

# Artist in Residence John Coleman with Jenny Batten

15-22 May 2022  
St. Andrew's Uniting Church  
92 Jetty Road, Glenelg



Celebrating and strengthening  
the chords between us



John is a singer/songwriter in the acoustic folk tradition and has written and produced ten albums of original songs. His last two albums have explored desert spirituality with themes around the gift of silence and the blessings of God found in wild places. John has experience working with groups of varying abilities to create songs and several years ago worked alongside the fledgling L'Arche Adelaide community to create their own theme song. John is a composer and painter and lives by the water in South East Tasmania.

The Desert Was Silent: [youtu.be/mcTvPJSPEjs](https://youtu.be/mcTvPJSPEjs)  
Called to be Light: [youtu.be/L2GEChsiUoI](https://youtu.be/L2GEChsiUoI)  
Rainbow in a Smile: [youtu.be/oP-SUVQS10E](https://youtu.be/oP-SUVQS10E)



As a singer, art therapist, Spiritual Director and an accredited InterPlay facilitator, Jenny is curious about the arts and spirituality and loves to explore the points of connection that give life and sustain creativity. Singing and music have been a big part of Jenny's life and she shares that passion with others through music leadership of community choirs and VocalPlay workshops. Jenny currently lives in the Gippsland Region of Victoria.

## COST

We want to make this creative venture accessible for all. Below is a suggested list of costs. Please pay as you are able. If you are able to pay more, please consider doing so. We entrust ourselves to the goodwill of community believing that all our needs will be taken care of and all who wish will be able to participate.

\$150 for entire week  
*includes all events  
plus tutorial*

\$80 for Monday retreat  
*retreat materials,  
refreshments and lunch*

\$20 for Tuesday evening  
*sing-a-long, song writing,  
refreshments*

\$30 for Friday concert  
*an evening of music with  
John Coleman  
and the Joyful Noise Choir*

\$50 tutorial  
*one-on-one music writing  
with John Coleman*

## Bookings

[https://air\\_jcoleman.eventbrite.com](https://air_jcoleman.eventbrite.com)



Please book for free events  
as space is limited.

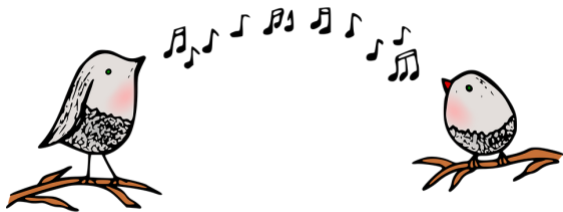
## FLOW for the week...

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am**

*Contemplative worship  
led by John Coleman  
with music, readings  
and re-creating silence*

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> 9:30-3:30**

*Retreat designed  
to establish creative community,  
encourage a loving relationship  
with our voices  
and get in touch  
with emerging possibilities*



**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> 7:00-9:00 pm**

*Hospitable sing-a-long  
and gathering seeds to inspire  
a new welcoming song  
written by John Coleman*

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> 7:30 pm**

*John Coleman in concert  
with the Joyful Noise Choir*



**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 10:00 am**

*Worship to celebrate  
the chords between us  
arising from  
experiences of the week*

## PLUS...

**Tues., Thurs., Fri. 11:30-1:00**

*Joyful Noise Choir rehearsals  
to prepare for Friday's concert  
no experience necessary*

### **Tutorials**

*Find your voice  
and book in*

*for a 60-minute session  
with John Coleman  
for assistance with crafting  
a song of your own*

*(Scheduled with John  
during Artist in Residence week)*

