Minlaton Uniting Church – SEPTEMBER 2018 www.minlatonuniting.com

Sun Sept 2, 10am	Peter Burford – Exodus 33:12- 23	Flowers: Jeanette	
Sun Sept 9, 10am	Ps Rob Morgan – Frontier Services	Flowers: Margo	
	Service will be followed by a Frontier Services Great Outback BBQ	-	
Sun Sept 16, 10am HC	Peter Burford – Exodus 34:29-35	Flowers: Margaret	
Sun Sept 23, 10am	Peter Burford – Deuteronomy 4:32-40 & Jeremiah 2: 10 - 13	Flowers: Jenny	
Sun Sept 30, 10am	Rev John Dunkley - Deuteronomy 6	Flowers: Margo	

Tidy & Sweep Outside of Church Buildings: September – McIntosh Family

Mission Gift Giving in September is 'Frontier Services'. Frontier Services supports isolated Aussie Farmers, Bush Chaplains and the Outback Links volunteers' program. The Vision of Frontier Services is: "We dream of an Australia where everyone who lives in our regional and remote areas are cared for and supported, and have a mantle of safety and wellbeing. Australian people who live out bush experience the tyranny of distance and social isolation. These include indigenous communities, isolated properties, mining communities, and other remotely located communities. And for them, we are the people who turn up out of the blue to lend an ear, give a helping hand, and be of service." www.frontierservices.org Money will be raised with mission gift giving and with donations at the Great Outback BBQ. Ps Rob Morgan will lead the service on Sunday 9th September. During this service Jan Prentice will share about her time as volunteer with Outback Links. A sausage sizzle will follow the service. Donations of salads for the Great Outback BBQ will be appreciated. All other food will be supplied. 'Mission Gift' envelopes are in the foyer. Donations are tax deductible. Let Don or Deb know to add your name to the receipt register.

Church Council (Chairperson: Mark Anderson, Secretary: Carlene Cook) Next meeting is <u>Tuesday 11th September</u> at 7.30pm, in the Church Hall.

Friendship Café (Contact person: Joyce Yeomans) Every <u>Wednesday, 11am-1pm</u>. In the Church Hall for morning tea, light lunches and an opportunity to sit and chat.

Know Your Bible Study Group – KYB (Contact person: Chris Martin)

The study is "Proverbs – Living Wisely" 10am at the church

Unit 8, 'Wise Attitudes' - Thursday, 6th September Unit 9, 'Wise Witness / Conclusion' - Thursday 27th September

Services at Southpark Hostel 9.45am & Melaleuca Court 11am each Thursday (Contact person: Chris Martin). The Uniting Church is responsible for services on the second Thursday of the month – 13th September led by Chris Martin. Help is always appreciated.

Fellowship (President: Sally Sims, Secretary: Carlene Cook) <u>Wednesday 19th September</u> Garden Visit to Robbie and Phillip Redding's. Meet at the church car park at 1.30pm. This will be confirmed closer to the date. Hosts – Doves. Bring &Buy.

MUNCH (Minlaton UNiting CHurch) Kids, Monday or Tuesday afternoons, 3.15 to 4.15pm. (Leaders Sarah McIntosh & Rachel Cook) MUNCH Kids is held in the church hall, with the aim being to share the love of Jesus through friendship, Bible stories, games, craft and songs. For kids aged 5-12 years. Parents are welcome to stay or drop kids off. There is no MUNCH in Term 3, but it will recommence in Term 4.

Combined Churches Youth (CCY) (Minlaton UC leaders are Ellen Burford and Joe Cook) See Facebook page 'Combined Churches Youth' for activities and Bible studies (Monday nights).

Home groups: Contact one of the elders below to find details of the home groups available. They usually meet fortnightly on Thursdays in school terms.

Keep the dates free:

Saturday 20th October – Strawberry Fair

Sunday 4th November – Taize Service, 2.30pm. Theme is 'Unity'.

General Information -

Minister: Ps Rob Morgan 8852 1439; 0418938846

Elders: Mark Anderson 0428 534 228; Peter Burford 0427 971 267; Phil Cook 8853 2291; Don Sims 8853 2376

Prayer meeting: Each Sunday at 9.15am in the foyer

Prayer in church: please ask permission before making requests for others

Birthdays are celebrated at morning tea - 3rd Sunday of month

Church Library in the fover has books, cds & dvds. All services are on cd.

Church website is www.minlatonuniting.com – sermons can be downloaded

Offering can be paid by EFT into the 'Minlaton Uniting Church Fund' at Bank SA. BSB 105 064 Account number 260893640.