



The VINES Uniting Church

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THE GRAPEVINE 9/10/2022

It is all very nice to be encouraged to live out our faith, as we bring Christ to the world.

But this may cause us stress when we do not feel strong enough.

Feeling small can be debilitating, but as we discover with Zaccheaus, Jeremiah, Moses and David, God has a history of accomplishing his purposes through people who feel this way.

We are enough, as we are right now, to be Christ in a world, and in Adelaide that desperately needs Him.

Trevor Hayley



Let your
light shine
so brightly
that
others can
see their
way out
of the
dark.

❖ OUR VISION:

To be a vibrant, growing community of Faith.

❖ OUR MISSION:

*To reach out and reflect God's Love –
connecting others to Christ.*

FRIDAY FRIENDS
COFFEE AND CHAT

Friday 28th October 10-11.30am

All welcome - bring a friend.



UPDATE ON THE VINES UNITING CHURCH MARKETS.

The September Market was a great success, raising over \$2000, renewing connections and meeting new people.

A number of people said how they missed the Strawberry Fair and were glad to see us back. One of the lovely things was that some of the staff at Cottage Grove graciously brought some of the residents to look, enjoy-- and even buy small gifts. It was delightful to share with so many people.

No! It was not a Strawberry Fair...but it was a pretty good substitute, and we did assure those who asked that we would be back with a:

Christmas Market

on SATURDAY, 3rd DECEMBER, 10am to 2pm.

This is a request for your help! Let's work toward making this an even better experience for everyone. We will have the same stalls that we had last time, and we would really appreciate it if some of you would take a shift behind the counters; for as little or as long as you feel able. This means a chance for everyone to be able to get a coffee or snack at some stage.

Let us work together to share LOVE, JOY, PEACE AND HOPE with our community this Christmas season.

Please speak to Marj, Jacqui, or Leon if you would be able to give even just 1 hour to help in this way.

The Leprosy Mission Christmas Gift Catalogue 2022

**An opportunity to purchase in bulk to save postage
Please speak to Elaine Manson for further information.**

The Catalogues will be available in the foyer at The Vines

from Sunday 9th October till Sunday 30th October for your perusal.

Feel free to take a copy home but please return it the following week.

If you wish to order please fill out the Order Form in the centre of the catalogue, even if you only want 1 item.

No payment needed until items arrive mid November

All orders MUST be received by 30th October

Alternately on Sunday 30th a representative from The Leprosy Mission will speak at worship and will hold a stall after worship where some items from the catalogue will be available.

ADULT FELLOWSHIP

The next fellowship meeting will be on Wednesday 12th October,
1.30 p.m. at the Vines.

Our Guest Speaker, Leon Magrin, will talk about School Chaplaincy.

If you want a cuppa please bring a cup and teaspoon.

New members and visitors are most welcome.

Any queries please contact Pam 83811727

FOOD PARCEL MINISTRY

Thank you and may God bless you for your continued support for this ministry.
This week we are in need of the following items.

- Tinned fish
- Tea
- Tinned Soup
- Baked Beans
- Tinned Spaghetti
- Tinned Corn
- Tinned Vegetables
- Toiletries or a Cash Donation marked "Food Parcel Ministry".

Thank you again.

Leon and the Pastoral Team.

Next week:
Reverend D J Prior.

Remember OUR key MESSAGE:

Phone a Friend

Connect with others and CHOOSE LIFE

'Cos to Grow stronger through COVID

We have to pass on God's love.



LIVE STREAMED WORSHIP SERVICES

Each Sunday our worship services at the Vines can be accessed live at 9:30am via our YouTube channel. Please use the following link to access our services,

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=the+vines+uniting+church

After the livestream, each service will remain on our YouTube channel for watching later. They can be accessed using the same link.

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