

Rosters



Readers

7 Sept: Lyn McCredden

14 Sept: Coral Cooper

Morning tea (Castlemaine)

7 Sept: Lorna Burton, Margaret Rees Jones

14 Sept: Margaret Boyle, Helen Johnstone

Flowers (Castlemaine)

7 Sept: Margaret Rees Jones

14 Sept: Margot Foley

Counting money

7 Sept: Peter Cole, Jim Foley

14 Sept: Stephen Connelly, John Boyle

Elders on duty

Sept: Thirla Frankling, Helen Johnstone



Readers (Harcourt)

7 Sept: Frances C

14 Sept: Peter P

Cleaning, morning tea (Harcourt)

Sept: Marie & friends

Flowers (Harcourt)

Sept: Diane



Castlemaine District Uniting Church

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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.

7 September 2025

Thirteenth Sunday of Pentecost
Communion Sunday
Season of Creation

Services

Rev Sarah Tomilson
9am at Harcourt Uniting Church
10.30am at Castlemaine Uniting Church



Readings

Isaiah 32:14-18

Psalms 139

Philemon 1:1-21

Luke 14:25-33

This week

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

Tues: **Harcourt leadership meeting**, 1.30pm

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

Thurs: **Newstead congregation 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

Prayer

We hold in prayer and love: Helen Johnstone,
Merle 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

Parish council report

A [report](#) from the recent Parish Council meeting
is available on the church website's News page
<https://castlemaine.ucavictas.org.au/news/>

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/>

Church members list

We would like to circulate the membership list
to everyone in church. This is partly to help our
elders and pastoral care team keep in touch,
but also for everyone to know who is part of the
church and to help us all be better connected.

Please let Sarah know if you don't want to be
on the circulated list. Or if you'd like your name
only and no other contact details. We'll circulate
the list at the end of September. 0433 508 315.

Name tags

If anyone would like a name tag, please let
Teeshia know. She will be placing an order
soon. Also, as all those who are involved within
ministry of the Uniting Church are required to
have a Working with Children card, if you are
involved in any church ministry, please let
Teeshia know if you have a valid Working with
Children card.

Seasons of creation

We are marking the Season of Creation during
September, through until Sunday 5 October,
when we will have the Blessing of the Animals.
This year's theme is Peace with Creation. It's a
time for us to join Christians all over the world
in prayer and action for our earth.

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Front pic: Restless flycatcher at Joyce's Creek, 25
Aug 2025, Geoff Park, [Natural Newstead](#)

Contact

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