St John's Wahroonga Uniting Church Newsletter



11 October 2026

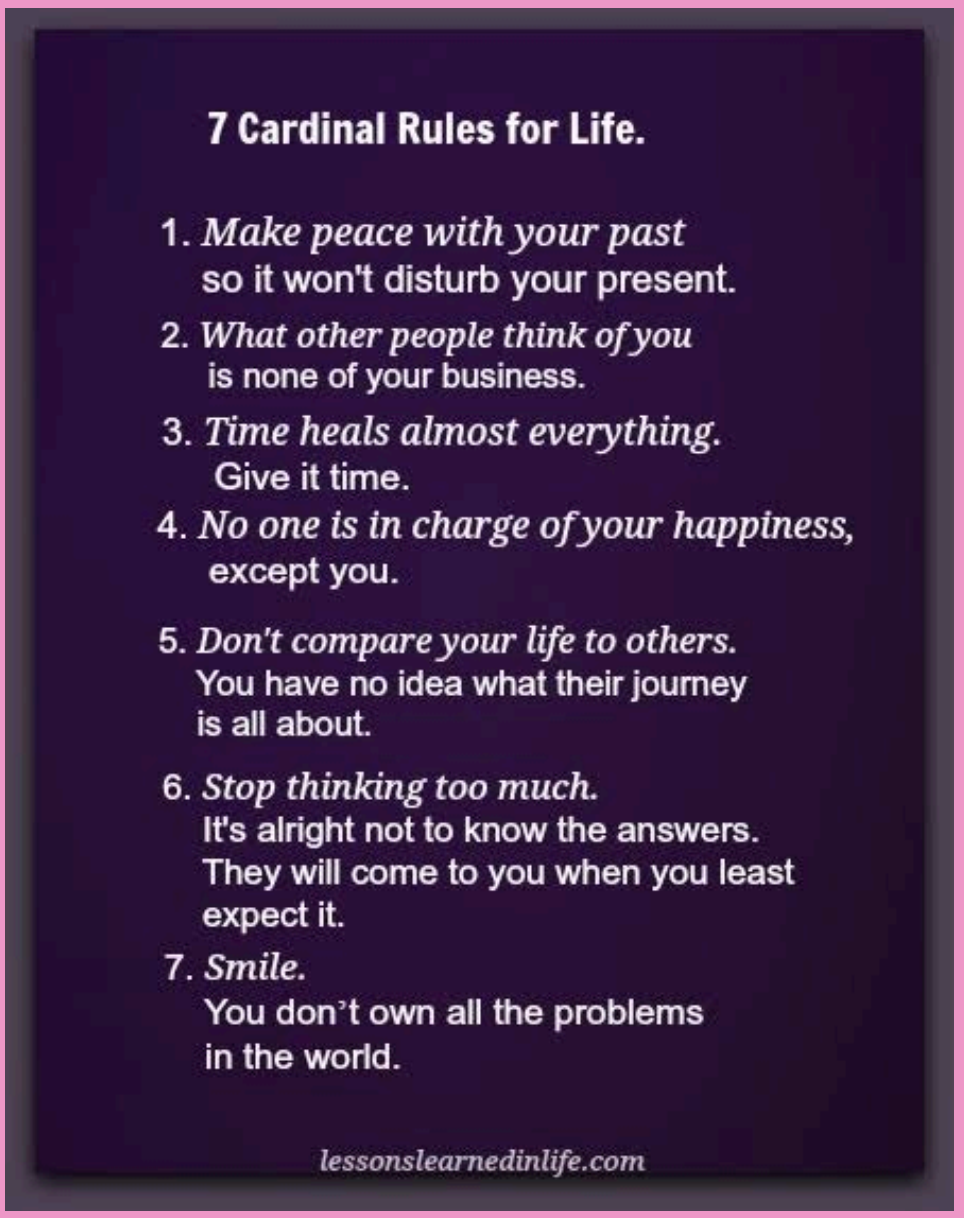
St John's Weekly Newsletter

Each week, we gather stories, reflections, and updates that celebrate the life of our church community. Whether you're a long-time member or a first-time reader, we hope this newsletter inspires, informs, and invites you to connect more deeply with our shared journey of faith, service, and fellowship.

🌿 You're warmly invited to worship with us online! 🌿
St John's is delighted to welcome you to our Sunday Morning on Zoom.
🕊️ Sunday
⏰ 9:30 AM
Join us from home as we gather in prayer, reflection, and community.
🔗 Zoom Link:
https://uca-nswact.zoom.us/j/4747345102
Meeting ID: 474 734 5102

We look forward to worshipping with you.

ZOOM LINK



Dear Friends,

In your prayer time in the week ahead, you may like to consider the above? This is the path to freedom'

📢 Dates to Remember

Rev Manas will be away leave from 6 October to 25 October

11 October - **Morna Buys** will be leading the Service
18 October - First Day back for Term 4 (Sunday school)
18 October - **Rev Judy Caldwell** will be leading the Service
25 October - **Family Church service** - Service run by the Sunday School
29 November - **Rev Arthur Pearce** will be leading the Service
20 December - Normal Church service at 9:30am
20 December - Carol Service at 7:00pm
24 December - No Church service
25 December - Christmas Service at 9:30am
27 December - No Church Service

ROSTER for 11 September 2026

Service Leader: Morna Buys
Duty Elder: Bob Cowan
Door & Collections Duty:
Cowan Family
Tea Duty: Annie Loxton
AV: Jack Cambridge
Organist: Rosie Blake



ROSTER for 18 October 2026

Service Leader: Judy Caldwell
Duty Elder: Ruth Barwick
Communion: Morna Buys
Bible Reading: Bob Cowan
Prayer: Alison Stewart
Door & Collections Duty: Stewarts
AV: Jack Cambridge
Organist: Rosie Blake



IMPORTANTS NOTICE

Kindly note that the picnic on **11 October 2026** has been postponed.
We will let you know as soon as there is a new date.

SUNDAY SCHOOL



🌼 **Sunday School @ St John's Uniting Church**

Enjoy your break

Sunday School will be back on 18 October 2026

📣 Message from the Choir 📣

St Johns has a proud history of church music and choral music. But recently the small number of choristers on some occasions has placed an undue strain on some of those remaining.
We understand that many members of the congregation enjoy the short musical interludes of the introit and anthem and we very much want to continue singing them.
Most members of the church can take a short break away from church without it affecting anyone else. But with very small numbers of choristers, this is not always possible. Members of the choir have discussed options such as rostering, but without more members, can find no solution.
We would appreciate any singers joining us, even if you cannot come every week. We rehearse at 8.30 before church and after morning tea on Sundays.

Please prayerfully consider this predicament.

Hi all,

Our remaining 2026 dates are (all Fridays)
- 13 November
And Friday 8 January 2027!

Thanks all,
Edwina
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Join the Dish's Facebook page and see what great work is being done for the community (Click Here)



St John's Wahroonga Bible Study

Bible Study meets on Zoom every 1st and 3rd Friday of the month at 10am.
We'd love you to join us.
Please contact Wendy on
0410 504 104 for the Zoom link, if you'd like to be a part of the study group.



Art @ St John's

Art @ St John's meets every Wednesday morning at 9.30am during the State school term. New members are most welcome. Please contact Wendy Verco if you'd like more information, on 0410 504 104.

St John’s members wishing to make Direct Deposits to St John's can use either of the following Investment/(Bank) Accounts. THANK YOU

For **identifiable deposits** (**note no apostrophe in St Johns**)

- St Johns UC Wahroonga
- BSB 634634
- Investment Number 100020571

For **confidential deposits** (**note no apostrophe in St Johns**)

- St Johns UC Wahroonga-Giving Direct
- BSB 634634
- Investment Number 100026453

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