

Rosters



Morning tea (Castlemaine)

28 June: Lyn McCredden, Terry McCredden

5 July: Carol Swain, Helen Johnstone

Flowers (Castlemaine)

28 June: Margot Foley

5 July: Painting by Wes Campbell

Collection counting (Castlemaine)

28 June: Marilyn Thompson, Bev Straw

5 July: Peter Cole, Jim Foley

Elders on duty

June: Simon Biggs, Helen Johnstone

July: Martha Ruth Hills, Teeshia Fitzgerald



Readers (Harcourt)

28 June: Frances

5 July: Robyn Y

Cleaning, morning tea (Harcourt)

Jan & friends

Flowers (Harcourt)

Diane



Castlemaine District Uniting Church

consisting of the churches of Castlemaine and Harcourt
and the faith communities Sipwell and Yandoit Sacred

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.

28 June 2026

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Rev Sarah Tomilson

9am at Harcourt

10.30am at Castlemaine



Readings

Genesis 22:1-14

Psalm 13

Romans 6:12-23

Matthew 10:40-42

This week

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

Tues: **Divers** (formerly Baptism) discussion group, C'maine Chapel, 4.30pm

Wed: **Men's group**, Garden Shed, C'maine Church, 10am

Wed: **Crafty Ladies**, Parish Office (aka 'The Manse'), 1.30pm

Wed: **Mature imaginations** workshop, C'maine Chapel, 5pm

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

Fri: **Peace vigil** labyrinth walk, meet at the labyrinth at the Anglican Church, 4.30pm



Harcourt meeting

The Harcourt half-yearly congregational meeting will happen after the service on Sunday 12 July.

Sermons online

You can listen back to sermons online at <https://soundcloud.com/uca-castlemaine/tracks> and <https://castlemaine.ucavictas.org.au/news/>

Prayer

We hold in prayer and love: Gretchen Hillhouse, Margaret & John Boyle, Beth Norris, Bev Padgham and family, Keith Loiterton, Deane and Marie Belfield, everyone affected by the Harcourt bushfires, Tony Meade's friends and family, Ray Stevenson, Merle Jenkins, Bev & Wes Campbell, Ian & Alleyne Hockley, Adrian & Alison Pegler, George Milford, Peter Cole.

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. Thank you, Sarah

Mature imaginations

'Mature imaginations: Exploring spirituality and the adult life.' Faith doesn't exist in a vacuum. This workshop series will look at how spirituality develops and what influences it as we journey through adult life. What are the challenges we face? What are the transitions we make? How can we connect across generations? Join the discussion over four Wednesdays in July. Starts 1 July, ends 29 July (excludes 15 July) 5pm to 6pm. Facilitated by Simon Biggs PhD, AFBPS (ph 0439 007 093) and Rev Sarah.

Annie's book launch

The launch of Annie Hunter's poetry collection, *Brood Chamber*, will happen at the Coolroom of the Northern Arts Hotel, 359 Barker Street, Castlemaine, on Sat 4 July from 7pm. More info on the notice board (Castlemaine) and at <https://events.humanitix.com/brood-chamber>

Contact

If you have information for next week's news sheet, please contact Josh Meadows: joshuameadows@bigpond.com

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