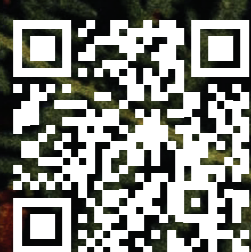


# *A Church centred on Jesus Christ*

**The Uniting Church acknowledges that the faith and unity of the Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church are built upon the one Lord Jesus Christ. The Church preaches Christ the risen crucified One and confesses him as Lord to the glory of God the Father.**

*(Basis of Union, paragraph 3)*



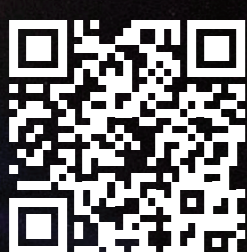
The Uniting Church in Australia  
QUEENSLAND SYNOD



# A Church for All

**The Uniting Church believes that Christians in Australia are called to bear witness to a unity of faith and life in Christ which transcends cultural and economic, national and racial boundaries.**

*(Basis of Union, paragraph 2)*



The Uniting Church in Australia  
QUEENSLAND SYNOD





# *A Church with Purpose*

**The Church's call is to...be a fellowship of reconciliation, a body within which the diverse gifts of its members are used for the building up of the whole, an instrument through which Christ may work and bear witness to himself.**

*(Basis of Union, paragraph 3)*



The Uniting Church in Australia  
QUEENSLAND SYNOD



# *A Church with Informed Faith*

**The Uniting Church lays upon its members the serious duty of reading the Scriptures, commits its ministers to preach from these and to administer the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper as effective signs of the Gospel set forth in the Scriptures.**

*(Basis of Union, paragraph 5)*



The Uniting Church in Australia  
QUEENSLAND SYNOD



# *A Church on the Way*

**The Church is a pilgrim people, always on the way towards a promised goal... On the way Christ feeds the Church with Word and Sacraments, and it has the gift of the Spirit in order that it may not lose the way.**

*(Basis of Union, paragraph 3)*



The Uniting Church in Australia  
QUEENSLAND SYNOD