This Sunday @ BCUC

17th June — Communion

A Divine Makeover

9:00am Contemporary and 10:30am Classic : Rev Rob Williams 10:30am Café : Ian Olver

1 Sam 15:34-16:13; Psalm 20; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17; Mark 4:26-34

UPCOMING WEEK @ BCUC

Monday 18th June Thursday 21st June

10:00am mainly music 9:30am Craft, Chat & Sew 2:00pm Monday Communion 12noon Friendship Club

6:oopm Worship & Music Ministry

Tuesday 19th June 7:30pm Choir practice

9:30am Ladies Table Tennis

9:30am Playgroup Friday 22nd June 6:30pm Kid's Club

Wednesday 20th June

7:45am Prayer Meeting Saturday 23rd June
9:30am Prayer Meeting 5:00pm Family Fun @ 5

Next Sunday @ BCUC

24th June

Glimpses of the Future

9:00am Contemporary and 10:30am Classic : Rev Dr. Gary Stuckey 10:30am Café : Rev Rob Williams

1 Sam 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23) 32-49 or 1 Sam 17:57-18:5, 10-16; Psalm 9:9-20 or 133; 2 Corinthians 6:1-13; **Mark 4:35-41**

Prayer Requests: prayer@burnsidecityuc.org.au



Sunday 17th June 2018

WELCOME

Please stay for a cup of tea or coffee after the service, so that we can get to know each other better.



If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation!
2 Corinthians 5:17

Ministry Team Contacts

Supply Minister: Rev Dr. Gary Stuckey 0437 708 183 Minister in Association: Rev Rob Williams 0424 123 171 All Ministers are available for Pastoral Care as required

Youth Coordinator: Ben Randall $\,$ 0403 369 154

Administrator: Deb Mugford Tuesday & Thursday 9am-2:30pm

Administration Assistant: Stuart MacAdam Monday & Wednesday 9am-2:30pm

Office Hours - 9am-12 noon Monday to Thursday

A Vibrant Community, Committed to Jesus,
Passionately Engaged in Mission

A MESSAGE FROM ROB

2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17

When we become followers of Jesus, either suddenly, or slowly over the years, we experience a profound change. All things are new and exciting and old things are seen from a new perspective. We no longer see people from a human point of view. New spiritual depths are plumbed and new resources for living become available through the Holy Spirit at work in us. If that were not so, many of us would have slipped back into a befuddled apathy towards Jesus years ago.

Believers don't see themselves as living fully right now in the kingdom of God. We do recognise we have been caught up in a new way of seeing and living, of respecting ourselves as God's children, of treating each other lovingly, and of reaching out in love to those who are still trapped in the ways of the world around us.

This newness is particularly clear to new Christians who have had no previous church experience. For them the contrasts are dramatic. The whole world looks different. A new abundant life, teeming with possibilities, opens up before them.

For those brought up in the faith since childhood, the contrast between the old creation and the new isn't as sharp. We can be lulled into taking the miracle of saving grace for granted while newcomers are on cloud nine with Jesus!

It's helpful for long term Christians, to have close encounters with brand new Christians to make us stop dead in our tracks, look around again at the old world and its negatives and marvel at the privilege that has become ours.

The JNC process is progressing and are in preparation to have conversations with at least one prospective minister in coming weeks. Your continual prayer support for both the committee and possible ministers is valued as God's will for His ministers and BCUC is discerned.

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will. Romans 12: 2 NIV

THIS WEEK'S NEWS & NOTICES

Family Fun @ 5

is next **Saturday June 23rd**. Our theme is "Who climbed the tree?". Families and children are welcome and so are extra helpers welcoming people, helping in the kitchen, assisting children with crafts, serving drinks, setting up and tidying up. A photographer would also be a great help. Sign up forms are in the Foyer. If you have any questions ask Heather Walraven or Chris Lake.

Refugee Week, June 17-23

This week pray for an end to the injustice, war and persecution that has forced 65.6 million people from their homes, worldwide. Pray for the coming of God's Kingdom of peace, mercy, truth and justice.

Dr Jon's Pantry - Come and Taste...

some of our specialty produce! A tasting will be held next **Sunday June 24th** after each service. Quince Jelly, Persimmon Jam, Lemon & Lime marmalade, and Fruit Chutney.

BICC Quiz Night

Raising funds for Chaplaincy in local schools. The Burnside Inter-Church Council is hosting its annual Quiz night at BCUC on Friday, July 27th at 7pm. Tickets are \$20 and are available from Rex King; BYO drinks, nibbles, & coins.

Oodnadatta Church Building Appeal

Donations can be made by EFT direct to: BSB - 704095, Account # - 193668, Account name - "Oodnadatta Building Fund".

Hizbiz a Men's Group

All gentlemen welcome to share a 12 noon lunch (a) the Marryatville Hotel on **Tuesday June 26th**. Contact Rex or Leigh if attending.

Kids Club

BCUC Kids Club is a group for children in school year 3-6. Next night will be Friday June 22nd, 6:30pm—8:30pm. Come along for games, Bible story and craft concluding with supper. Cost \$4. Speak to Ben Randall for more information.

UnitingWorld

is currently running a June campaign to fund their projects in East & West Timor, Indonesia, India, and Zimbabwe. For every one dollar given, the Australian Government adds five dollars. Envelopes are on the table in the foyer.

Mid Week Communion

A communion service will be held Monday **June 18th at 2pm** in the Chapel. All are invited.

Please e-mail articles for the BCUC weekly news to Stuart MacAdam at info@burnsidecityuc.org.au no later than 12noon on Tuesday