



**PAYNEHAM ROAD
UNITING CHURCH
22 MARCH 2020
LENT 4**



Come, enjoy our multicultural church

10am Worship led by Rev Do Young Kim

Blessed are they who wash hands, for they shall hold living water;

**Blessed are those who keep their distance,
for they shall draw closer to God;**

Blessed are the who self-quarantine, for they shall help others;

Blessed are those who do not hoard, for they shall feed families;

**Blessed are those who sing songs to sheltering neighbours,
for they shall be members of the heavenly host;**

**Blessed are parents who learn how to teach at home,
for they shall learn from their children;**

**Blessed are they who shop for older folks, for they shall receive
everlasting thanks; Blessed are the front-line health workers,
for they shall be called healers of humanity.**

(From Thom M. Shuman)

BIBLE READINGS for 29 March Lent 5

Ez 37:1-14

Ps 130

Rom 8:6-11

Jn 11:1-45

The liturgical colour for is PURPLE


Purple can symbolize pain, suffering, and therefore mourning and penitence. It is the liturgical colour for the Season of Lent.

There will be a Congregational Meeting next Sunday, 29 March, 2020, after the 10am Service. Please mark this in your diaries. Annual Report is now available.

There will be NO POT LUCK LUNCHEON next week

Dear my beloved friends,

*I wish to acknowledge that as we walk this wilderness journey, as we continue to work our way through very uncertain and unprecedented days, something much stranger, at once more mysterious and more hopeful, is going on. There are real fears and anxieties that comes with physical or emotional distancing. However, Tom Wright says that “the chaos and misery of this suffering world is, it seems, the raw material out of which the loving, wise and just God is making his new creation.” When we look back, we can see that God is always working in uncertainty. There must be something unexpected grace. The world doesn’t know the answer, but our continuing journey with God is written so that we certainly will. We are now faced with fear, but we will encounter new graces that we never expected. **That will be unexpected.** Let us hold the word of God close and remember that we are loved. Hear then, “It is well with my soul.”*

Blessings, Do Young 

eGiving and COVID-19

As our Congregation dwindles due to absences because of COVID-19, it is important to keep our Offerings flowing as bills still have to be paid. To make it easier for Members of our Congregation, it is an ideal time to switch to eGiving rather than putting an envelope in the Offering Plate.

Contact David and he can give you a form to fill-in and send into the Synod Office.

INDONESIAN COMMUNITY



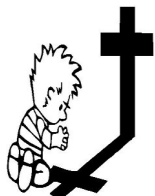
We were privileged to enjoy the company of this amazing group of talented singers and musicians., last Sunday. They had many of us up and dancing. You will be glad to hear we have invited them to hold a fund raiser for us later in the year. Thank you to Robin for arranging the visit of this group.

RUBBER BAND PRACTICE

Practice will continue on Saturday mornings but there will be **no Sunday practices** until further notice.



PLEASE PRAY FOR



..... our members & friends struggling with ill health, especially remember in your prayers:- Betty Nunnan, Marj Green, Andrew Randall, Ray Williams, Judy Murdock, Doug Faulkner, Bill & Grace Handcock, Bob & Beth Rankine, Roger Wyatt, Jackie & Ray Gabell, Dennis Henschke, Heather Schubert.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Mery Hovkyn (2nd), Richard Yun (2nd), Youngsoon Kim (6th), Brenton Taylor, 80th (13th), Hannah Park (20th), Judy Robertson (24th), Michelle Park (31st)



WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Jackie & Ray Gabell - 69 years on 11th

Bill & Grace Hancock - 70 years on 11th

EASTER SIGHTS & SOUNDS - SPICER UNITING CHURCH

Journey into the heart of the Easter story as told in the Gospel of Luke.
Please see the noticeboards in the Hall or Marj Fooks Room.

CANCELLED

Hymn Festival—Scheduled 24 May

POSTPONED
until further notice

Easter 2020 Services at Payneham Road UC

5 April Palm Sunday: Normal Sunday morning Service time, 10.00am.

9 April Maundy Thursday: **CANCELLED**

10 April Good Friday: 9.00am Service—Minister: Rev. Doug Hosking

12 April Easter Day: 10.00am Service Minister: Rev. Doug Hosking



If you are feeling unwell or have a temperature, please do not attend church for the safety of yourself and others. Rev. Do Young.

DIARY DATES

MARCH

Sunday	22	10am	Church Service	Chapel
Tuesday	24	6.30pm	Church Council	Marj Fooks Room
Saturday	28	11am	Rubber Band Practice	Chapel
Sunday	29	10am	Church Service	Chapel
		11am	Congregational Meeting	Chapel

APRIL

Saturday	04	11am	Rubber Band Practice	Chapel
Sunday	05	3.00am	Daylight Savings Ends	
Sunday	05	10am	Church Service	Chapel
Sunday 05 April 11am			EASTER STALL by Craft Group	Hall

**Please note there will be NO Morning Tea
after church for the next few weeks**

ROSTERED	22 MARCH	29 MARCH
MINISTER	Rev Doug Hosking	Council
ORGANIST	Peter	Sue Y
MINISTER'S HELPER	Rhonda	Russell
READER	Ailini	Robin
WELCOME, OFFERING & COUNT	Rhonda & Sarah	Lois & Rose
FLOWERS	Gwenda	Cynthia
SOUND SYSTEM	David H	David H
OFFERING COUNT	Heather & David	Cynthia & Sarah
MORNING TEA	n/a	n/a

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