

imagination and faith – filled experience and turn it into song.
 Refreshments provided. This workshop is free but donations appreciated.
 To register email: David - saints674@iinet.net.au or
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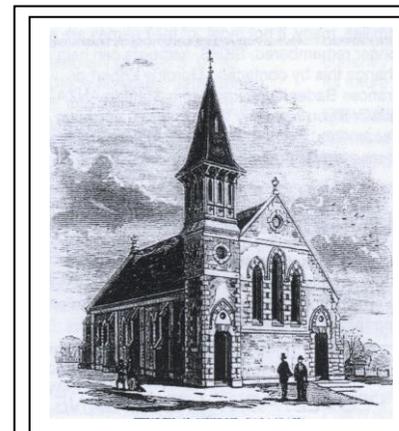
Multi-faith Poetry and Faith Group here Wednesday 29 November 6.30pm. The theme is “doubt”.

We respectfully acknowledge the Yalukit Willam clan of the Boon Wurrung. We pay our respects to their Elders and community past and present. We acknowledge and uphold their continuing relationship to this land.

Date	October 22	October 29	November 5
<i>Worship Assistance</i>	Rob Hoskin Roma	Coralie Ling Mary	Rob Hoskin Randall
<i>Welcome at door</i>	Beverley	Brian	Louise
<i>Pre-Service Prayer</i>	Brian	Janet	Roma
<i>Flowers</i>	Beverley	Deb	Desleigh
<i>Coffee</i>	Mark/Ruth	Mary	Louise

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VISION STATEMENT:
 As a community of faith, the St Kilda Uniting Church Parish Mission strives to do what is just, to show constant love and to walk humbly with God.
NEWSLETTER DETAILS:
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**St Kilda Uniting Church
 Parish Mission**

**NEWSLETTER
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PENTECOST 20

You are most welcome to the service today with a special welcome to members of the Boab Network. Rev Robert Hoskin will lead our worship. Please stay afterwards for tea/coffee.

**Bible Reading: Exodus 3: 1 – 15 pg 64
 ,Luke 4: 14 – 30 pg 1129**

From Robert; This morning we continue our focus on diversity, with an emphasis on cultural diversity. We welcome members of the Boab Network, an outreach program developed by the Floreat Uniting Church, Perth. The Network arose as a positive response to the concern of the Mowanjum community in the Kimberley for its children and youth. We will present the program of community development and children/youth work in today’s worship, highlighting the fact that this is a creative program of the Uniting Church, involving many people within and outside of the church. Ross Gobby, who has coordinated many aspects of the program and is also involved in the Black Pearl Network, another outreach of Floreat UCA to people in Papua, will be in conversation with Robert together with other Boab Network members.

Robert, together with Eddie Bear a Ngarinyin Elder and community leader, launched their book, *Return to Majaddin- a Kimberley homecoming* at Mowanjum Arts Centre, then Floreat UCA in Perth. To complement the launch, Robert organised a three day visit for Eddie and his brother to Pastoral Stations, Napier and Kimberley Down, together with their former boss and co-worker. The visit was filmed by the manager of the local radio station. PTO for details of Book Launch.

Songs/Hymns

TiS 647: Comfort, comfort

TiS 650: Brother, sister let me serve you

TiS 779: May the feet of God

Prayers of intercession:

**The One with many names, and who is beyond all names:
Hear our prayer**

We pray for the people of St Kilda, those with many cultures and many faiths

For those who frequent our drop in, for those who work in the building nearby

For those who are the first peoples, those who are immigrants

We pray that our church may be relevant to their needs

May we continue our mission blessed by your love

**The One with many names, and who is beyond all names
Hear our prayer**

We pray for the people of the Kimberley, those who live in outlying communities

And those who live in its major towns For the people of Mowanjum, their children and youth

May their culture be acknowledged and their right be upheld

May they find their place in the Australian dream

**The One with many names, and who is beyond all names
Hear our prayer**

We pray for the Boab Network and our sister church of Floreat

We acknowledge their work over many years

May they find strength to continue, and resources to care

May their work with Mowanjum and with the people of Papua be blessed and supported, as they continue to walk with these remarkable people

**The One with many names, and who is beyond all names
Hear our prayer**

And we pray for each other, our families and loved ones

May our homes enjoy grace and healing

May our work find fulfilment

May our lives reflect the person of Jesus

As we strive to over-come injustice and work toward peace.

**The One with many names, and who is beyond all names
Hear our prayer**

Notices

JCMA Friendship Walk. This afternoon October 22. Booking is necessary (online). Notice Board

***The Port Phillip Citizens for Reconciliation* will be celebrating 20 years, tomorrow Monday 23 October 6.30 to 8.30pm at St Kilda Town Hall. Notice Board**

Galiamble Art Exhibition
St Kilda Baptist Church Foyer Gallery, 9 Pakington St., St Kilda this Wednesday 25 October:6 -8pm
This will be a night of celebration with music, art and light refreshments. All art is available for sale at very affordable prices and can be collected on the night – cash sales only - all proceeds to the artists.

Progressive Christian Network Lecture Series with Dr Hal Taussig eating together, living in community: what the early Christian movement can teach us.
St Michael's Uniting Church, Collins St., Melbourne. Friday October 27 @7pm will be an introductory address and on **Saturday 28: 10 – 4pm** there will be four lectures. Come and hear the fascinating story uncovered by recent research, of the early Christian movement, and why that is relevant to Christianity today Registration form on **Notice Board**.

Reading Discussion Group The next Discussion Night will be **Wednesday 8 November** at Mary & Brian's. Article for discussion to be distributed prior to the evening

Grandmothers against Detention of Refugee Children: Public Seminar: The Undoing of Australia Fair – the political and moral cost of Australia's treatment of refugees.

Sunday 12 November 9.15am to 1pm, ANMF Building, 535 Elizabeth St., Melbourne. Cost \$15.

Booking essential. Notice board

163 Table Conversations. Sharing Food – Sharing Ideas. The next Table Conversations is Tuesday November 28. Rob Hess will be the speaker.

Book launch and BBQ: here on Sunday 19 November 12nd following the church service. Robert Hoskin and Eddie Bear will launch their book ***Return to Majaddin – a Kimberley homecoming.*** This will be followed by a BBQ – more details to come.

Come and join the contemporary song/hymn writing workshop with Robin Mann - here at St Kilda. Saturday 25 November
Writing music/melodies: 9.30 – 12
Writing lyrics: 1 – 4pm
Sunday 26 at 10.30 David will lead the worship with Robin and we will hopefullsing songs that are less than 24hrs old! Let's have a go at untapping all that theological