Eden Uniting Worship Service

6 February 2022

Theme: The Artistry of Fishing

Call to Worship

Let us Worship God

God is spirt, and those who worship God must worship in spirit and in truth. (John 4:24)

You are worthy, Our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.' (Revelation 4:11)

Opening Song of Praise - Be thou my vision

(Songs of Fellowship 42)

Acknowledgement of Country

St Georges Uniting Church, Eden

acknowledges that we are on the traditional lands of Aboriginal people.

We pay respect to the Yuin people, especially to their elders past and present,

and recognise the continuing gift of their

culture to the life and spirit of Australia.

Prayer of Invocation

Come to us God of Hope. Come to us with your promises. Come in your mysterious presence. Come, that we may marvel at your faithfulness in past generations; That we may celebrate the new things you are doing among us today; That we may be your pilgrim people after the character of Jesus our Lord. Come to us God of Hope. **Amen.**

Prayer of Confession

For our misuse of creation Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

For our failure to love as you have loved us, Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. For our lack of faith in your gift of life.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Words of Assurance from Romans 5:6 While we were still weak, Christ died for the ungodly.

Psalm 138:1-3

Ministry of the Word - Bible Reading - Luke 5:1-11

Children's Talk - Pat Coates

Bible Reading Continues - 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Sermon - Michael

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Notices

Song - Be still my soul (Songs of Fellowship 40)

Prayers of Intercession - Petra

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in Heaven, Hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the Kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen

The Offertory - A Retiring Offertory opportunity is located at the door otherwise please consider making your offertory by Direct Debit to Account Name – St Georges UC-General BSB Number – 641 800 mAccount Number – 200354335

Offertory Sentence & Prayer

Concluding Song - To God be the Glory (Songs of Fellowship 559)

Blessing and Dismissal

The blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.** Go out into the world in the power of the Spirit; in all things, at all times, remember that Christ is with you; make your life your worship to the praise and glory of God. **Amen**