



A few years ago there was a television commercial that had me particularly bemused. It was for a popular soft drink and it showed a group of young people helping a friend move house. The final scene showed a few of them carrying a couch in; only to be interrupted by another jumping on the couch holding the said drink in her hand. The friends fell about laughing as if this was the funniest thing to have happened after two days of solid moving. Honestly, this would not have been my immediate response.

Moving anything requires effort. Whether it be moving house or schools, moving a limb after surgery, or a body after sitting down for a while. Moving requires not only a choice to be made but a preparedness to potentially be uncomfortable.

This week, spurred on by the reality of coming alive and being awake in the Spirit, we discover that we are designed (or redesigned) to be on the move. As the Spirit was moving before creation and in the forming of the Christian church, we as follower of Jesus are called now, to be on the Move; as His people, in our communities.

Move well and see you Sunday. Grace and peace, Pete

BAPTISM

We are considering the possibility of having a number of baptisms in the service on Sunday December 2nd. If you are interested in being baptized or have questions please contact Henry Rouse at henryrouse@gmail.com as soon as possible.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Congregational Meeting - Sunday 25th Nov. after the morning service. 2018 Reports and the 2019 Budget will be presented. We invite you to stay after the service and be a part of this significant time in the life of Playford UC.

Munno Para Christmas Pageant - THIS *Saturday 24th November*, Playford UC will be having a Float in the Pageant this year.

A Night Before Christmas - Women's Event - Friday 30th November Tickets \$12 - Online at anightbeforechristmas.eventbrite.com.au or order from Felicity - 0413 846 815

Sunday 18th, November 2018

CREATE - After School Activity Club

Tuesday 3.30-5.30pm

@ Playford Uniting Church

Call Nick: 0402 808 744

JUMP KID'S CHRISTMAS PUPPET PERFORMANCE

The Jump Kid's Ministry of Playford UC is presenting a "Christmas Puppet Performance" on *Sunday* 16th December during our Sunday service.

Notes about **rehearsals** have been given out but it is not too late for your child to join in. The first rehearsal will be **Saturday 1st Dec from 2-4pm** in the Worship Space. See **Ann Mildren** for more details.

UPCOMING SERVICES

Sunday 25th Nov : Rev. Pete Riggs MISSION - Moving & Cultivating

Sunday 2nd Dec: Rev. Pete Riggs VISION - Transforming Futures PUC Birthday Celebrations

Sunday 9th Dec : Henry Rouse Mary's Impossible Encounter Matthew 1:18-25

Sunday 16th Dec *Kid's Christmas Puppet Performance*

To hear last Sunday's Message

By Henry Rouse

Click here "Identity - Awakened by the Spirit" or go to http://playford.ucasa.org.au/ podcasts/

We would like to acknowledge that the land we meet on is the traditional lands for the Kaurna people.

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A people Awakened by the Spirit, Moving in our Communities, Cultivating Hope and Transforming Futures.