

New manse for Rockingham

Last year was a very busy year for the people of Rockingham Uniting Church.

In February our long serving and much loved minister, Revd Ian MacPherson, retired. For the remainder of the year Revd John Edwards and Pastor Laurence Sargeant provided ministry, ably supported by a team of lay leaders.

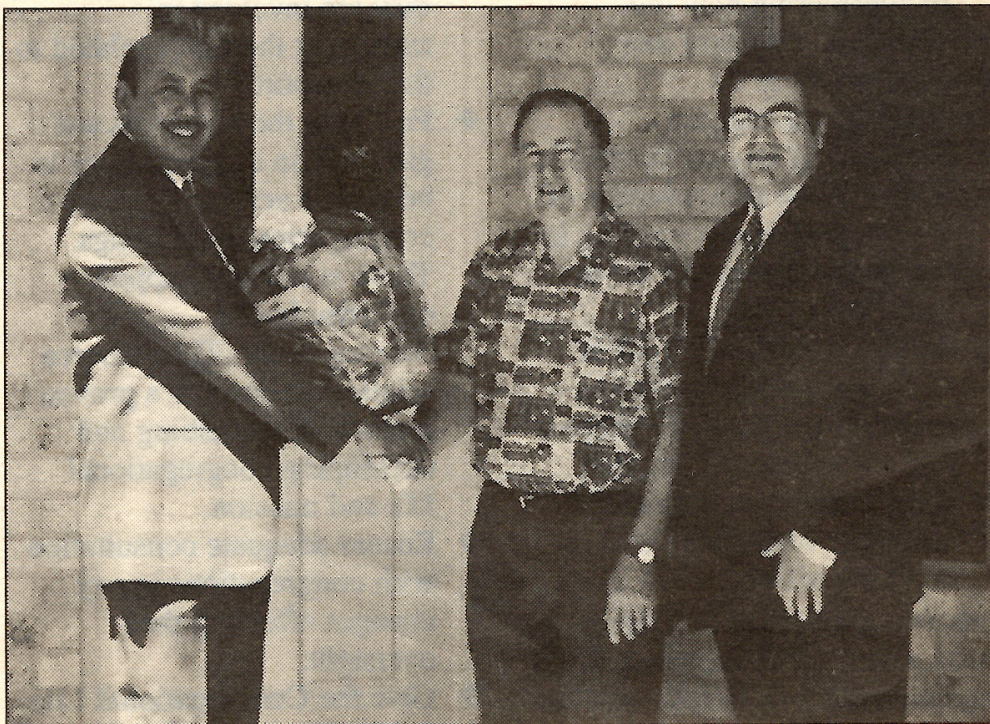
Our new minister, Revd Alan Jeffrey, was inducted last month.

A long held dream also came to fruition with the building of a new manse. Thanks to the sale of the old manse, careful

financial management, the generous support of our Op Shop, and the sacrificial giving of members, this has been achieved without recourse to a loan.

The builder, Jaxon Construction, provided a high quality building and completed the project ahead of schedule.

We also acknowledge the tireless work of our project director, Brian Williams, and the assistance of Presbytery of Peel property convenor, Bob Lockley, and synod property development manager, Peter Thomson.



Left to right – Ken Nair, senior consultant Jaxon Construction, Brian Williams, chairperson Rockingham Uniting Church, and Jules DiRosso, sales manager for Jaxon Construction.