

## **Hodgson House Chaplaincy Report**

At the Hodgson House complex the residents live in a small community made up of 64 residents in the rest home, hospital/palliative care area, and 33 village residents in the independent unit complex. There are two communities within a community living at different levels of needs and independence.

Rev Isobel Mordecai was farewelled at the end of April after a very successful and well-loved term as Chaplain at Hodgson House.

The Sunday 11am Anglican service has continued since then with a really dedicated team of Volunteers – our thanks to Bob Hewat, Margaret Birtles, Viv Heimann and Joyce Crawford who take services on a regular basis, and to Geoff Crawshaw, Sandra Johnston, Shirley Shilling and Craig Capamagian for filling in.

We treasure our musicians – Ken Mason, Ruth Hare, Beryl Dent, Noeline Elliott and Christine Gaudin who bring such delight through music and song.

The Friday service has a more ecumenical history and happens as often as we are able to arrange services, at least once a month.

We have looked widely for a replacement chaplain without success. Please contact the Regional Dean, if you are interested or are able to suggest a suitable candidate for this ministry.

**The Rev'd Paul Williamson**  
**Regional Dean**