

SHEPPARTON UNITING CHURCH

SHEPPARTON RURAL CLUSTER



**The building is closed.
The Church is alive!**

NEWS JUNE 7, 2020

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SUNDAY JUNE 7 TRINITY

Praying Together Kyabram, Cooma

Readings **Readings Trinity** Genesis 1. 1- 2.4a Psalm 8

2 Cor 13.11-13 Matt 28. 16-20

Worship **Rosalie and Loni Baptism** Jonathan Terry Ladson

Service live streamed on Facebook

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READINGS JUNE

June 14 Gen 18.1-15 Ps 116.1-2,12-19 Rom 5,108 Mt 9.35-10.8

June 21 Gen 21.8-21 Ps 86.1-10,16-17 Rom 6.1b-11 Mt 10.24-39

June 22 UCA Ezek 37.15-28 Ps 122 Heb 13.1-8 John 17.20-26

June 28 Gen 22.1-14 Ps 13 Rom 6.12-23 Mt 10.40-42

*We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the lands of the region,
and pay our respects to their Elders, past, present and emerging*

WORSHIP ONLINE

Waranga Cluster 9.30 am Check warangaunitingchurches.net.au

Brunswick Uniting Church brunswick.unitingchurch.org.au.worship-with-us/

Assembly Service 10.00am Each Sunday, a different church is featured on the *Assembly's Facebook address*. Details of the service are not available until Friday, on Assembly News, so our email version contains them. Last week the Pentecost service came from Brunswick; it also recognised Reconciliation Sunday. It is well worth having a look now!

SHEPPARTON UNITING CHURCH

The Synod has requirements for people and church buildings - hand sanitising, social distancing; cleaning and disinfecting all surfaces, chairs included, each day. We have a thermometer. So we can come safely, up to ten people at a time, to spaced chairs in the Narthex.

Ministers are available for pastoral conversation and prayer Monday to Friday mornings, 10.00 to noon. Just drop in - to the Narthex.

Borrow a book from the wide range - biographical, devotional and theological available from the book shelf in the narthex. Please borrow at the times the building is open.

Small groups If you would like to join with others, up to a maximum of ten, to read and reflect on the passages for the coming Sunday, share joys and concerns, please contact Loni and let him know days and times you would be available.

Services are being streamed or live streamed.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE June 7

On Sunday June 7, we will celebrate the baptism of Jonathon Terry Ladson, son of Ben and Bec Ladson. The service will be conducted at the church and live streamed from 9.30am. The twenty people to share worship in the church have been arranged. All others are invited to go online and share in this special occasion. The congregational responses will be on the screen for you to join in at home. If you can go online, you might like to invite someone who doesn't have internet access to join with you in watching the service.

FINAL SERVICE

Sunday June 7 will be the final service for Rosalie before she takes four weeks' annual leave and eight weeks' long service leave. She will return shortly before her final service on August 30 after which she will move to begin her new placement at Bairnsdale from September 1.

ROSALIE AND JOHN: BLESSINGS FROM THE CONGREGATION

Rosalie and John, as you go on leave for the next few weeks, may you be richly blessed, refreshed and stimulated in this transition time between ministries at Shepparton and Bairnsdale. Enjoy your holiday, ski with exhilaration and know God's grace and peace. Be blessed!

ANNUAL REPORTS FOR 2019 were due June 3, 2020

Thanks to those who have given me their reports. A reminder to: the Ministers, Church Council, Catering Committee, Pastoral Care Committee, Property Maintenance Committee, Worship Committee, Young Church, Friendship Group, UCAF.

Remember to report two aspects of your work: a, a couple of highlights; b. some directions for the future. And your financial report. To Joan, please. Phone 5812 9320 if you cannot email your report.

RE-OPENING OF THE OP SHOP

The Op Shop will re-open on Monday, June 15. It will open from Monday to Friday from 10.00am to 2.00pm but will not open Saturday morning at this stage. A new roster is being organised for six weeks with a day person and one volunteer. If you have any concerns, please contact Val or Geoff.

YOUR OFFERING

Zane's phone number is 0409 438 741 if you need help to make your offering.