

Nambour Retirement Village Services

2 October Bowder Rev Maile 11.00AM
17 October Rotary Rev Graham 2.00PM

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Service Roster

2 October 2022

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY

AFTER PENTECOST

Minister: Rev Maile Molitika

Music: Nola and Margaret

Readers: Gail Warland, Losolea Lolohea

Prayers: Rev Maile Molitika

Data Projector: Losalina Molitika

Sound System: Maile Molitika JNR

Offering: Weekly retiring offering

Welcome: Our great welcoming team

Ministry

Rev Maile Molitika 0425 378 174

Pastoral Care Ministry

Rev Graham Warne 5478 9747

Congregation Chairperson

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AFTER 9AM to 2PM

Jimmy 0411 314 306

THE BIRTHDAY BOOK

2 Mary Fletcher
4 Emily Thomas
6 Marj McCracken
8 Glenn Wildey

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

**EIGHTTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST**

9th October 2022

Jeremiah 29:1 & 4-7,

2 Timothy 2:8-15,

Luke 17:11-19,

Psalm 66:1-12,

2 Kings 5:1-3 & 7-15,

Psalm 111.



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service

We are called to be evidence of God's
love breaking into the world

SUNDAY 2nd October 2022

Pentecost 17

Collect: Lord, we know you uphold the righteous. We know that the heritage of the blameless will abide forever. But there are times when it seems that your justice is delayed. Grant us patience. Grant us the wisdom and courage to abide as your faithful people, while we wait for the vindication that will come with your Son's return.

Though we stumble, we know we shall not fall headlong, for you hold us by the hand. You remain our refuge. You remain our strength.

Fashion our worship so that we are more perfectly made in your image through the time we spend together.

From the desk of the minister: Our humble faith needs to be encouraged

The reading from the Epistle of Timothy today really expressed the relationship between the apostle Paul and his beloved child Timothy.

In this letter Paul remembers Timothy's tears when they were separated from each other. Paul longs to see Timothy again. **It is important to know that**

Paul praised the faith of the two women, Lois and Eunice.

They were very instrumental in looking after Timothy to make sure that he is growing up in the faith of Jesus Christ. Paul is telling Timothy in verse 5,

"I remember the sincere faith you have, the kind of faith that your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice also had. I am sure that you have it also. We live in the society that the majority of people don't really care about their faith in Christ. The last census says it all, that Christianity is decreasing in Australia. People's interest is on something else.

But on this reading, we are reminded of the importance of family and faith. Grandmother Lois and the mother Eunice ensure that the faith of Timothy is so vital to his future journey. Paul writes to Timothy to encourage him for the future. He writes to him at a time when Paul is suffering, but he urges Timothy not to be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord Jesus Christ. He reminds Timothy to keep alive the gift that God gives him, grace, and hold firmly to the true words that had been instilled in him by others.

We need to keep on encouraging our children and grandchildren about their faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. Grace & Peace, Rev Maile

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Welcome to our Sunday Worship Service

The Nambour congregation welcomes everyone to worship.
Please accept all who gather to worship in peace and hope,
with an invitation to pray and reflect in the Prayer Chapel at any time our Church is open.

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

2 October 2022

Lamentations 1:1-6,

2 Timothy 1:1-14,

Luke 17:5-10,

Lamentations 3:19-26,

Psalm 137,

Habakkuk 1:1-4 & 2:1-4,

Psalm 37:1-9.

Funeral arrangements

The celebration of **Eva Donaldson**'s life and times will take place at Gregson & Weight Nambour at 11AM on Monday 3 October 2022 with Rev Maile Molitika leading, supported by Rev Graham Warne.

Please have the Donaldson family in your prayers.

Great Outback BBQ

Each year the Great Outback BBQ raises vital funds to keep Frontier Services on the road in remote Australia. At this time of year, we are all invited to our own Great Outback BBQ event at Church to show our support for Frontier Services. On **Sunday 23rd October**, we will gather around the BBQ raising money and support for a great cause – our farming and regional communities.

Gideons & some Morning Tea

Please welcome **Ben Seumaha with his wife and daughter** from the Gideons. Ben will speak about the great work in distributing copies of Scripture free of charge, paid for by freewill offerings from local churches and fundraising.

This Bible distribution is a worldwide effort taking place in around 200 countries, printed in over 108 languages. The focus is on distributing complete Bibles, New Testaments or portions thereof. Distribution is, but not limited to, hospitals and other medical offices, schools and colleges, military bases, hotel rooms as well as gaols and prisons.

Be sure to be a part of our morning tea this week after Sunday Worship Service where a free will offering can be made in the retiring bowl provided for Gideons.

Activities in our Church this week;

Sunday 25 Sept	Sunday Worship Service 9AM Alcoholics Anonymous 6PM-8PM
Tuesday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Wednesday	ECollaboration training 7AM-3.30PM
Thursday	ECollaboration training 7AM-3.30PM Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Friday	ECollaboration training 7AM-3.30PM
Saturday 1 Oct	Narcotics Australia 6PM-9PM

Please refer to Govt guidelines and social distancing