



St Martin's News



14th December 2025

Matt 11: 2-11

The Third Sunday of Advent



Church Roster

Sunday 14th December 2025

Worship Leader: Robert Watson

Bible Reader: Doug: Is 35: 1-10, Ps 146: 5-10 or Lk 1: 46b-55, Jas 5:7-10, Mat 11: 2-11 **M/Tea: Gaye**

Sunday 21st December 2025

Worship Leader: Rev Alison Longworth

Bible Reader: Robert: Is 7: 10-16, Ps 80: 1-7, 17-19, Rom 1: 1-7, Mat 21:18-25 **M/Tea Trish**

The President of Uniting Church in Australia
Rev Charissa Suli's

[Christmas Message](#)



Important Notice

At the Congregational meeting on November 16th it was decided the Worship service time on Sunday mornings at St Martin's will change from **8am to 9am as of Sunday the 4th January 2026.**

What's Happening!

Christmas Craft and Chat Today Dec 13th
10am - 11.30am in the Community Centre

Advent Bible Studies at KUC
3pm Monday 15th or 3pm Wednesday 17th December

Christmas Day at St Martin's 8am

At Kalamunda UC:

- **Saturday 20th Dec 4.30pm Carol Singing**
- **Christmas Eve Service 7pm**
- **Christmas Day 10am**



Summer Spirit - 21st & 22nd February
Walking Together, Covenanting Together
Floreat Uniting Church - Early Bird Registrations
now open and win a book prize. [Find Out More](#)

**ACT
FOR
PEACE**

Act for Peace Christmas Bowl

This Sunday at St Martin's we will hear about the work Act for Peace is doing in Indonesia. Donations can be made into the Church Bank A/c Ref: AFP/Christmas Bowl etc or by using the envelopes which will be available at church. If you are donating on line, please also place the symbolic envelope in the bowl.

Sharing a Hills Christmas

Next week the packing of all the donations received and items bought from cash donations will be packed and distributed to those doing it tough this Christmas. If you can help, please speak to Mary. Many special gifts will also go to folk in nursing homes. This Sunday is the last day to bring your donated items. You can also donate into the church bank account with the reference of: SAHC, in a box for cash at morning tea or, if preferred, donations can be given to Mary or Doug.



The St Martin's Foothills Website:

<https://foothills.ucwa.au/>

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

Please do not hesitate to contact **Rev John Steed** or **Rev Janelle Macgregor**, who are available for Pastoral Care.

A MAN WITH A MESSAGE We read in St. Matthew's Gospel of an enquiry about the Ministry of Jesus. Another preacher, John the Baptist, heard about Jesus. He wondered if this was the ONE about whom the Prophet Isaiah had foretold years before. John sent his disciples to find Jesus and hear what he was saying and then come back and report to him. They were satisfied that Jesus was indeed fulfilling the Prophetic witness. The Jews of the First century AD assumed that salvation was inherited from their ancestors. However the Gospel message tells us that it is a personal acceptance by faith in the finished work of Jesus Christ. Jesus told John's disciples to see for themselves. There is the living proof. As we celebrate this Christmas season, we know that Jesus came to proclaim the Good News that a Saviour has come with the gift of New Life to all who will receive Him. He is the Saviour. That is at the very centre of our celebrations. That is the source of all true joy.

Rev John Steed

The Orange Sky December 2025 Newsletter is now out. Take a look at what is happening all around Australia with this amazing group of volunteers. Our turn will come!!! **READ SPIN CYCLE**

Oh Dear! I have just realised that there are only two weeks until the end of the year and the **New Roster** has not yet been organised. Please help me out by adding your name to the Roster on Sunday.



It was a wonderful Christmas morning tea at the Community Centre on Thursday, amazing food, fellowship, a singalong, Christmassy clothes, a visit from Santa, entertainment by Eric with a beautiful Filipino song (translated in English). The only thing missing, was a good photographer. Sorry!

