

Next Week's Church Services- 4 December		
Theme	Advent - Good News of Peace	
Preacher:	Benji Callen	
Worship Leader	Valda Glover	Anele Carey
Music Team	Rosalie Baillie Connie Dunn Heather Brine Robin Glover	Rosalie Baillie Jo Tilley Benji Callen
IT	Mitchell Doughty Liz Tyler	Mitchell Doughty Katie Freak
Hosts	Ken & Margaret Lindsay	Carin Haldane Kath Miller
Bible Reader	Connie Dunn	Jo Tilley
Morning Tea	Beryl Pearson Mary Plane	Team (b)
Offering Counters	Paul & Trish Keys	
Kingdom Kids Crèche Wi-Fi Jam & Bread	Lauren Foster Louise Williams & Julie Wynne Nicole Callen Helen Foster	
Cleaning	Clean Team & Mary Tyler	

CHURCH CALENDAR 27 Nov – 4 Dec		
Today	Worship	9am & 10:45am
Monday	Prayer and Praise (chapel) Mwandi Meeting	7pm 3pm
Tuesday	Men's Shed Hilltop Heroes	9am 9:50am
Wednesday	Linc 'n Learn & lunch	10am - 12noon
Thursday	Men's Early Risers Study Men's Shed Worship Music Practice	6:45am 10am 5pm & 6pm
Friday	Juice Youth	6:30pm
Saturday		
Sunday	Worship Poonindie BBQ Holy Communion @ EPOFH	9am & 10:45am 12:30pm 2pm

Life Groups		
Time	Leader	Studying
Mon 2pm	Lindley Webb	Matthew's Gospel
Wed 7pm	Gilbert Williams	The Bible Jesus Read
Wed 7:30pm	Nicole Callen	Bill Hybel's Simplify
Wed 7:30pm	Paul Keys	In recess
Wed 7:30pm	Steve Jude	The Purpose Driven Life
Thu 6:45am	Robert Dunn	Ephesians
Thu 7:30pm	Kay McDonald	Advent

UNITY HILL ATTENDANCE 20 Nov 2016	
9am - 77	10:45am - 86

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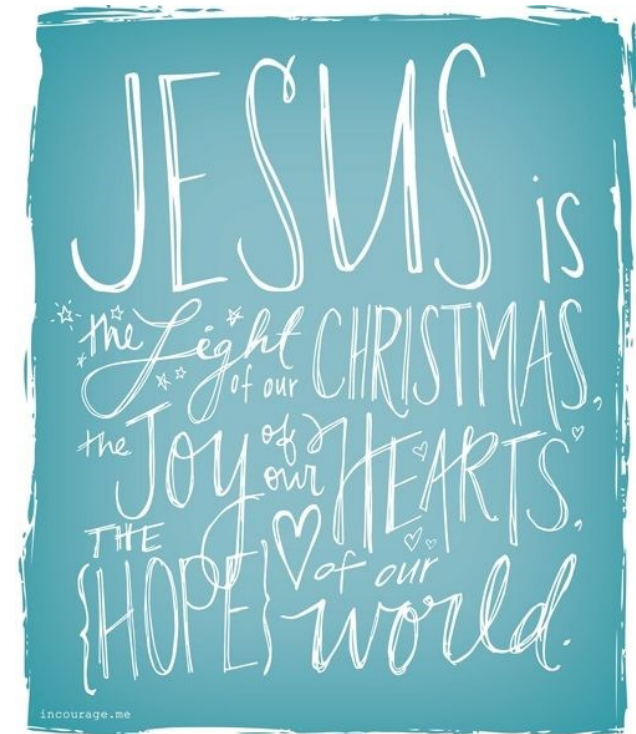
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Sunday 27th November 2016

Welcome to Unity Hill—a great place to connect with God and connect with others.



Today is the first
Sunday of Advent.

Our theme is:
The Good News of Hope

A healthy growing influential church

PASTORAL MINISTRIES

Benji Callen, Lead Pastor



We are a vibrant, lively, growing church that loves God and loves people.

Please read through the newsletter and the ADVENTures of Christmas brochure to find out what's happening in the life of the church in the coming months.

Unity Hill Church Council Elections ~ begin today and finish at 12:30pm next Sunday. Members and Members in Association please cast your vote at the welcome desk.

Carols on the Foreshore ~ Friday 9th December. We will be operating the drinks van at the carols and are looking for people to work, from 6-7, 7-8 and 8-9. Please see Liz or Benji if you can help.

AGM ~ Thanks to those 43 people who attended the AGM last week. Our congregational chair, Trevor Peace and secretary, Mary Tyler were re-elected, the 2017 budget was passed without any changes and the ministry team reports were accepted. If you would like a copy of the AGM booklet, they are available from the welcome desk or can be emailed, please see Liz.

POONINDIE UNITING CHURCH

Poonindie Fellowship cordially invites all who have been involved in any way in the refurbishment of our beloved church to a BBQ lunch, 12:30pm, Sunday 4th December (everything supplied). RSVP to Lyn Smith 8684 6091.

KIDS AND FAMILY MINISTRIES

Nicole Callen - Ministry Team Leader

Kids Ministry Programmes today:

- Crèche (4 & under) - Meeting Rm ~ Kath M & B Doughty
- Kingdom Kids (5-9 years) - Sunday School Rm ~ Steve J
- Wi-Fi (10+ year olds) - Youth Rm ~ Brad F
- Jam & Bread (Yr 8 +) - Men's Shed ~ Helen F

Hilltop Heroes Program (for preschool kids) will meet at 9:50am at Unity Hill, then go to Mainly Music at the Lutheran Church for a 10am start.

Holiday Kids Club ~ Wednesday 21st December, 9:30am - 3pm. Registrations out soon!

PRAYER MINISTRIES

- ⇒ Leadership Elections
- ⇒ Preparation for Carols on the Foreshore
- ⇒ PLHS Pastoral Support Worker Chaplain) position
- ⇒ Peter Linn and the Anglican Church



Prayer Rally ~ *“the believers devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching, and to fellowship, and to sharing in meals (including the Lord’s Supper), and to prayer.”* Acts 2:42. On Wednesday night there were 22 people praying around the community and at Unity Hill. It was an enjoyable night and we'll do it again in the future. Watch this space!

YOUTH MINISTRIES

Benji Callen, Ministry Team Leader

Juice Youth - Friday 2nd December, 6:30pm - 8:30pm
@ Unity Hill Theme: USA/Japan



ADULT MINISTRIES

Bereans Group ~ We will meet for Dinner and Discussion at Dunns on Tuesday 29 November at 6pm.

Men's Ministries

Early Risers ~ Men's breakfast, fellowship, prayer and study on Ephesians. Thursdays, 6:45am @ Cruiser's Café. All men are welcome.

Holy Communion @ Pioneer Village ~ 2pm next Sunday, there will be a Holy Communion Christmas service in the Flinders Dining Room. All welcome.

OUTREACH MINISTRIES



Carols on the Foreshore, 9 December
Next Rehearsals: 30 November, 7:30pm at the Lighthouse Church. See notice board for details.

PLHS Chaplain Position for 25.5 hours per week. Applications close TODAY @ 5pm.

Bush Dance ~ Saturday 3 Dec, 7:30 pm. Anglican Parish Hall. BYO drinks and plate of supper. Tickets \$10. Contact Ron Higgins 0428 886 870.

Port Lincoln Singers present The Story of Christmas told in Carols. Sunday 11 December, 2pm @ Unity Hill. Tickets \$15 at the door. Afternoon tea supplied.

Trevor and Beryl Pearson sincerely thank our Unity Hill friends for your prayers, visits, food and phone calls during Trevor's illness and he is now on the road to recovery. We are thankful that God has blessed us with many answered prayers.