# 25<sup>h</sup> February 2024 A caring community with Christ



### **WORSHIP**

Elanora Service - Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February 9.00am preacher - Rebekah Munn

**Readings** – Mark 8:31-38 Romans 4:13-25

Facebook, Website & YouTube for online access.

You tube link for Sunday https://youtube.com/live/jmtl2cuXpmk?feature=share

Currumbin Valley Service 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays at 5pm

### What's on this Week.

TODAY after church morning tea in Wollemi Hall.

**4pm Lent Bible Study** Robinson Hall "The Great Restoration Project" Study groups have commenced but it's not too late to join in. See Rhonda Coleman for details.

5pm Currumbin Valley church service

Monday 5pm Church Council Meeting in Daintree room

**Cooinda,** our own craft and coffee shop opening hours 9 -1pm. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

**Community Food Pantry** situated at the end of Cooinda's veranda and open Tuesday & Wednesday 10-1pm and Thursday 9.30-11

Carpenter's Workshop 8-12 Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

**Leisuretime Wednesday 9am -12** Art, craft and fellowship Many electives to choose from and new members are always welcome. **Trading table** for preloved clothing, books and bric a brac is open from 8am and is accessable to all whether or not attending Leisuretime.

**Prayer meeting Thursday** 8.30am in the church. Come and pray with us.

#### **COMING EVENTS**

March 1<sup>st</sup> World Day of Prayer 9am at St. Paul's Anglican church in Palm Beach

Avenue. This year the women of Palestine have arranged the service.

March 15<sup>th</sup> Solo hearts for women living alone. First meeting for this year is to be 12

noon for lunch at Cooinda then every third Friday of the month. For more information, please contact Jan on 5598 8005 or Elvira 5522 4290.

April 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3rd Christian Day Camp for year 4-7 students. Here at Elanora Uniting.

More details and the way to be involved will be given a little closer to the time. In the meantime, please pray for this ministry being organised by the local

school chaplains. Speak to Chappy Rob for more information.

**April 20th** Autumn Fair 8am – 2pm More details soon!



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Spare a thought for the two hard working volunteers who amongst other responsibilities, do the mowing. At present, while the grass is growing at a great rate, they are hamstrung as the elderly ride on mower is in dock waiting for new parts.

Robinson Hall is now boasting 4 new ceiling fans. The full cost has been covered by an anonymous donation.

**RETIREMENT UNIT SOON TO BE AVAILABLE** Are you thinking about downsizing and perhaps considering a retirement village? Blue Care Elanora Gardens right next door to the church, will have units available in the near future. If you would like to be part of this small, friendly community, call the village manager Michael Dafel on 0455 782 188 for more information.

**SAFE MINISTRY TRAINING** Newlife Robina is conducting its annual Safe Ministry training for volunteers and staff and is open to congregations in the South Moreton Presbytery. **This is an important event for all volunteers and staff involved in ministering to under-18s and vulnerable individuals.** Congregation training is recommended every two years.

The evening will primarily focus on Module 2 of Safe Ministry, with dedicated spaces for team interactions, allowing participants to connect with other church volunteers and staff. To ensure everyone is on the same page, all attendees are required to have completed Module One of Safe Ministry before they attend the face-to-face training session.

DATE: Thursday 29 February

TIME: 7pm - 9pm

LOCATION: Church Auditorium | Newlife Robina, 4 Greenwich Court Robina

Register before 26 February 2024

To register or for more information, contact the Presbytery Office Phone: (07) 3807

7421Email: office@southmoreton.org.au

As part of our mission to be a caring community with Christ, we are committed to pray for one another and the wider community.

This week we pray for Shari & Andrew Gault, Gail & David Gilbert, Cath Gould, Heather Greenway, Kristen & Rob Greenwood, Helen Hall, Amanda Harmsworth, Byron Harmsworth

We are called to be good stewards of all the resources God has given us. Our time, our energy, our possessions. Financially, our offerings are used to both maintain our property, a full-time minister, and to fulfil our legal and financial responsibilities, as well as maintaining support for chaplaincy in schools, and our obligation to contribute our share to Synod Mission Support and the redress scheme. If you would like more details, speak to our Treasurer Pam Ganderton.

Offerings may be made via the basket or square at the back of the church or by direct debit to either of the following:

UCA Southern Gold Coast General Working Account Dwell Hub
BSB: 334-040 A/C 553 861 193 BSB 034 604

Sunday offerings: Or cash in the box or Taxable A/C 426 972 A/C 553 861 206 EFTPOS as you leave. Donation A/C 426 980

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