



Burnside City
Uniting Church
Community, Faith and Purpose

This Sunday @ BCUC

27th January

The Body of Christ: Where the Spirit lives^{ab}

9:00am Contemporary, 10:30am Café : Rev Trevor Klar

A Congregation Revolt – or Revolting?^c

10:30am Classic : Keith Maynard

Nehemiah 8:1-10; Psalm 19^a; 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a^b; Luke 4:14-21^c

Sunday 27th January 2019

WELCOME

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

Upcoming Week @ BCUC

Tuesday 29th January

9:30am Ladies Table Tennis

9:30am Playgroup

6:00pm Hizbiz

7:00pm Church Council Meeting

Friday 1st February

7:00pm Benji's Induction

Sunday 3rd February

12noon Prayer Meeting

Thursday 31st January

9:30am Craft, Chat & Sew

12noon Friendship Club

6:00pm Worship & Music Ministry

7:30pm Choir practice

Next Sunday @ BCUC

3rd February

Love Is...^b

9:00am Contemporary, 10:30am Classic : Rev Rob Williams

What is your excuse?^a

10:30am Café : Merle Paton

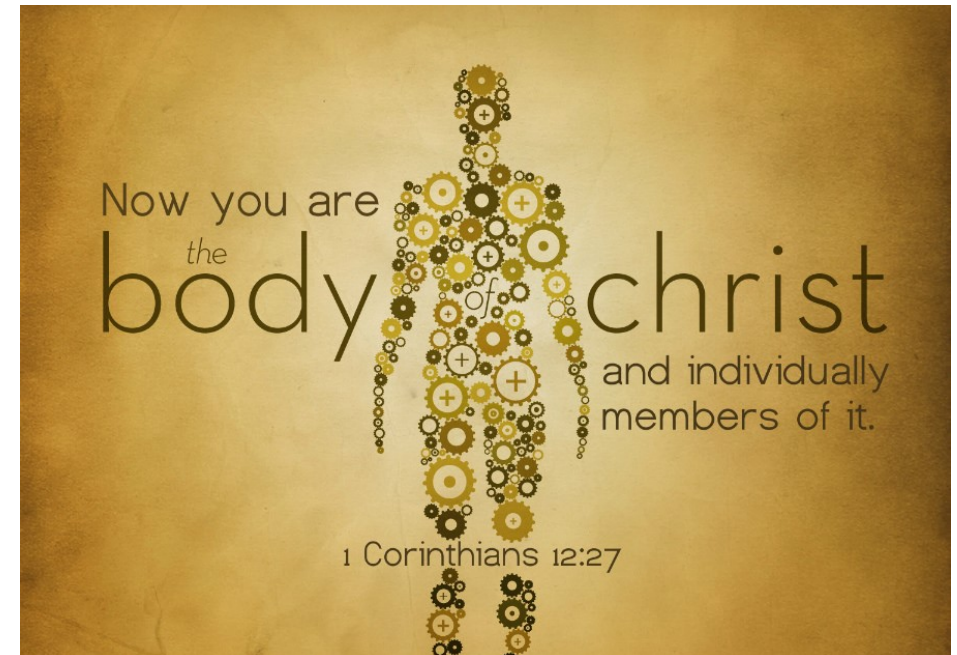
Jeremiah 1:4-10^a; Psalm 71:1-6; 1 Corinthians 13:1-13^b; Luke 4:21-30

Prayer Requests: prayer@burnsidecityuc.org.au

If you require more information please contact the church office or visit our website.

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Ministry Team Contacts

Supply Minister: Rev Trevor Klar 0437 708 183; Mon (am), Tue, Thu (from 2pm)

Minister in Association: Rev Rob Williams 0424 123 171

Ministers are available for Pastoral Care as required

Administrator: Stuart MacAdam Mon - Fri, 9am-2pm

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A Vibrant Community, Committed to Jesus,

Passionately Engaged in Mission



A MESSAGE FROM TREVOR

Body of life

In my final week here at BCUC it is apt that the Corinthians reading is about the body. As a minister I have always known my task is to help the church be healthy as the Body of Christ.

This does not happen when I am successful. It happens when I do things that allow the Spirit freedom to work in the lives of the congregation members. If I preach well and you say nice things I feel good. If through the door my preaching opens, one or more people go deeper in their relationship with Jesus, then something important has happened. As the body of Christ in this place, all are called to go deeper in Christ, all are called to deeper discipleship, all are called to deeper service, and all are called to share in the glorious liberty of the children of God.

The Holy Spirit is at work in the people of the congregation, and that is where the church is, so the measure of the church is not the minister/pastor but the spirituality and discipleship of the members. I like Benji and I hope you will also. Remember though, that he is not responsible for the success of the church, YOU are. He is not the Saviour, there is only one, Jesus Christ. So do not put too many expectations on Benji, let him be what he is, a man committed to serving Jesus as he follows his call.

And you should also seek to follow your call as disciples and give the Spirit free reign in your lives and the life of this congregation.

In grace

Trevor Klar

THIS WEEK'S NEWS & NOTICES

Induction Service – Rev Dr. Benji Callen

Friday 1st February, 7:00pm at BCUC

Informal supper following

All are invited to welcome Benji, Nicole, Jake, Charlie, and Cameron.

The Blessings Course

This 7 session course is based on the popular books, "The Grace Outpouring" and "The Way of Blessing". It is God's desire to bless – both people and situations, and we can be his agents. This inspiring and Bible-based study will be held on the **2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month**, 10am upstairs in the church. We would love to have new people join us. Enquiries to Colette Williams.

Hizbiz

The Hizbiz new year will begin at BCUC on **Tuesday Jan 29th** at 6 pm with a fish and chips meal (\$10) followed by "Hidden Figures", a true background story about the launch into orbit of John Glenn. To help plan catering please contact Leigh Duffett or Rex King.

BCUC Saturday Friendship Club

The first meeting for 2019 will be the traditional Mystery Bus Trip on **Saturday February 16th** leaving the Burnside City Council car park, promptly at 6-00 pm. The cost will be \$25. A booking slip will be inserted in the 2019 programme, available from this Sunday. Please pay Peter Foord before Sun 10th Feb. by placing money and booking slip inside a named envelope. Limited seating so be early.

World Leprosy Day

Event to be held at Knightsbridge Baptist Church, 455 Glynburn Road, Leabrook on **February 10th** at 2.20 p.m. Dr. Famkima Darlong will tell a powerful story of individuals' lives changed, families reconciled, and children set free from stigma, fear and disadvantage.

BICC Prayer Breakfast

Burnside Interchurch Council is having a prayer breakfast at St David's Anglican Church on **Saturday February 2nd** at 7.30am. Please come and join in an excellent breakfast and a friendly chat. Then pray for the work of the Council – especially its Schools Ministry – and the needs of our community and the world.

Old Calendars

can be left at the reception desk for Di Croft to use to decorate shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child.

Please e-mail articles for the BCUC weekly news to Stuart MacAdam at admin@burnsidecityuc.org.au no later than 10am on Wednesday