



# Toorak Uniting Church Newsletter

## Update 20 November 2022

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Sunday services 9:00 & 10:15am

*The deadline for Update submissions is 3pm on the Tuesday prior*

### Swedish Church Christmas Market

Open 12 November to 18 December

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 10am - 4pm.

Sunday 12 - 4pm.

Scandinavian handmade Christmas decorations, gifts, food, lollies and other treats.

For update information please see: [svenkakyrgan.se/](http://svenkakyrgan.se/)  
Melbourne. Swedish Church, 21 St Georges Rd Toorak.



### Wallfisch and Telemann Sunday December 4, 3pm

with the Melbourne Baroque Orchestra at Toorak Uniting Church

In a very rare Australian appearance, **Elizabeth Wallfisch** returns to her home town to share her irrepressible musicality and her love of Telemann in this fourth and final concert of the **Melbourne Baroque Orchestra 2022 series**.

In 2021, Elizabeth Wallfisch received the coveted **Georg Philipp Telemann Prize**, awarded annually by the German town of Magdeburg, birthplace of the composer. The award recognises Wallfisch's extraordinary recordings of the complete Telemann violin concerti.

So this concert will be an **all-Telemann extravaganza** which will include the rather crazy **Don Quixote Suite**, in which Telemann follows one day in the life of Cervantes' hero (complete with windmills, unrequited love, and horses). And there will be a fascinating abundance of **violin concerti**: 4 violins without accompaniment, two violins with string accompaniment, and to finish, a solo violin concerto with strings.

**Tickets:** \$40 standard/\$25 concession/\$15 student/under 12 free. Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/BWWSZ>

Can't come but would like to make a **tax-deductible donation** to the Melbourne Baroque Orchestra? Help us reach our \$5,000 target for 2022: we are up to \$3,050!

[Donate here](#) Enquiries: 0420 866 461

[www.melbournebaroqueorchestra.com](http://www.melbournebaroqueorchestra.com)



We give thanks that Barbara McKinnon has been elected as the new Chair of Church Council. For any church-related matters, you can contact Barbara via email at [chair@toorakuc.org.au](mailto:chair@toorakuc.org.au)

## Meeting of the Congregation

A meeting of the Congregation will be held on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November in the Faichney Room at 9.30am.

Time permitting, questions may be asked at the above Congregational Meeting, however, the preference is for any questions to be emailed to:

[treasurer@toorakuc.org.au](mailto:treasurer@toorakuc.org.au)

**You are invited to a night of drama and Christmas fare  
at St John's Toorak Parish Hall  
at 7pm on Saturday 10th December**



# **A CHRISTMAS CAROL**



**By Charles Dickens**

**Performed by Wendy Crouch**

**And accompanied by 'smoking bishop'\* and Christmas treats**

*\*Mulled wine. Other beverages available*

**\$10 entry Proceeds to Richmond Churches' Food Centre**

## November Diary Dates

Sun	20 Nov	9:00am	Family Church Service	Rev. Peter Whitaker
Sun	20 Nov	10:15am	Morning Worship	Rev. Peter Whitaker
Tue	22 Nov	7:30pm	Discussion Group	Zoom
Wed	23 Nov	6:30pm	Handbell Rehearsal	Wettenhall Room
Thu	24 Nov	7:30pm	Church Council	Faichney Room
Sun	27 Nov	9:00am	Family Church Service	Rev. Peter Whitaker
Sun	27 Nov	10:15am	Morning Worship	Rev. Peter Whitaker
Tue	29 Nov	7:30pm	Discussion Group	Zoom
Wed	30 Nov	6:30pm	Handbell Rehearsal	Wettenhall Room
Thu	1 Dec	6:00pm	Choir Rehearsal	Faichney Room
Sun	4 Dec	9:00am	Family Church Service	Rev. Peter Whitaker
Sun	4 Dec	10:15am	Morning Worship	Rev. Peter Whitaker
Sun	4 Dec	7:00pm	Toorak Ecumenical Movement Advent Service	Rev. John Edwards

**Scan this QR-code for the Zoom link to the 7:30pm  
Tuesday evening Discussion Group**

