



Morning Worship: Roster

	7 th November 2021	14 th November 2021
Leader	Rev Jean Shannon	Colin Manley
Music	Elizabeth Prosser	Rosemary Akesson
Duty Elder	Shirley McLennan	Corinne Nicolson
Stewards	Iris Ballard & Meryll Davey	Ana Topic & Anne Olinsky
Reader	Rev. John Blair	Ailsa Liffman
Pastoral Prayer	Shirley McLennan	Corinne Nicolson
Morning Tea	Robyn Herdegen & Merle Evans	Meryll Davey & Iris Ballard
Projection	Ailsa Liffman	Tony Olinsky
Lectionary	Ruth 3: 1-5, 4: 13-17 Hebrews 9: 24-28 Mark 12: 38-44	1 Samuel 1: 4-20 Hebrews 10: 11-14,(15-18),19-25 Mark 13: 1-8

Regular Activities

Morning Worship: 1st, 2nd, 4th, & 5th Sunday/month: - 10am

Holy Communion: 3rd Sunday/month - 10am and at Wyndham - 2:30pm

Tura Beach Op Shop: Open Monday to Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm

Fellowship Group: No longer meeting formally. Informal lunches to continue

Uniting Church Tai Chi 108: Thursday 10-11am in the hall. Contact Shirley

Uniting Church Dance Group: Tuesday evenings at 7 pm and Friday mornings at 9 am Contact John Tanner: 0428 957 165 for details.

Church Bring-and-Share Brunch - 28th November

Birthdays this week:

Jeff Haynes - 9th

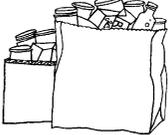


A hearing induction loop is installed in the church. It will connect automatically to newer hearing aids, but those with older aids may need to manually switch to the 'T' telecoil setting.

For those who would like to make their offering via regular direct bank transfer, our banking details for Giving Direct are: **Acc Name** Sapphire Coast Uniting Church **BSB** 634-634 **Acc No** 100037934

The Duty Roster December 2021, January 2022 and February 2022 will be prepared in the coming weeks. Could you please indicate and absences on the sheet on the notice board. Thanks.

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We will be making up Christmas food hampers again this year for people in our community. Non-perishables can be left at the front of the church during November for distribution in early to mid-December

Diary Dates:

- **25th November** - Church Council AGM and General Meeting
- **28th November** - Dedication of Memorial Wall followed by a Bring & Share Church Luncheon
- **2nd December** - CVS/UnitingCare Merimbula General Meeting
- **5th December** - Hymnfest, after which those who are able can help put up Christmas lights outside the church.

Memorial Wall Now that the initial order of bricks for the wall have been installed, there has been some further interest in ordering bricks. We now plan to send off another order at the end of November. If you, or someone you know, wishes to place an order, forms are available from the church office or on the noticeboard. Please pass completed forms, with payment, to Royce.



DISCIPLESHIP THOUGHT

When the Psalmist says, 'It is in vain that you rise up early and go late to rest, eating the bread of anxious toil'. It could be speaking to our time as much as the ancient world of thousands of years ago. With many of us working all the hours our employers demand in order to hopefully keep our jobs in an uncertain labour market or, working in an unstable economy with no guarantee of enough shifts to pay the bills from week to week, the bread of anxious toil is bitter in our mouths. How can your faith community lobby government for a fairer work environment that gives support to employees and curbs exploitation? What would it mean to speak on behalf of workers?