

**Next Sunday 24th April 2022**

**9.30 am Morning Church** *The Living Rescuer*

**Bible Reading: John 20:19 - 30**

**Service Leader:** Ian Weeks

**Preacher:** Ian Weeks

**Music:** Allan Leslie

**Reader:** Anne Weeks

**Welcoming:** Don & Chris Black

**Flowers:** Laumahoi Vakalahi

**Morning Tea:** David & Nicola Pengilly

**5.30 pm Evening Church Bible Study: The Gospel of John Ch 20 Cont.**

### **April Mission of the Month:**

#### **The Forest Association for Christian Education (FACE) Supporting SRE in our local High Schools**



Henri Simpson leads a faithful team of volunteers each week to teach Scripture (SRE) in the Davidson and Forest High Schools.

They not only have the opportunity to share the Gospel with hundreds of teenagers, but they can also get to mentor and nurture young people in Christian discipleship through lunchtime groups, Bible studies, prayer, and weekend camps.

Please pray for Henri and his team in this vital ministry.

You can also support the work of FACE financially through Mission of the Month giving in your offering envelopes, or directly **FACE Gift Fund** Westpac BSB 032-123 A/c 289 584

**Donations to FACE are tax deductible.**

**What a great investment in the lives of local young people for the Gospel!!**

### **WHAT'S ON @ BUC – Update your 2022 diaries**

<b>Tues 19<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Ladies Fellowship @ BUC – BYO Lunch	<b>12 noon</b>
<b>Wed 20<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Glenaeon ANZAC Service @ Glenaeon	<b>10.00 am</b>
<b>Tues 21<sup>st</sup> April</b>	Prayer Meeting <b>via Zoom</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>
<b>Mon 25<sup>th</sup> April</b>	ANZAC Day – <i>Lest we forget</i>	
<b>Tues 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	School Term 2 commences	
<b>Tues 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<i>Gift of Dance</i> Class resumes Term 2	<b>3.15 pm</b>
<b>Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Combined Belrose PC C'tee Meeting	<b>9.00 am</b>
<b>Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Prayer Meeting @ the Church	<b>11.00 am</b>

**Morning Tea Helpers needed:** There are some gaps on the Morning Tea Roster; can you help? Please let Helen Meillon know!

**Missed a Service? Or want to share it?** – You can access all past Sundays recorded services on our **Church YouTube channel:** [bit.ly/3qJkm2K](https://bit.ly/3qJkm2K)



## **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**

**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.



**Easter Sunday  
17<sup>th</sup> April 2022  
The Lord is risen!  
He is risen indeed!**

**9.30 am Morning Church "The Victorious Rescuer: Hope for the world"**

**Bible Reading: John 20:1 - 18**

**Service Leader:** Ian Weeks

**Preacher:** Ian Weeks

**Music:** Gwen Gatford

**Reader:** Helen Meillon

**Welcoming:** Tova Swadling & Helen Meillon

**Flowers:** Tova Swadling

**Morning Tea:** Anne Weeks, Pieter & Jaretha Schoeman

**5.30 pm Evening Church Bible Study: The Gospel of John Ch 20**

**Pastor:** Rev Ian Weeks

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Wednesday – Monday (Tuesdays off)

**Church Website:** <http://www.belrose.unitingchurch.org.au>

**Facebook:** *Belrose Uniting Church Group*

**Prayer Requests:** [prayer.team@belrose.unitingchurch.org.au](mailto:prayer.team@belrose.unitingchurch.org.au)

**Normal Sunday  
Services**

9:30am & 5.30pm



**AM Service Sermon Notes *The God who rescues!*  
The Victorious Rescuer: Hope for the World! John 20:1 – 18**

**1. What the World Needs Now**

In 1965 Hal David & Burt Bacharach wrote the song:  
*What the world needs now is love, sweet love*

While love may have been important for the world back then, what the world really needs now is:

**2. The Victorious Rescuer: Hope for the World John Ch 20**

When our hope is down to nothing, God is up to something!

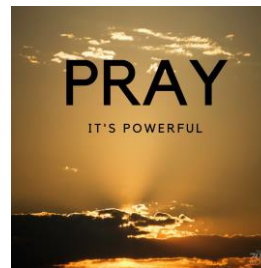
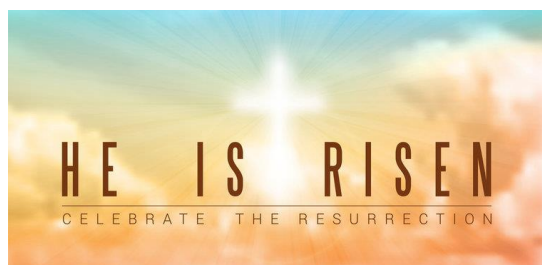
- i) When grief dispels hope: God gives
- ii) When doubt dispels hope: God reminds
- iii) When fear dispels hope: God gives
- iv) When despair dispels hope: Jesus is

**3. The Resurrection of Jesus: Hope for the World**

In the resurrection of Jesus from the dead, we have:

- \* Hope in
- \* Hope that
- \* Hope in
- \* Hope that
- \* Hope that

The Lord is risen! He is risen indeed! Jesus: hope for our world!



**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 21<sup>st</sup> April, 7.30 pm by Zoom**

**Reading from the book of Proverbs together, sharing & praying.**



[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, Gwen Gafford

\* Praise God for the healing that Denis Wall has received – the tumour has shrunk considerably. Denis passes on his thanks for all the prayer & support. Continue to pray for ongoing healing & strength for Denis & Lisle.

\* Mission partners: Bruce & Kathy in Nigeria; Edwardes Family in Ireland

\* Evangelistic opportunities to share the Gospel

**Have a prayer request?\*** Email: [prayer.team@belrose.unitingchurch.org.au](mailto:prayer.team@belrose.unitingchurch.org.au)

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

**Christianity Explored: What's the best news you've ever heard?**

This 7 part video series on exploring the Christian faith, and the significance of Jesus for us today, will be shown on the morning services commencing in Term 2 (Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May). **Who will you invite to come and explore who Jesus is and how we might respond to Him?**