

A Quiet Hour or so

Ash Wednesday – 22nd February 2023

7:00pm at The Vines

Theme: *“My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”*
[Matthew 27:46; Mark 15:34; Psalm 22:1]

As we begin the Church Season of Lent, as we journey from Ash Wednesday to Easter Day, however we might undertake that journey, we invite you to our Ash Wednesday evening reflection, **A Quiet hour or so**. This is an opportunity to set aside a little time to ponder the words of Jesus from the cross, from the first verse of Psalm 22, *“My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”*

Some questions that might arise: Why did Jesus speak these words? Are they relevant to us today and our journey with our God?

An informal reflective evening of music, scripture, and silence.

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The Vines Uniting Church:

"Reaching out in God's Love"

Our Mission:

God is calling us...

"To be a vibrant, growing community reaching out in God's love."

Our Core Values:

As a community of faith we recognise our dependence upon God's Grace.

THE CENTRALITY OF CHRIST

Jesus is Lord and we will continue to try new things and to step out in faith when the Holy Spirit leads us.

BIBLE - CENTRED TEACHING

We aim to live and teach God's Word with integrity, so that seekers discover the living Christ and believers mature in their faith and relationship with God.

ACTIVE PRAYER

Prayer is a central aspect of a living relationship with God. Believing that God hears and answers prayer is a vital part of our ministries and activities within this Church.

AUTHENTIC WORSHIP

We celebrate and declare God's love for us in corporate worship in ways that are relevant to people's life and faith.

DEVELOPING PEOPLE

We encourage people to discover, develop and deploy their God-given gifts within the church and everyday living in the wider community.

A WARM and CARING COMMUNITY

We are a community in which both members and newcomers find a warm welcome and genuine care. Our network of small groups and activities enable people to build deeper relationships with each other by sharing, praying, learning and loving together.

SHARING GOOD NEWS

"Reaching out in God's love" shapes our various programs, ministries and practical service, aiming to connect with the current needs and lifestyles of the wider community.