

Nambour Village Services July 2024

15 July Rotary Rev Glenn 2.00PM

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Service Roster

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 14 July 2024

Minister: Rev Maile Molitika
Music: Jenny and John Thomas
Readers: Helen Staines, Gail Warland
Prayers: Ian Woodward
Data Projector: Losa Molitika
Sound System:
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

Ian Woodward 5441 1069

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Office: most Tuesdays and Thursdays

AFTER 9AM to 2PM

Jimmy 0411 314 306

THE BIRTHDAY BOOK

16 Lester Ramm
18 Judy Moore
20 Maile JNR

Happy Birthday

Lester, Judy and Maile Jnr

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

NEXT SUNDAY

21 July 2024

Ninth Sunday

after Pentecost

2 Samuel 7:1-14a,

Ephesians 2:11-22,

Mark 6:30-34 & 53-56,

Psalm 23,

Jeremiah 23:1-6,

Psalm 89:20-37.



Nambour Uniting Church

9AM Sunday Worship Service

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

SUNDAY 14 July 2024 Pentecost 8

Collect: O Lord, mercifully receive the prayer of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power to faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever, Amen.

From the desk of the minister: Installation of the New President of Uniting Church **Rev Charissa Suli** was installed last Thursday in Sydney as the 17th president of the UCA. I think it would be important for us to know the background of the new president of our church. Only three women have been president of the Uniting Church. **The outgoing president, Rev Sharon Hollis was the first ordained female to become president. Rev Charissa Suli will be the first coloured woman to become the president.** This is a big move from the norm of our church since the beginning in 1977. Every time the General Assembly discerned who to become president, it was a delicate task of hearing the voice of God who will be the one. Most of our presidents that were ordained were older matured Christians in their 60s and 70s. The uniqueness of our new president, not only a coloured person, but a young woman in her 40s. The Assembly in Brisbane 4 years ago decided that Rev Charrisa will be the President-Elect, and last Thursday I was there together with Members of the Assembly and many people to witness this new paradigm shift to install this young woman to be our leader for the next 4 years. Rev Charissa grew up in Dee Why NSW and she was a member of a Cecil Gribble Tongan Congregation. Her parents brought her up in the faith early in life and Charrisa was gifted with a beautiful voice and she has used it to best of her ability. That wonderful gift has taken her to so many places singing to praise God. She was working in the Assembly Office as a Youth Leader Consultant before she went to Uniting Theological College and then to a few placements as minister of the Word. She once said before her installation, **“It will be a joyful and painful journey but our diversity will be a resource for how we be the church together.”** We do pray and hope that the Theme of the Assembly will be truly impacted in our churches as we journey together; **“Threads of Love, Weaving Christ’s Love Across Cultures and Boundaries.”** Congratulations Rev Charrisa Suli for being the new president of the UCA. **Grace & Peace, Rev Maile**

Nambour Uniting Church

Welcome to our Sunday Worship Service

Our 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.

Please welcome Rev Maile Molitika as our leading minister for today's Sunday Worship Service

Please pray for our Nambour congregation, along with all our sister congregations in the Mary Burnett Presbytery.

14 July 2024

VANDERBILT LECTIONARY

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Eighth
Sunday
after
Pentecost*

2 Samuel 6:1-5 & 12b-19,

Ephesians 1:3-14,

Mark 6:14-29,

Psalm 85:8-13,

Amos 7:7-15,

Psalm 24.



Proverbs for Daily Living –

1. “The more we communicate across cultures, the more we realize how interconnected we all are” *Unknown*

2. “When trying to communicate with someone from a different culture, remember that listening is just as important as speaking.”

Unknown

Activities in our Church this week;

Sunday 14 July	Sunday Worship Service 9AM
Monday	Sunshine Linus 8.30AM-2.30PM
Tuesday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Wednesday	Nambour Floral Art Society 8AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 6.30PM-8.30PM
Thursday	Indoor Bowls 9AM-12noon Narcotics Australia 12noon-2PM
Saturday 20 July	Narcotics Australia 6PM-9PM

TODAY Sunday 14 July 2024 Soup and Crusty Bread

After the Worship Service, we are having a soup and crusty bread event to help cover some costs for our renovation and govt compliances at Amity House. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Saturday 27 July 2024 NAMBOUR SWAP MEET

NEEDING SOME MORE BODIES. Just a couple of hours of car parking at our Church for the Nambour Swap Meet, when full, finished for the day. Put your name down on the list in the foyer please. Then, 16-18 August, the last of our fundraising car parking events is the LETS GO CARAVAN OUTDOOR EXPO.

IN MEMORY It is 80 years on **28th July** since Pilot/Officer Jim Hocking paid the supreme sacrifice. He and his crew were on a final exercise in a Sterling bomber (nicknamed the Flying Coffin) when 2 engines caught fire. After ordering his crew to bail out, he flew the plane away from the town of March in Cambridgeshire, but crashed in a field nearby. He was 22 years old. His name is on our Honour Board and the Airforce Stained Glass window in the church, given by his family in his honour.

Australian Aviation has an article on the following LINK;

<https://australianaviation.com.au/2019/08/world-war-ii-raaf-pilot-jim-hocking-honoured-in-the-uk/>

Sunshine Coast Council also has an article on the following LINK;

<https://heritage.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/stories/war/jim-hocking>

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The total takings from the QLD Garden Expo - \$4618, thanks!