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#### **NOTICES**

Face to Face Services
Services March 17<sup>th</sup> 2024

Montville: 8.15am Worship
Maleny: 9.45am Worship Service
Palmwoods: 10am Communion
Service

RCL Year B Readings (Lent 5)

Jer 31:31-34 Ps 51:1-12 or Ps 119:9-16 Heb 5:5-10 JN 12:20-33

## Face to Face Services Services March 24<sup>th</sup> 2024

Montville: 8.15am Worship
Maleny: 9.45am Worship Service
Palmwoods: 3.30pm Reflections
in the Garden

RCL Year B Readings (Palm/Passion Sunday)

Palm Readings Ps 118:1-2,19-29; Mk 11:1-11; or; Jn 12:12-16; and Passion Readings Is 50:4-9a; Ps 31:9-16; Phil 2:5-11; Mk 14:1–15:47 or Mk 15:1-39, (40-47)

#### **COMING NEXT WEEK**

**Sunday 3pm –** Maleny Fellowship Tea and games afternoon. All welcome to join the fun and bring a share plate.

Wednesday 8.30am – Christian Meditation at Maleny UC Thursday 9.30am – Ladies Friendship Meeting at Maleny Uniting Church hall (see note below)

Friday 1.30pm – KYB at Maleny UC

#### **UNITING CHURCH EASTER SERVICES**

Joint Anglican & Uniting Church Procession of the Palms – Palm Sunday 24 March 7.30 am on the Montville Green followed by services in each of our churches in Montville.

Palm/Passion Sunday March 24<sup>th</sup> – usual morning Services & times

Palm/Passion Sunday 6.30pm – Combined Maleny Churches hosted by Maleny Uniting Church

### Maleny Congregation lunch @ Johnsons -

Palm Sunday 24 March, 19 Attunga Court, Witta. Let Bruce and Heather know that you are coming and if you have any dietary requirements: 0407 180 864 or <a href="mailto:b.hjohnson@me.com">b.hjohnson@me.com</a>

**Good Friday March 29**<sup>th</sup> – Services conducted at Maleny 8am, Montville 8.15am & Palmwoods 10am

**Easter Sunday March 31**st – usual Service times in Maleny, Montville and Palmwoods.

**Easter Dawn Service** (hosted by the Combined Maleny Churches) – 5.00am Howell's Knob Lookout, 218 Reesville Road, Reesville.

#### **COMING EASTER EVENTS**

LADIES' FRIENDSHIP MEETING, Thursday, 21st March, 9.30am, Maleny UC. All are welcome to spend an interesting morning with Heather Johnson and friends. Heather will explain the process of unpicking emergency services uniforms and then creating attractive children's clothes for any child in need. Some of Heather's work will be on display. If you choose, there will also be the opportunity to be involved in the "hands on" experience of a "quick unpick". A great example of practical recycling!

#### **Morning Prayers during Holy Week**

9 am Monday 25, Tuesday 26 & Wednesday 27 March @ St George's Anglican, Maleny

#### **Maundy Thursday 28 March**

Commemoration of the Last Supper with foot washing – 8am St Mary's Anglican, Montville, 8.30am St Augustine's Anglican, Palmwoods & 6pm St George's Anglican, Maleny (followed by the watch).

#### **UC NAME BADGES**

If you would like to order a badge (approx \$7) please add your name to the sheet on the back table at Maleny Church or phone Barbara, 5494 2238

E: admin@ourcommonlife.org.au

Blackall Range UC Inc: Maleny UC, Montville UC, Palmwoods UC.

#### **MONTVILLE REFLECTION GALLERY DISPLAY**

Today we installed Dr Gregg Nowell's Stations of the Cross series in the Reflection Gallery. The Stations of the Cross sequence is that traditionally followed in the Roman Catholic Church and takes the viewer through the arrest, trial, suffering and death of Jesus with the inclusion of his resurrection.

The pictures in this new display lend themselves to quiet reflection as visitors have to move in close to see them.

In addition to the Stations of the Cross, Gregg has hung a large abstract painting above the pulpit.



Led by the Act2 Project, Uniting in Prayer is a national Uniting Church prayer event to take place between Pentecost and the 47th Uniting Church Anniversary (19 May – 22 June 2024).

As discernment continues about future directions for the Uniting Church, this is a time to come together in thanksgiving and hope, in openness to the Holy Spirit.

For 35 days we'll share in daily prayers from across our Church, gather for prayer and worship and pray for each other through a national prayer chain which will connect every Uniting Church community to others.

In 2024, the daily prayers will have an emphasis on creativity and include written prayers, videos, images, songs, poetry and art. There is an open call for prayer submissions, with creatives particularly encouraged to contribute. Prayers are due 31 March 2024.

A range of prayer and worship resources will be available in mid-April. Save the date now in your personal and church calendars and sign up on the website to receive the resources, daily prayers and updates straight to your inbox.



# Exciting Announcement: Launch of Moreton Rivers Presbytery's Centre for Ministry and Leadership (CML) in 2024!

Moreton Rivers Presbytery is launching the Centre for Ministry and Leadership (CML) in 2024. Offering short courses and workshops throughout the year, with core competency courses for Ministry of Pastor, Lay Preacher, and Period of Discernment participants. Face-to-face workshops (including Hybrid) at Clayfield Uniting Church.

- Here is the registration link for blocks 1 and 2
- Centre for Ministry and Leadership schedule

Contact office@mrpres.org.au for details.

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