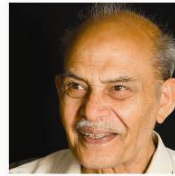


Wisdom



Strength



Dignity

Invitation to 'Wear Purple Day'



Spirit



Choice



St Ives Uniting Church invites you to **'Wear Purple Day'**, our annual celebration of Respect for Seniors and an acknowledgment of World Elder Abuse Awareness Day:

Date: Sunday, 16 June 2013

Time: 9:30am - 10:30am, Service
11:00am - 11:45am, Annual Elder's Interview

Venue: St Ives Uniting Church
Cnr Mona Vale Road & Douglas Street, St Ives

Worship Service reflection by **Rev Dr John Cox**
Chaplain, Wesley Gardens, Belrose – UnitingCare

This year's eminent elder is **Sue Conde AM**
prominent leader in UN women's organisations & Girl Guides Australia,
who will be interviewed by Rev. Dr Rob McFarlane.

For more details, please call 9144 5795
or email office@stivesuc.com.au

www.respectforseniors.org



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Our Guests

Rev Dr John Cox

John is a highly experienced minister. He is currently chaplain at Wesley Gardens, Belrose, where his daily ministry builds respect and self-respect for seniors. He has written and researched widely in pastoral care, including his Doctor of Ministry. John is also an outstanding communicator.

Sue Conde AM

Sue Conde is the former President of Unifem Australia (now known as UN Women). She is currently Co-Chair of the Sydney Chapter Australian National Committee for UN Women.

Sue has held various Executive Leadership positions at State and National levels of Girl Guides Australia serving as Deputy Chief Commissioner from 1998-2002. International experiences include attending the UN General Assembly Special Session on Women in New York in 2000 and as a member of the Australian Government delegations; she has attended the UN Special Session on Children in 2002 and the Commission on the Status of Women in 2006 and 2010.

She joined the UNIFEM Australia National Committee in 2002 and was elected Vice President in 2005. From 2003-2007 she was actively engaged as a member of the National Leadership Group in UNIFEM Australia's launch of the new Australian initiative – the White Ribbon Campaign.

Building on her strong engagement in the women's NGO sector over the past 10 years, Sue has previously represented UNIFEM Australia on the Australian Women's Coalition (AWC). Sue served as President of the AWC for three years from 2003-2006.

In January 2005 Sue was appointed as a Member in the Order of Australia for service to the community through organisations and advisory bodies that promote the interests of women, to youth through the guiding movement and to the Uniting Church in Australia. She is also a member of the Council of Knox Grammar School.