

10th March 2024
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NEWSLETTER



WORSHIP

Elanora Service - Sunday 10th March 9.00am preacher – Rebekah Munn

Readings –

Facebook, Website & YouTube for online access.

You tube link for Sunday <https://youtube.com/live/3IfX7rYvUI4?feature=share>

Currumbin Valley Service 2nd and 4th Sundays at 5pm

What's on this Week.

TODAY after church If you are visiting us today, please join us for 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.

Friday March 15th **Solo hearts** for women living alone. 12 noon for lunch at Cooina. For more information, please contact Jan on 5598 8005 or Elvira 5522 4290.

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

Community Food Pantry situated at the end of Cooina'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 accessible to all whether or not attending Leisuretime.

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

This week please especially pray for Mary-Ellen, Geoff and Ethan Klem, Kerri & Andrew Koczanowski, Miranda & Danny Korn, Michele Lake, Sue & Richard Larson, Catherine & David Lockie, Shirley & Ian Lord, Ella & John Luxton, Liz, Kate & Sarah Mahon.

VOLUNTEERS The church office is staffed 4 days a week – Tuesday to Friday 9-12. Each of our current volunteers are rostered for one morning a week. While this is working well, we really need one or two more ladies (or men) to work an occasional shift to cover when staff are away. If you are computer literate (basic), have a clear and friendly phone manner, and a welcoming presence to people dropping in, this could be just the area of service you are looking for. Full training will be given as needed. See Di Malimonenko for more information or give her a call on 0400 351 281



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LIFE AND WITNESS CONSULTATION – ELANORA and CURRUMBIN VALLEY CHURCH

Paper surveys to be completed and returned to the church office, or to the sealed box at the back of the church, by next Sunday 17th.

The Presbytery Team, Debra Pinkerton, Brad Foote and Rev John Hopping will be attending our church service next Sunday and will be available for one-on-one conversations following the service. They will also be available on Monday 18th. Appointment sheets located on offering table and in church office

COMING EVENTS

Church A G M March 24th following the worship service. If you have any items you wish to raise at the AGM, please let Carol Bell or the Church office know a.s.a.p.

Christian Day Camp for year 4-7 students. **April 2nd & 3rd** 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.

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

SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

Did you know that the government funds just over 1 day a week to have a Chaplain in a State School? Elanora State School want to keep a Chaplain in the school for 5 days a week but to do this, fundraising is necessary. While we as a church are committed to support, there is also the opportunity for individuals to contribute on a regular monthly basis. To this end, Chappy Rob has made available a card showing how you can be involved in this vital ministry. Cards are available on the table at the back of the church and in the church office.

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 school 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
BSB: 334-040
Sunday offerings:
A/C 553 861 206

General Working Account
A/C 553 861 193
Or cash in the box or
EFTPOS as you leave.

Dwell Hub
BSB 034 604
Taxable A/C 426 972
Donation A/C 426 980

