

CHURCH CALENDAR - 20th - 27rd March

Today	Worship	9am & 10:45am
Monday		
Tuesday	Prayer mtg Men's Shed Rehearsal 4 worship	9am 9am 5:30pm & 6:30pm
Wednesday	Linc 'n Learn	10am
Thursday	Men's Shed Maundy Thursday	9am 7pm
Friday	Good Friday Worship	10am
Saturday		
Sunday	Easter Sunday Worship	7:30am Sunrise 10am

Worship Rehearsals For Easter ~

5:30pm on Tuesday 22nd for Good Friday
6:30pm on Tuesday 22nd for Easter Sunday

FOUND ~ by the small garden shed a key with a yellow tag. If it is yours, please collect it from the office.

CHURCH COUNCIL

Chairperson, Jenni Morel

Church Council Meeting ~ the following are some brief topics addressed...

- Pastor ~ Good News Sundays, Preaching Plan, Congregational Meeting
- Treasurer ~ February income met the budget
- Property ~ Carpark, IT, signage
- Children & Family Report
- 5 year pastor review
- Ministry Team Role Descriptions & recruiting
- Evangelism Ministry
- Church Survey

Full meeting minutes are posted ~ monthly on the noticeboard in the foyer

Next Week's Church Services- 27 th March		
	Good Friday	10:45am
Worship Leader	Benji Callen	Benji Callen
Music Team	Marj Young Choir	Rosalie Baillie Mitchell Jude Des Story
IT	Michael Carey & Liz Tyler	
Hosts	Ken & Kay McDonald	
Bible Reader	Benji Callen	
Morning Tea		Team (B)
Offering Counters		
Kingdom Kids, Wi-Fi & Crèche	Craft activities in church	
Cleaning	Monday cleaners & Jenny Corston	



"Hosanna to the Son of David!"

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

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If you would like to subscribe to Benji's weekly email, please write your details on the care card enclosed in the newsletter and put it in the offering bag.



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Sunday 20th March 2016

Poonindie Baptism Affirmations

Last Sunday I, along with 30 others experienced a truly wonderful day. From the radiant look on young Fiona's face as she emerged from the



sea, to Ryan's spontaneous grace, and the genuine friendship amongst the people at the function just made me so thankful for my church and for the people who worship there.

For me, to reaffirm my baptism was genuinely uplifting, and if the occasion arose again I would encourage all (young and old) to participate. I sincerely felt that Sunday was a very special day in many ways, with God's hand touching us all.

I would like to take this opportunity to truly thank Benji, Mitchell and our dear Eileen for their input, encouragement and prayers. To my wonderful daughter Jodie whom I love dearly, thank you for just being you and your continued support. Also to Paul and Adam, thank you for your assistance and to all who helped out on the day, it was very much appreciated.

Lynette Smith - Poonindie Chairperson

A healthy growing influential church

PASTORAL MINISTRY

Benji Callen, Senior Pastor

Easter Baptisms ~ we have a couple of people being baptised at the Easter Sunday service Please speak to Benji is you are considering being baptised or reaffirming your baptism.

Easter Postcards ~ the Easter postcards have arrived. Please take a pile and pass on to friends or neighbours, or to drop in letterboxes around your neighbourhood.

Holy Week ~ March 20 to 27, a significant time in the life of every Christian. See the postcard enclosed for the special services and events.

Easter Art Exhibition ~ spend some quiet time this week exploring people's meditative, prayerful and creative response to the death and resurrection of Christ. If you still have artwork to be displayed fill out an exhibit card from the front desk and contact Carin Haldane 8682 1124 or 0428 821 125.

New Preaching Series ~ on 1 Peter beginning in April for 6 weeks

ADULT MINISTRY

Life Groups ~ we will soon be concluding our series Emotionally Healthy Spirituality . Groups and times are posted on the notice board or contact Paul on 0429 779 799

GOOD NEWS!

Benji has completed his Bachelor of Theology Degree - Congratulations!

KIDS AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Nicole Callen, Ministry Team Leader

Easter Bell Choir ~ rehearsal on Tuesday 22nd @ 4:30pm. Please contact Connie 0400 736 597 for more details



Cross Generational Ministry & KCO ~ Melissa Neuman from Uniting Young People at Synod will be coming to Port Lincoln, for those interested in having a discussion about this @ Unity Hill 3-5pm, on Sunday April 3rd.

Holy Week Boxes ~ family devotion boxes to explore Holy Week together. Only 20 available. First come, first serve. Available from the welcome desk.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Benji Callen, Ministry Team Leader

Juice Youth ~ Friday 1st April. Nerf Wars



Thuruna Easter Camp ~ 24th - 28th March For 13-25 year olds.  (Thuruna Easter Camp) thurunaeastercamp.myevent.com

PRAYER MINISTRY

Prayer Group ~ join us every Tuesday morning from 9am in the chapel



Prayer concerns

- Please continue to pray for those who are sick or recuperating
- People come to the Lord through our lives and ministries
- Please pray for the lonely who can no longer continue living at home
- Far East Broadcasting Cooperation and the hundreds of hours of Christian programmes broadcast in over 100 languages

WORLD MISSION MINISTRY

Gilbert Williams, Ministry Team Leader

Open Doors ~ tonight, 7:30pm @ Unity Hill. All are invited to hear Peter Trott share what it is like to be a Christian in Nigeria

POONINDIE UNITING CHURCH

Easter Services ~ Easter Sunday @ 9:30am

Poonindie Fete ~ Saturday 2nd April 2016 From 10am - 2pm. Any donations of produce for stalls will be most welcome. Please contact Lyn Smith on 8684 6091

Poonindie School Chaplain ~ praise God, Helen Schramm has recently been appointed as the CPS Worker at Poonindie Primary School.

COFFIN BAY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Easter Services ~ Good Friday ~ 9am
Easter Sunday ~ 9am

UNITY OP SHOP

Judith Hocking, President

Until Thursday 24th March the Op Shop will be having a \$1 sale on all clothing. Go and grab a bargain!

OUR ATTENDANCE @ UNITY HILL	
9am Worship	48
10:45am Worship	72
TOTAL	120