

*Tabitha was a very generous woman...
 One day she got sick and in no time she was dead...
 Peter knelt down and pray 'Tabitha, get up'...
 She sat up...*

*Peter presented her to the gathered
 Christians... alive
 Word of this spread like wildfire*

John 21



- * Nathan is taking 6 weeks conference and annual leave in July/August - dates are now confirmed as Sunday 7 July to Saturday 17 August.
- * To begin the process of revising our liturgy, Nathan has circulated a short survey to get an idea of specific things that people would like to keep or change or add.
- * Church Covenanting - Nathan has sent around a proposed membership covenant for our covenanting service on June 23 which incorporates changes based on our 2018 Open Space discussions on this topic. In particular, it enables people to choose their own particular commitments to our covenant areas and share these with others in the congregation. We will use our discernment forum on May 19 at 2:30pm to discuss this proposal.
- * Story Sharing Events - We hope to kick off our first story sharing events very soon! These one-off events in people's homes or other spaces outside church are an opportunity to share and hear about someone's experiences of day-to-day life and faith. If you would like to host an event, or if you would like to hear from somebody else, give them a nudge and let Samara know!
- * The prayer labyrinth will be installed in the church garden this week - hopefully! There will be a flyer with some info on ways to use the labyrinth, so give it a go!

May 19 Church Covenant discernment forum
 May 24 BUV Delegates Dinner
 May 30 (Thursday 7:00pm) The Feast of Ascension - an Ecumenical Service held at Christ Church, South Yarra
 June 23 Church Anniversary

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Date	Drink and Nibbles	Wash Up
12/5	Eliz & Ian	Acacia
19/5	Sylvia, Rita, (soup John F.)	John S.
26/5	Samara, Susanne	John F.
2/6	Merryl, Margie D.	Jeff



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Seeking and Sharing the Fullness of Life

12th May 2019

Tonight's Scripture Readings

Acts 9: 36-43
 Psalm 23
 Revelation 7: 9-17
 John 10: 22-30

Next Week's Scripture Readings

Acts 11: 1-18
 Psalm 148
 Revelation 21: 1-6
 John 13: 31-35



Pray for Each Other

Monday	Michaela Dawes
Tuesday	Lachlan Quake
Wednesday	Issa Nasser
Thursday	Daniel Stott
Friday	Elizabeth Cook
Saturday	Denise Chipman

Happy Birthday to You!

May
 13th Michaela Dawes
 14th Lachlan Quake
 18th Denise Chipman
 28th John Fowler

Daily Scripture Readings

The readings for Thursday - Saturday are chosen to thematically anticipate the readings for the coming Sunday, and then the readings for Monday - Wednesday are chosen to thematically reflect on the readings from the Sunday just past.

Monday	Ezekiel 37: 15-28	Revelation 15: 1-4	
Tuesday	Ezekiel 45: 1-9	Acts 9: 32-35	Psalm 100
Wednesday	Jeremiah 50: 17-20	John 10: 31-42	
Thursday	Ezekiel 2:8 - 3:11	Revelation 10: 1-11	
Friday	Daniel 7: 13-14	Revelation 11: 15	Psalm 148
Saturday	Daniel 7:27	Revelation 11: 16-19	

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