WEEKLY BULLETIN 8 March 2020

GLEN WAVERLEY Uniting Church

Welcome. GWUC is a faithful, Christ-centered community that meets God and shares in that unconditional love. If you are new to our congregation, please say hello after the service.

Sunday 8 March - Lent 2

Today's 9.15 and 11am services will be recorded

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8am	Contemplative	Rev. Tom Rose	
9.15am	Interactive	The Wojak Family / Daniel Sihombing	
11am	Traditional	Rev. Tom Rose	
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship		
5pm	Creative Worship	Ryan Chan	
Genesis 12:1-4a; Psalm 121; Romans 4:1-5, 13-17; John 3:1-17 or Matthew 17:1-9			

Sunday 15 March - Lent 3

8am 9.15am	Contemplative Interactive	Ross Mackinnon / Daniel Sihombing Rev. Neil Peters
11am	Traditional - Communion	Rev. Neil Peters / Daniel Sihombing
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship	
5pm	Creative Worship	Alanee Hearnshaw
Exodus 17:1-7; Psalm 95; Romans 5:1-11; John 4:5-42		

Sunday 22 March - 2.30pm Seniors Service "Who is my neighbour?"



Today's Flowers

Today's thoughtful flowers, prepared by Leslie Lamble, are given by Alison Clarkson in loving memory of Sandy Dingwall and Brian and Lynette Clarkson.



Light Lunch - TODAY

There will be a Light Lunch today in the Fellowship Area. All are welcome.

Bible Study - Tuesday 10 March - 7.30pm

We will be having a two session study on Why Jesus by Nicky Gumbel during March as we lead into Easter. Everyone is welcome to join us on Tuesday, 10th & 24th at 7.30pm in Room 1. The cost of the booklet is \$5 and is available in English or Chinese. Enquiries: Susan Karoly 0433 692 862

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who enjoyed the delicious cupcakes last Sunday. Joel raised \$130.70 from the cupcakes (& some donations) which has been donated to Australian Youth Climate Council (AYCC).

Book Sale

Many thanks to all who contributed in any of the many tasks which resulted in a very successful day. We raised \$5,405.35, which is our best-ever tally! Most of our unsold books were taken by the Yarragon Emergency Services for their annual book sale, with 5 other good causes also taking books.

WIKI Help

You can find out contact details for any person on the church rolls through the wiki. Yes, if you want to know how to ring someone, or send them an email, just go to the wiki (http://wiki.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/) and add the person's wiki name after the slash.

Their wiki name is simple - just join their first name to their surname with no space in between, and you're there! So for example, you can find how to ring me by just typing into your browser: http://wiki.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/JohnHurst

PS You do have to be logged in first, so that the information is kept private to church members.

Corona Viris - Covid-19

The leaders of the congregation are aware of concern in the community about the Covid-19 virus. We will follow the advice of the government (https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/victorian-public-coronavirus-disease-covid-19) and the Synod concerning how we may deal with the Covid-19 virus as it may affect activities within our congregation. For the time being we are asked to follow normal good personal hygiene practices, perhaps a bit more diligently than usual, and should use the hand sanitising stations that are available in the church buildings. Some people may choose to avoid personal contact during 'passing the peace' and welcoming associated with worship and we should respect this choice. Cleaning and food handling arrangements have been updated to help reduce possibilities for the spread of viruses and bacteria. The congregation will be updated as necessary.

Craft Group

Due to the long weekend the next craft group will be held on Monday 30th March, 10am-2pm (BYO Lunch). Candle-wicking is our theme and a small kit is available for \$5. All welcome. Enquiries: Susan Karoly 0433 692 862

ADVANCE NOTICE FOR YOUR DIARY **ANNUAL WALKATHON - MAY 16th**Start training now!

Easter issue of NewView

Submissions for the next issue of NewView are due by Friday 3 April to popesr@aapt.net.au or hand in at the church office. The theme is 'loyalty'.

Advance notice regarding Congregation Outreach Projects 2020

Applications for the Congregation Outreach Project Grants 2020 will open on March 23 and close April 27. Details of the application process will be made available on the Outreach page of the Church Wiki and in the weekly bulletins. Questions can be directed to Fairlie Mackinnon, Outreach Missional Group, f.mackinnon@bigpond.com

What's on this week?

Monday 9 March - Labour Day Public Holiday

8.00 pm Badminton Hall Brady Trewin 0401 029 549

Tuesday 10 March

10.00 am The Hub Foyer Judith Greenwood 9803 8373

10.00 am Playgroup Rm2/Rm3 Office 9560 3580

2.00 pm Mindful Meditation Rm2 Susan Karoly 0433 692 862 7.30 pm Bible Study Rm1 Susan Karoly 0433 692 862

Wednesday 11 March

10.00 am The Hub Foyer Judith Greenwood 9803 8373 12.30 pm Table Tennis Hall Brady Trewin 0401 029 549

1.00 pmBilingual English ClassRm1Office 9560 35802.15 pmChinese FellowshipRm1Office 9560 3580

8.00 pm Free Spirit Offsite Deb Leigh 0411 778 417

Thursday 12 March

10.00 am The Hub Foyer Judith Greenwood 9803 8373

11.45 amEnglish ConversationRm4/HallJan Clear 9803 68208.00 pmUniting VoicesRm 1Office 9560 3580

8.00 pm Badminton Hall Brady Trewin 0401 029 549

Friday 13 March

10.00 amPlaygroupRm2/Rm3Office 9560 358010.00 amChoir of HopeHallDeb Leigh 0411 778 41712.00 pmCooeeFellowshipOffice 9560 3580

5.30 pm Uthies Hall/Fellowship Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342 7.00 pm Youth Hall/Fellowship Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342

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