

Called to...



**Newsletter
3 February**

Last week we prayed for all teachers/staff/volunteers/students who commenced the new year. I wonder if anyone was 'called' into the Principals office?

I wonder if you 'called' anyone on the phone to see how their first day at school went?

Have you 'called' in to visit someone sick or lonely recently?

Have you had your airbags in your car 're-called' because of a safety issue?

Has your GP doctor 'called' in a specialist for further tests?

This word 'called' can be used in terms of a summons, to communicate, or to make some transaction. When we talk about God calling us, what does this word actually mean? Over the next four weeks we will be exploring

"Being called..."

as a summons on our life to serve, a means of communication with God and making a transaction of sharing Christ with those who need to hear and experience the Good News.

Called to... love

Called to... obey

Called to... joy

Called to... goodness

This Sunday let us discover or rediscover what being called to love is all about, for us personally and for people in our community.

Rev Catherine Solomon

The Walk to Emmaus is a spiritual renewal program that thousands of people around the world have undertaken to renew their heart, mind, soul and strength. It serves the individual and returns them to their local church closer to Jesus. The Gold Coast Community is holding walks in May. If you are interested in finding out more, ask around for someone at Elanora who is part of the community, or visit www.goldcoast.emmaus.org.au



MEETING NOTICE!

LEISURE TIME

meets here every Wednesday during school terms, from 9^{am} until 12^{noon}. Classes are open to the whole local community and visitors, and about 250 people attend every week. It is a great time for fellowship & outreach. There are about 34 electives to choose from – ranging from beading to painting – and all teachers are volunteers. Costs are low: \$2 to register and \$5 for each time you attend a class. Feel free to come along one Wednesday – a hostess will show you around to see what's available. Enquiries to Lynda on 0417 657 997 or Ros on 0466 328 279 www.elanorauniting.com.au

The Elanora Uniting Church Adult Fellowship Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday 4th February at 9.30^{am} for 10^{am}, followed by the monthly meeting - all welcome.

Free to a good home!

We have two 4-drawer filing cabinets to give away. One is cream, the other is brown.

Please contact Dianne Malimonenko if you would like one!
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REMINDERS:

- 8 February: "The Odd Couple" 7:30^{pm}
- 11 February: Church Council 6:00^{pm}
- 13 February: Cooina AGM 1:15^{pm}

