

We are Church

A progressive, inclusive Christian faith community for <u>all</u> of God's people to be safe, seen and celebrated.

January 2023

Hi everyone,

Dates for your calendar

Here are the dates for the first quarter of 2023.

- 12 February
- 26 February
- 12 March
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Coffee

Coffee, for many folk, is a **big** part of life. It certainly is for me. Chatting around a good cup of coffee makes for good community connection and good community connection is part of what We are Church holds dear.

So it seemed only fitting to get ourselves a good coffee machine. I hope you have had a delicious cup from our machine?

Also, we will be using Bean There coffee in our coffee machine. Bean There is a company committed to similar values that we hold to as a community. They are proudly Faitrade, which is an ethical certification whose main aim is to promote more equality and sustainability in the farming sector.

Social Justice

Our community is an amazing space where a large number of people are involved with, either part-time or full-time, in the upliftment of our city and country. From community action forums, to township teacher development to support for trans folk, we are blessed be a part of so many fabulous initiatives. Please support these are we highlight their needs.

Our website

www.wearechurchsa.com

Banking details

If you would like to make a contribution to We are Church, here at the details:

FNB Current Account Account Name: We Are Church Account Number: 6302 7817 569

General Notices

If you would like to get involved by serving in the children's or teen's ministries, or to contribute to any of our services (reading, prayers, worship, preaching, teaching, etc) or by bringing snacks and drinks, please get in touch (jane@codrington.biz). Volunteers are more than welcome - we actually expect you to get involved.

Some helpful resources

If you would like to have a ready-made playlist of **worship** songs available to you, here is a something that you may enjoy.

https://music.apple.com/gb/playlist/we-are-church-worship/pl.u-vxy6k04C1oKo9b

This is the link to the "We are Church" **YouTube Channel**. This is where the recordings of our talks are kept. Please go there and subscribe. Once we have 100 subscribers we will be able to name it "We are Church".

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzK3t1lg1v-ADNAd3 rQ-zA

Some of you may want to follow the readings that I often refer to. Here is the **Lectionary** link: <u>https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/downloads/Year%20C%202021-2022.pdf</u>