this link:

<https://thejazzlab.com.au/events/2025-02-28/?>