

Next Sunday's Services 13th March 2022

Lent 2 – The Lead Up To Easter

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

9.30 am Morning Church Lent Series in the Book of Exodus
The God who rescues! #2 The God who hears our cry

Bible Reading: Exodus 2:1 - 25

Service Leader: Ian Weeks

Preacher: Ian Weeks

Music: Gwen Gatford

Reader: Nicola Pengilly

Welcoming: Mel Mottau & Jan McGuire

Flowers: Ladies Fellowship

Morning Tea: Don & Chris Black

5.30 pm Evening Church Bible Study 3 John

All welcome for an "Open Bible Study" – No prep. No homework. Opening God's Word & discovering together.

March Mission of the Month:

Training and resourcing our members for mission and ministry.

Being equipped for ministry is an ongoing and life-long exercise. There are some great courses, seminars, workshops, and resources available for training and equipping people for ministry.

While we have some funds allocated in our Church budget for these, there is always the need for more. We want to make sure that when the opportunities arise, people not hindered to attend courses etc because they can't afford it.

Would you consider topping up these funds to enable members of our Church to be trained, equipped and resourced for ministry?

WHAT'S ON @ BUC – Update your 2022 diaries

**Please register your event/activity with Rev Ian by Thursdays
12 noon for inclusion in the Calendar and/or Good News Week**

Using the Church premises? Don't forget to turn off lights & lock doors.

Thurs 10 th March	Combined Belrose Probus Club meeting	10.00 am
Thurs 10 th March	Prayer Meeting via Zoom	7.30 pm
Tues 15 th March	Ladies Fellowship BYO lunch	12 noon
Thurs 17 th March	Prayer Meeting at Church	11.00 am
Thurs 24 th March	Combined Belrose Probus Club Committee	10.00 am
Thurs 24 th March	Prayer Meeting via Zoom	7.30 pm
Mon 28 th March	Forest Belrose Probus Club meeting	10.00 am
Thurs 31 st March	Prayer Meeting at Church	11.00 am
Thurs 31 st March	Church Council Meeting	7.30 pm



Belrose Uniting Church

*in the Assembly of Confessing Congregations
of the Uniting Church in Australia*

Corner Forest Way and Morgan Road, Belrose
We aim TO KNOW CHRIST AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN

GOOD NEWS WEEK

Sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ from Belrose to the world since 1916.

Welcome to Church

Please note that masks are still required indoors.

Who are we?

We are all about following Jesus. *We seek to worship God in a welcoming and supportive environment that fosters teaching and growth, modelling and sharing Jesus' love in word and action within our church and the wider community.*

We are "evangelical" Christians, which means that **Jesus** shapes the heart of our worship, the **Bible** shapes the heart of our life, and the **Gospel** (the Good News about Jesus) shapes our heart for a broken world.

Today's Services 6th March 2022

Lent 1 – The Lead Up To Easter

9.30 am Morning Church Lent Series in the Book of Exodus
The God who rescues! #1 A people oppressed Exodus 1:1 - 22

Service Leader: Ian Weeks

Preacher: Ian Weeks

Music: Allan Leslie

Reader: Allan Leslie

Welcoming: Helen Meillon

Flowers: Helen Meillon

Morning Tea: Livai & Susana Ofiu

5.30 pm Evening Church Bible Study 2 John

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Facebook: *Belrose Uniting Church Group*
Prayer Requests: prayer.team@belrose.unitingchurch.org.au

**Normal Sunday
Services**
9:30am & 5.30pm



AM Service Sermon Notes Lent Series in the Book of Exodus
The God who rescues! #1 A People Oppressed Exodus Ch 1

1. Lent: The Lead Up To Easter

Easter: the reminder for us of a God who rescues!

Exodus: encountering the Living God who rescues His people.

2. A People Blessed: Exodus in Context vv 1 – 7

The promise of God in Genesis 12:1 - 3

Genesis concludes with Jacob and his family rescued from a famine in Canaan, settled in Egypt, but not permanently: see Genesis 46:3, 4

The blessing of God unfolding – a growing nation: vv 6,7

3. A People Oppressed

vv 8 – 16

A warning: see Genesis 15:13

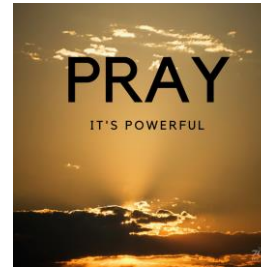
An unnamed King - Suspicion and oppression, slavery and misery

4. A People Tested

vv 17 – 22

Another promise: see Genesis 15:14

The “invisible” hand of God at work – protection and blessing



People, Participation and Prayer: a church isn't a building of bricks and wood. It's a group of people gathered by God who are building their lives around Jesus.

That's why belonging to church means more than just Sunday services. In this **Good News Week** are some of the things we are doing, events and activities we think are worthwhile, and people and things to pray for. Please pray regularly for your Church family.

Our Congregation prayer gatherings are held weekly; alternating Thursdays at 11.00 am & 7.30 pm,

**Next Prayer Meeting:
Thursday 10th March 7.30 pm via Zoom**



James 5:16

Therefore, confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- * Those recovering from illnesses, undergoing treatments, managing ailments: Jan & Gordon Allan, Jen Dinning, Gordon Richardson, John Bishop, Sierk Dykman, Denis & Lisle Wall, Gwen Gatford, Keith & Maureen Bridge
- * Sam & Hazel Whybrow – recovering from a car accident; espec. Hazel as she has more surgery.
- * Mission partners: Bruce & Kathy in Nigeria; Edwardes Family in Ireland
- * Those grieving the loss of loved ones
- * Evangelistic opportunities to share the Gospel
- * Our Church leaders as we prepare for new things in 2022

Have a prayer request?*Email: prayer.team@belrose.unitingchurch.org.au

*Give to Rev. Ian or *Place a note in the prayer box near Church front door.