



UNITING CHURCH IN AUSTRALIA  
Rockingham Congregation  
4 Erindoon Way, Waikiki 6169

# UPDATE

**SUNDAY 10<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at 9:30am**

Service conducted by Rev Zak Cronjé  
Please join us for morning tea following worship

## Welcome to Rockingham Uniting Church

Our hope is that all who come through our doors find Spiritual rest and nourishment, and that you will experience the presence of the living God in our midst.

### MISSION AND VISION

- ❖ We aim to be a diverse community with the crucified risen Lord Jesus Christ as our guiding light spreading the good news of reconciliation to all.
- ❖ We aim to welcome all newcomers, encourage spiritual growth in all members of the community, nurture faith in children and young people and care for those in need,
- ❖ We will strive to achieve this by committing ourselves to God through love, worship, prayer, bible study and diligent management of our time, talents and resources.

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<b>Opportunity Shop</b>	169 Parkin Street, Rockingham Phone 9527 4660 Monday to Friday: 10:00am to 3:00pm Saturday: 9:00am to 12:00noon

### **Bible Readings 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024:**

Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 51:1-12 or Psalm 119:9-16; Hebrews 5:5-10;  
John 12:20-33

## **ROCKINGHAM CONGREGATION**

Weekly Worship with Children's Activities each Sunday 9.30am (with Communion on First Sunday of each month).

### **Week's Events from 10<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

**Today 9:30am**

**Morning Worship Service:** led by Rev Zak Cronjé  
**Elder on Duty:** Helen Williams

**Today 11:00am**

**Music Practice**

**FOCUS** is available, please study it and bring it with you to the Church AGM next Sunday.

#### **Pastoral care**

Rev Samuel will be away from 4th to 16th March. Please get in touch with Rev Zak Cronjé or the elders regarding any pastoral concerns during this period.

**Tuesday 2:00pm**

#### **Rodney Buchan's funeral**

12<sup>th</sup> March at Rockingham Uniting Church  
Please come so we can share in respect for Rodney and celebrate his life.

#### **Bible Studies at the Church Hall**

Simon Cartwright will lead the Bible Studies at the church hall whilst Samuel is away. Please join us on Thursdays from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm to study the book of Mark together.

## **Coming Events**

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March: Worship Service at 9:30am** – conducted by Youth

**Church AGM** will be held on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

#### **Election of Elders**

The following Congregation members have nominated for the position of Elder at Rockingham Uniting Church Fellowship:  
Ken Paton, Sharon Ritchens, Simon Cartwright, Naibuka Laqere, and Kylie Harrison

**Op Shop AGM** will be held after the Church Congregation AGM on the 17th March 2024

**Women's Connect Group**

Wednesday March 20, 9:30am – 11:00am at the Church  
THE STORY by Randy Frazee  
Session 11

**Men's Group** will be held on 21<sup>st</sup> March at 10:00am at the Church.  
Topic: God and Suffering by Rev Samuel. Then every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday in the month.

**Youth and Children's games**

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 4:00pm – 7:00pm  
Ten Pin Bowling at Rockingham

**Program for the Pasion Week**

**Palm Sunday on 24<sup>th</sup> March**

**Passion Week from 25<sup>th</sup> March**

During this week (From 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> March). There will be 30mins reflection Service on the "***Jesus's words on the cross.***" This Service will be at the Church from 6:30 to 7pm.

**Maundy Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March**

We will have a service and a Passover meal all at the church hall. Kindly bring a snack to share during this Service. The Service will be from 6:30pm to 7:30pm.

**Good Friday Service, 29<sup>th</sup> March**

There will be a Service at 9:30pm on this day. Share a hot cross bun with a friend.

**Easter Dawn and Morning Service 31<sup>st</sup> March**

There will be Easter dawn service at about 6:15am (at sunrise time) at the west of the jetty in the foreshore which is opposite the spill the beans café at the corner of Fisher Street. This service is open to all, invite a friend to join us. In addition, we will have our Service **Sunday service at our Church at 9:30am.**

**Mission Shaped Ministry (MSM)**

The MSM is a one-year course on how to start and sustain a Fresh Expression of church. It's about how to re-invent church for 21st century culture. MSM 2024 will be held face to face over four weekends: April 27-28, June 22-23, August 24-25 and October 26-27. Each of these Saturdays at Mt Pleasant Uniting Church and Sundays at Nedland Uniting Church. You need to attend both days and all four weekends to fully participate. We want to register all who are willing to participate. Kindly contact Simon Cartwright to register if you would like to participate fully in this.

## Notices

**In your prayers** remember the lands and people of Scandinavia.

**Op Shop - Furniture Shed.** We urgently require assistance to operate this vital service. From 10:00am to 2.30pm, 1 day per week. Training provided. Contact: Rob Skeet 0438 986 204.

### **Collection of Data:**

We would like to compile the day and month of each member as part of our record to help us celebrate your birthday with you. We will provide a sheet on Sunday to collect this information.

If you want to watch the live-streaming of our Sunday service, simply follow this link:

[https://www.facebook.com/RockinghamUnitingChurch/videos/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/RockinghamUnitingChurch/videos/?ref=page_internal)

Otherwise, you can go to Facebook and search Rockingham Uniting Church.

<b>Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024</b>	
<b>Bus Driver</b>	Kylie Harrison 0415 744 496
<b>Reader</b>	Youth
<b>Elder &amp; Announcements</b>	Cam Crothers
<b>Stewards</b>	Shirley Garrod & John Burns
<b>Communion Stewards</b>	
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Lenette Taylor & Christina Harman
<b>Accompanist</b>	Michael Baker
<b>AV System</b>	Niclas Hanisch & Adrian Graetz
<b>KUCA</b>	Rachael Thaiyalan

Four week averages: 67 Adults, 2 Children