**Sydney Road Street Party - Sunday 1st March.**

This year BUC has chosen the theme of **Climate Crisis** for the Sydney Road Street Party.
This will give us a great opportunity to engage the wider community and have a conversation about Climate Crisis.

So we are planning to have the following activities:

1. **The Rainbow again and encourage passers-by to write notes in response to the question to ‘*What is one thing you can do in response to climate change?*” and place them on the rainbow.**
2. **Hand out our own created postcards that people can write on and send to politicians**
3. **Hand out our own created bookmarks with a link to our Earth button on one side and slices of Ann’s paintings on the other**
4. **Offer cold drinks and scones with jam & cream in the youth hall with the invitation to appreciate our murals and any other artworks we have available to display**
5. **Open the worship space for prayer and reflection - the worship committee will be responsible for this space and whatever happens there with respect to the season of Lent.**
6. **Invite Love Makes A Way (LMAW) and Australian Religious Response to Climate Change (ARRCC) to participate**

 **HOWEVER IF THIS IS TO BE SUCCESSFUL WE NEED MANY HELPERS.

A LIST OF TASKS CAN BE FOUND BELOW.**

**PLEASE CONTACT SAIDE IF YOU CAN HELP saide.cameron@bigpond.com**

 **Setting up from 11am**

* Bring the rainbow out from the hall - **3 people**
* Set up the table for the rainbow with post it nights, paper clips and textas - **1 person**
* Set up tables and chairs in the Youth Hall and in front as well if the weather is nice - **2 people**
* Organize scone platters and whip the cream - **2 people**
* Fill water coolers for the cold water (I’ll borrow them from work), Buy ice - **1 person**
* Set up the marquee in the front of the church for LMAW - **2 people**
* Also bring out cushions and a few of the decoupage chairs for story time- **1 person**
* Set up the portable PA system for LMAW - Alistair often assists with this- **1 person**

**During the Street Party from 12 noon to 4 pm**

* Invite passers-by to write responses: **we will need 8 volunteers to be present at the rainbow – 2 each hour from 12 noon until 4 pm**
* Hand out postcards that people can write on and send to politicians: **we will need 4 volunteers to be present and hand out cards and addresses of politicians – 1 each hour from 12 noon until 4pm**
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**Pack up from 3:30pm (we aim to have everything done by 4pm out of courtesy for the BIUC congregation)**

* Return the rainbow - **3 people**
* Pack up tables and chairs- **1 person**
* Pack up marquee- **2 people**
* Tidy up from scones etc- **2 people**
* Return cushions and chairs- **1 person**
* Pack up PA system- **1 person**

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