# THE UNITING CHURCH IN AUSTRALIA

#### BALLARAT CENTRAL PARISH MISSION

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### ST. ANDREW'S KIRK

Sunday 9th. October, 1988.



### ORDER OF SERVICE.

PRELUDE: "Sheep may safely graze." J.S. Bach

INVOCATION: "And Jesus said to the man, 'Do you want to be made whole?'

PRAYER: Lord of Creation, we thank you for your healing power, both in our own lives and in the lives of others. Enable us in our life and work to minister faithfully to the needs of others. Health and healing and wholeness are your perfect will and purpose.

Use us, we pray, in Jesus' Name, Amen.

STATEMENT OF OCCASION. Rev. H.C. Martin

HYMN 28 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation."

STORYTIME Deaconess Bev Pratt

HYMN 399 "Father in Heaven"

(Remain standing for the Mizpah) "May the Lord watch between me and thee whilst we are absent one from another."

THANKSGIVING & THE LORD'S PRAYER. Deaconess Bev Pratt

GUEST ARTIST: Margaret Cottle

READINGS FROM THE BIBLE:

The Gospel of Mark 7:31-37 Miss Liz Brady, Director of Nursing, Base Hospital.

The Gospel of Mark 8:22-26 - Miss Wyn Rogan
Deputy Director of Nursing Education.

Ascription: This is the Gospel of the Lord. Response: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

MEDITATION: "The Hospital" (Michael Quoist)

HYMN 552 "Have faith in God, my heart."

INTIMATIONS & PRINTED NOTICES

OFFERTORY: "Largo"

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DOXOLOGY

The Recitation of the Nurse's Pledge Led by Marie Dell I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE SPECIAL TRAINING I HAVE RECEIVED

HAS PREPARED ME AS A RESPONSIBLE MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY.

I PROMISE TO CARE FOR THE SICK WITH ALL THE SKILL I POSSESS, NO MATTER WHAT THEIR RACE, CREED, COLOR, POLITICS, OR SOCIAL STATUS, SPARING NO EFFORT TO CONSERVE LIFE, ALLEVIATE PAIN AND PROMOTE HEALTH. I PROMISE TO RESPECT AT ALL TIMES THE DIGNITY OF THE PATIENT IN MY CHARGE.

I PROMISE TO HOLD IN CONFIDENCE ALL PERSONAL INFORMATION ENTRUSTED TO ME.

I PROMISE TO KEEP MY KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL AT A PROFESS-IONAL LEVEL, AND TO GIVE THE HIGHEST STANDARDS OF NURSING CARE TO MY PATIENTS.

I PROMISE TO CARRY OUT INTELLIGENTLY AND LOYALLY ALL MEDICAL INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN TO ME.

I PROMISE THAT MY PERSONAL LIFE SHALL AT ALL TIMES BRING CREDIT TO MY PROFESSION.

I PROMISE TO SHARE IN THE RESPONSIBILITY OF OTHER PROFESSIONS AND CITIZENS FOR PROMOTING HEALTH LOCALLY, NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY.

HYMN 77. "For the beauty of the earth."

HOMILY "Made whole in body and soul." Rev.H.C. Martin

PETITION: O Christ, you came so that we might have life, and have it more abundantly, grant us power in our love, strength in our humility, purity in our zeal, kindness in our laughter, and peace in our hearts, now and forever.

AMEN.

HYMN 534 (to Vox Dilecti) "O God our Father"

BENEDICTION: The Grace of God be in your eyes to minister to His joy; the Grace of God be in your lips to minister to His truth; the Grace of God be in your hands to minister to His healing power; the Grace of God be in your hearts that all may know the love of God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

"Now unto Him..." (Words in back of Hymn Book.)

POSTLUDE: March from "Parthenope" Handel

### NOTICES.

We welcome you warmly to this special service of worship. Be pleased to stay for a cup of tea/coffee in St. Andrew's Hall after the service.

The Choir will also rehearse at this time.

TONIGHT: 7 p.m. Evening Worship. Rev. H. Martin.

### THIS WEEK:

Wed. 12th. 7.30 p.m. Parish Council Executive in Lydiard St. Manse

Thurs.13th. 2.00 p.m. Fellowship meets in St. Andrew's Manse. Everybody welcome.

Speaker: Miss Bena McNabb

Thurs.13th. 5.00 p.m. Kuca Club here at St. Andrew's.

## NEXT SUNDAY 16th. October 1988

10 a.m. Worship Service Rev. H. Martin (Includes participation of Ind. Order of Rechabites)

10 a.m. Sunday School

Continue to listen and enjoy CHURCH FORUM on 3BBB - F.M. Wednesdays at 6 p.m., hosted by Rev. H. Martin.

CHRISTMAS CARDS ARE AVAILABLE - For Council of Christian Education in Schools - 35 c. each. See Bena McNabb - For Outreach - 25 c. each. See Bess Martin.

From St. Andrew's U.C.F. To all who supported our Cake Stall on Election Day - a big "Thank You." Total Proceeds: \$300. 80

"WOMEN & CHRISTIANITY" - a series of meetings to be held at Christ Church Cathedral - led by noted author and speaker - MRS. A.M.CHAMBERS.

"What is it really all about?" Monday 31st. Oct. "Does everyone need it?" Tuesday 1st. Nov. Wednesday 2nd. Nov. "What is God really like?" "Do I affect other people?" Thursday 3rd. Nov. "The Happy Christian." Friday 4th. Nov.

All meetings are at 10.30 a.m.

As this service is being held to commemorate the centenary of the Nursing School of the Ballarat Base Hospital, the "Heather Irwin" Flower Shop in the hospital has produced a floral exhibit to commemorate the occasion. This may be seen on the Communion Table.

#### THOUGHT:

What we know is this one thing, namely, that He is building his Kingdom through all suffering and all judgment, that He is on his way with his Church, with all nations and the whole creation, and that He has a definite goal for all of them.

But faith can never neglect all the preliminary, very profane goals on this road. Never would slavery have been abolished, social responsibility aroused, jungle hospitals built, or the Red Cross founded without a faith on it's way with God to God's ultimate goal.

Edvard Schweitzer.