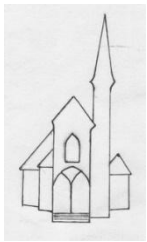


Rosters



Readers

10 Aug: Josh Meadows

17 Aug: Teeshia Fitzgerald

Morning tea (Castlemaine)

10 Aug: Thirla Frankling, Peter Cole

17 Aug: Linda Rowe, Annie Hunter

Flowers (Castlemaine)

10 Aug: Bev Campbell

17 Aug: Lyn McCredden

Counting money

10 Aug: Barbara Wayn, Lyn Ellery

17 Aug: Karyn Moloney, Thirla Frankling

Elders on duty

Aug: Karyn Moloney, Bev Campbell



Readers (Harcourt)

10 Aug: Stephen

17 Aug: Jan

Cleaning, morning tea (Harcourt)

Aug: Jan & friends

Flowers (Harcourt)

Aug: Marie



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Parish Minister

Rev Sarah Tomilson

Phone: 0433 508 315 (not Monday)

Castlemaine District Uniting Church recognises that
we meet on Dja Dja Wurrung Country. We
acknowledge their Elders with respect and pray for
reconciliation and justice for all First Peoples.

10 August 2025

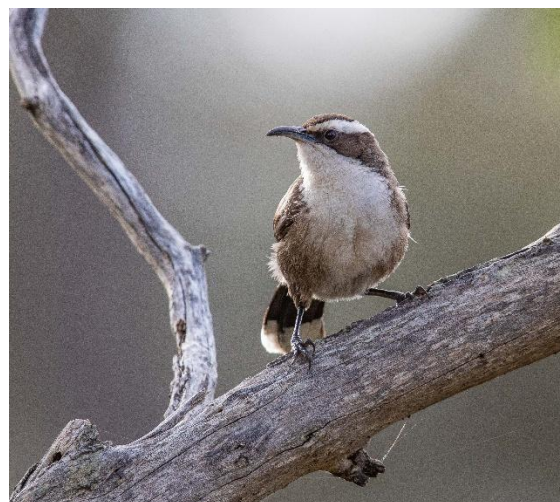
Ninth Sunday of Pentecost

Services

Rev Sarah Tomilson

9am at Harcourt Uniting Church

10.30am at Castlemaine Uniting Church



Readings

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20

Psalm 50

Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Luke 12:32-40

This week

Tues: **Prayer meeting**, C'maine Church, 11am

Wed: **Dad's Army** cuppa, Garden Shed
Castlemaine Church, 10am

Wed: **Afternoon tea**, Castlemaine (see Margot Foley for details)

Thurs: **Newstead Congregational Coffee**, Dig Café, Newstead, 1.30pm

Fri: **Harcourt Coffee Hour**, Harcourt General Store, 10am

Fri: **Peace vigil labyrinth walk** at Christ Church Anglican, 5pm, a joint Anglican and Uniting Church initiative

Sat 16th: **Sipwell**, Castlemaine chapel, 5pm

Prayer

We hold in prayer and love: Meryl Jenkins, Jim & Janet Trudgeon, Brendan Walker, Keith Loiterton, Robyn Yeoward, Karyn Moloney, Bev & Wes Campbell, Ian & Alleyne Hockley, Adrian & Alison Pegler.

Please let Sarah know if you wish to be removed from the prayer list. If you know of someone in need of prayer, please speak to Sarah or one of the elders. Also, always ask permission before suggesting someone for the prayer list. Blessings, Sarah

Farewell Father Wahid

Father Wahid Riad is leaving St Mary's Catholic church to go to Gisborne and Lancefield. His final mass will be next Sunday (17 August) at 10.30am. Everyone is invited to a farewell gathering with refreshments in St Mary's hall, cnr Hargraves and Lyttleton streets at 1pm.

Sermons online

If you want to catch up on a sermon you missed (or would like to hear again), they're online at <https://soundcloud.com/uca-castlemaine/tracks> and <https://castlemaine.ucavictas.org.au/news/>

Nalderun food share

Mon 11 Aug is the next Nalderun food share day. Fruit and veg donations appreciated. Check with Fay RE delivery: 0447 576 642.

Sipwell

Sipwell's August gathering will be on Sat 16 Aug in the chapel, 5pm to 6.30, with the option to stay for shared tea afterwards. We will dip into another of Matthew Fox's creation spirituality pathways. This month it is the Via (pathway) Creativa: what may it mean for our creative lives? For more info or to join the Sipwell mailing list, contact Fay on 0447 576 642 or faymariewhite@gmail.com

Landscapers

[Landscapers](#) is an exhibition of paintings by Carol Swain and Karima Baadilla at Artpuff, studio 38 at the Mill, Castlemaine. Exhibition runs 14–31 Aug. Opening celebrations on Friday 15 Aug, 5–7pm. All welcome. Lovely to see you there. Cheers, Carol and Karima.

<https://artpuff.com.au/shows/>

Photography exhibition

The Mount Alexander Photographic Society's exhibition is on now at the Taproom at the Mill. Features work by Anthony Meade, whose bird photos often appear in this new sheet. The exhibition will run throughout August.

Crosslight

The latest edition of the Uniting Church's news magazine [Crosslight](#), is out now and can be picked up (free) in our church foyers.

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Front pic: White-browed babbler by Geoff Park, [Natural Newstead](#)

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