

Connect 100 Role - Community Chaplain

Following up from the announcement in our June newsletter regarding this role, Church Council is excited to share that the role has been approved by Lifeworks, Uniting Care Queensland (UCQ) and The Presbytery of the Downs, with funding from Uniting Care for an initial 3 year period.

A Joint Nominating Committee (JNC) has been formed with representatives of the above entities. Lifeworks is represented by Paula Nicholls and Rev Jenny Potter. The purpose of the JNC is to discern who the right person is for this role. Initially, Ministry Agents in the Synod who match the profile for the role will be considered, and their names will come to the JNC from the Queensland Synod Placements Committee.

The purpose of this role is to work with Uniting Care Queensland in and around Toowoomba, to provide pastoral care to UCQ staff and to look for collaborative opportunities between Lifeworks and UCQ to serve the community. As part of the role the Community Chaplain will work with UCQ and Lifeworks and split their time between these entities. If you would like more information about what this role entails and how it will fit into Lifeworks existing mission, please contact Rev Adam Tipple.

As part of preparing for another Ministry Agent to be based out of Lifeworks, the front storeroom has had the roller door removed and a window and door installed. This will be the office for the new role.

Of course, this is a big step for Lifeworks and it will be important for our congregation to embrace and support this new person and new role. My hope is that we might embrace the mission of Connect 100 together. Please join with me in prayer:

God of all good things, we ask for your blessing on this new role, and the person who is called. May your love, peace and comfort be shared with many through this ministry, and may we, as Lifeworks, embrace and support in prayer and practice, this new ministry. In Jesus' name, Amen

Grace and Peace, Rev Adam Tipple

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We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land - the Jarowair and Giabal people.

News and Announcements

Working Bee Saturday 19th August

There will be a working bee to reorganise the storeroom, hallway and admin office, and to do some other general cleaning and repairs as needed. If you are able to help with lifting, moving and cleaning, we'd love for you to come along from 8am.

Annual Report and Annual General Meeting (AGM)

As we have moved to the financial year (July-June) for reporting, our next report will cover an 18 month period from Jan 2022 to June 2023. Some key dates in this reporting period:

Submission deadline for reports: 13th August
Nominations for Church Council open: 13th August
Annual Report (18 Month period this time) published and distributed: 10th September
Nominations for Church Council close: 10th September
Annual General Meeting: Sunday 8th October 2023, 10.30am

This time there will be 4 Church Council positions that can be nominated for. Nominations can be for a period from 1 to 5 years (your choice). Election is by written ballot as part of the AGM, with a majority (over 50%) being sufficient for election. If there are more nominees than vacant positions, those nominees with a majority in favour will be ranked in terms of votes for, with the top 4 being elected.

I would encourage every member of the congregation to prayerfully consider whether they are sensing a call from God to serve in this role. At the heart of Church Council is the spiritual oversight of the congregation. When nominations open (13th August) please speak with Rev Adam Tipple in the first instance if you would like to explore nomination for Church Council.

August 2023 Sunday Services

Sunday 6th August 9am (Holy Communion)

Worship Leader: Kerrie Andrews
Preacher: Rev Adam Tipple

Sunday 13th August 9am

Worship Leader: Louise Walker
Rev Adam Tipple

Sunday 20th August 9am

Worship Leader: Va Palfi
Preacher: Rev Adam Tipple

Sunday 27th August 9am

Worship Leader: David Hogg
Preacher: Ps Peter Cole

Livestreams - please see [Facebook](#) for the latest link.

Giving Details

If you would like to give to Lifeworks, you can use the following methods:

Electronic direct deposit
Bank: Westpac Bank
Name: Lifeworks Uniting Church
BSB: 034 242
Account Number: 359 011

Write a cheque to Lifeworks Uniting Church, and post in the mail to: PO Box 18093, Clifford Gardens, Qld, 4350

Cash can be left in the offering bag on Sunday mornings.

We thank-you for your generosity!

Quick Links

www.lifeworksuniting.org.au



[YouTube](#)



[Facebook](#)

Midweek online prayer link (Weds 7am) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81432040065...>
Password: B1x6cs

Charleville Work Party

Rev Rob Callow is seeking expressions of interest from anyone available to form a work party and travel to Charleville to prepare the newly-purchased residence that will become home for the new bush chaplain, Jennie Feldmeier. Specific dates for this work party have yet to be confirmed, but will occur somewhere within 17-23 August. The scope of work will include cleaning, gardening, general maintenance, and painting. Other sought-after duties include transport and cooking. To express your interest and/or availability, please contact Rob on 0490 376 930 or rev.rob.callow@gmail.com.

Bus Trip to Bell Biblical Gardens

Date: Wednesday 11 October

The bus will leave Wilsonton UC at 8.30 and travel to Bell via Highfields, Meringandan and Goombungee. The return trip will be via Dalby, Lake Broadwater and Oakey getting back to Wilsonton around 4.30pm. In Bell you will visit the Biblical Gardens and murals at the church.

You can either BYO morning tea and lunch or buy at the café or pub. Hot water (only) will be available on the bus. Cost: \$25 payable by 6 September.

If you are interested please contact Barbara Leitch on 0428 717 713 or barbjl5@bigpond.com. She would like an indication of numbers asap.

Lifecycle - 'The Six Park Ride'

The next Lifecycle is Sunday 3rd September departing from corner of Amanda and Karyn Sts at Ballin park at 2pm and pickup from The Botanic Gardens in Godsall St at 3.30-4pm. If you like cycling come along! All ages. Helmets required. For more info please speak with Neil 0438795551.

Men's Breakfast - 7th October at 8am

Guest speaker will be Pastor Peter Cole, new Lifeworks member and chaplain for Blue Care.

Also, we need help - if you can help cook, serve or set up/pack up on the day, please let Rev Adam know that you're available.

The hope is that if this event is a success, we will look to do this 4 times per year.

Prayer Points

- Pray for the new Community Chaplain role, that God would aid our discernment in finding the right person, and that this role would be a blessing to them, Uniting Care Queensland and Lifeworks.
- Pray for our Men's Breakfast, that this will be a successful event and a time of friendship and spiritual connection.
- Pray that our members would be open to God's calling into Church Council roles, and that we discern this well together.
- As the Referendum on the Voice draws closer, pray for peaceful and respectful debate, and for understanding and compassion from people of all views.
- Give thanks for our Wednesday online prayer and our Sunday morning prayer before the service, and that more may engage with this prayer.
- Give thanks for our school, hospital, emergency services and aged care chaplains, and pray for their strength and encouragement.





Camp is about having fun, making new friends, challenging yourself and learning about who God is.



Are you up for the challenge?

Do you think you can survive a week of fun?

Cluedo Mystery Challenge - Talent Quest - Amazing Race - Hall Explosion - Hungry Hungry Hippos - Movie Night - Tenting - J-Time

REGISTER NOW: www.sucamps.org.au

- 9-13 year olds inclusive
- 18th to 22nd September 2023
- Glengarry Education Centre, Lowood
- \$200 per camper
- Bus options available

Camp queries: shine474@hotmail.com

Camp Directors: Deb Perkins - 0412 277 474 or Matt George 0408 304 776



Lifecycle

The Six Park Ride

2pm Sunday 3rd

September

Starting at Ballin Park
cnr Amanda and Karyn St

Finish 3.30pm at
Botanic Gardens,
Godsall St

For info call
Kev 0418 718 194
Neil 0438 797 551

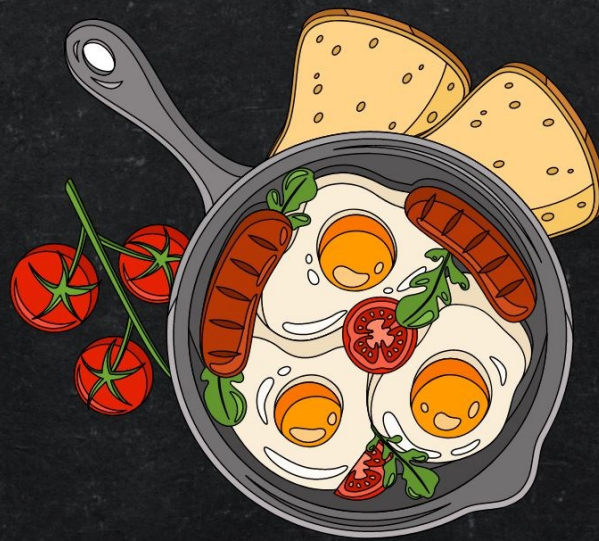
Bring a bike and a helmet.

All ages welcome.



Men's Breakfast

at Lifeworks Uniting Church



8am, Saturday 7th October

**Guest Speaker: Ps Peter Cole
(Blue Care Chaplain)**

**Please RSVP by 1st October to
minister@lifeworksuniting.org.au
or by text to Adam 0487 572 400**

**Gold coin donation welcome
615 Boundary St Glenvale**

LIFEWORKS UNITING CHURCH

August 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tues- day	Wednes- day	Thursday	Friday	Satur- day
6 8.30am Prayer in the meeting room 9am Service Holy Communion	7	8	9	10 10am Keenagers Morning tea Rev Adam Tipple sharing his story	11 7pm NEXT Youth Group	12
13 8.30am Prayer in the meeting room 9am Service Church Council Nomi- nations Open	14	15	16 7am Midweek online prayer 9.30am mainly music	17	18 7pm NEXT Youth Group	19 8am Lifeworks Working Bee
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