



# St Martin's News



6th October 2024

Mark 9: 38-50



## Church Roster

**Sunday 6th October 2024**

**Worship Leader: Rev John Steed**

**Bible Reader: Robert: Jb 1:1, 2:1-10, Ps: 26, Heb 1: 1-4, 2: 5-12, Mark 10: 2-16** **Morning Tea: Rita**  
**Older Person's Sunday—Celebrating the Wisdom of Older People**

**Sunday 13th October 2024**

**Worship Leader: Rev Sophia Lizares**

**Bible Reader: Tobias: Jb 23: 1-9, 16-17, Ps 22:1-15, Heb 4: 12-16, Mk 10: 17-31**  
**Morning Tea: Frontier Service BBQ - Hana**

The 10am Services each Sunday at KUC will be on zoom:  
[Sunday Service Link](#)

The St Martin's Foothills Website:  
<https://foothills.ucwa.au/>

## The With Love to the World Zoom Bible Studies

Tues Oct 8th 7.30pm - 8.30pm

Please use this link. [Zoom with Love to the World](#)  
Meeting ID: 823 4625 3732 Passcode: 933264 if required

## The Great Unravelling: Advent reflections –

The 6 week study commencing on Wed 6th Nov 9.30-11am at KUC and Thurs 7th Nov 7.30-9:00pm at St. Martin's will focus on material developed by the UC Saltbush Community of NSW. More info: [saltbushcommunity.uca.org.au/content/uploads/2022/12/The-Great-Unravelling.pdf](http://saltbushcommunity.uca.org.au/content/uploads/2022/12/The-Great-Unravelling.pdf).

**Please RSVP by 13 Oct.** Sign up for either study group by adding your name to the sign up sheet in the church entry or email: [kalaucoffice@iinet.net.au](mailto:kalaucoffice@iinet.net.au)

## Dates for the Diary

**Saturday 5th Oct:** 9am-12noon Market Day KUC

**Tuesday 8th Oct:** 2pm Men's Conversation Group At Alex Graham's

**Saturday 12th Oct:** Craft & Chat 10am—11.30am "Happy Grandparents Day"

**Sunday 13th Oct:** A sausage sizzle will follow the worship service. Donations can be made on line (reference Frontier Services) or in the donation box provided on the day.



**Friday 18th Oct:** Yarning Circle 10am-11.30am KUC

**Saturday 19th Oct:** Messy Church at KUC 4pm-6.30pm. Feeding the Five Thousand

**Sun 20th Oct:** 1st Planning Day - SWOT Exercise

**Wed 6th Nov KUC and Thurs 7th Nov St Martin's** Advent Studies commence:



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Last Saturday Sylvia and Don Wright who are volunteer reps from Uniting World visited KUC and Mary was also able to show them around St Martin's and the Op-Shop when they called in there. They were very impressed with what they saw and sent a lovely thank you message when they returned to Hervey Bay.



Through **Uniting World** we can choose to give an

**Everything in Common** gift

to friends and family this Christmas. Each gift you give a loved one, supports people and communities to fight poverty in the face of climate change and environmental degradation. Your generosity makes a real difference. I can't imagine what grandchild wouldn't like to receive a **Chicken or bag of Goat Poo** as part of their Christmas Gift. More information and a link to their catalogue:

[Uniting World Everything in Common](#)

This week I received another letter from our Moderator Rev Dr Ian Tozer this time sharing the sad news of the passing of Rev John Phillipson. Many of us will remember John. Ian's letter reflecting on John's life is attached. Another amazing life lived in the service of our Lord.



Boxes are still available in the Church entry, choose Girl or Boy and age, then pack the Christmas box as per [info link](#) and hand onto Rita with \$12.50 delivery before 14th October.



Saturday November 9th  
7pm at St Martin's  
**Put it in your diary!**

Come along to a **Fun** night not a **Fundraiser** night. Bring drinks, nibbles and friends to make up a table of six or join others to make up a table of six. Coffee and cake provided. A registration list is in the Church entry.

## A Message from Sophia

**World Communion Sunday** -- Following our Methodist tradition, we mark the first Sunday in October as World Communion Sunday. This is a time to greet friends and churches near and far. So why not send messages to Christian friends especially in the Middle East, the Pacific and Asia, Reach out especially to those who are vulnerable because of disasters, war, isolation and poverty who might feel they have to struggle on their own. How good and pleasant it is for Christians to live together in unity!