



GLEN WAVERLEY Uniting Church

Restraint



Welcome

GWUC is a faithful, Christ-centered community that meets God and shares in that unconditional love.

We welcome all those who are worshipping with us via our Broadcast Ministry - we are glad you are here!

Sunday 10 October - Pentecost 20

10am	Live Stream Worship	Rev. Neil Peters / Alanee Hearnshaw
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship on Zoom	Rev Evangeline Pua
	Job 23:1-9, 16-17; Psalm 22:1-15; Hebrews 4:12-16; Mark 10:17-31	

Sunday 17 October - Pentecost 21

10am	Live Stream Worship <i>including Holy Communion</i>	Rev. Neil Peters / Alanee Hearnshaw
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship on Zoom	Rev Herby Moningka
	Job 38:1-7, (34-41); Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35c; Hebrews 5:1-10; Mark 10:35-45	

Gathering for worship - the state government roadmap.

The state government has released its plan for coming out of lockdown as vaccination rates rise. Many things are not yet clear, but the **plan does not include gathered congregations until November**. It is also clear that there will be **different freedoms for vaccinated and unvaccinated worshippers** when gathering is permitted. Details and processes for this are not yet clear. For details, an update from Presbytery (dated 19th September) about gathered worship, weddings, funerals, etc can be found at <https://mailchi.mp/47db55a9fec5/ppepseptember19?e=2d5aa2a22a>

Isolated but Not alone...

Due to the current lockdown in Melbourne, **our church complex is closed**. All meetings and events planned until late October have been cancelled.

10am Live Stream Worship services will continue to be held each Sunday. Until further notice, these will be available to view online only, and congregation members are not able to attend in person.

Remember as always, we are here for you.

Please send a message to the office or the ministry team if we can help in any way. For any pastoral care, prayer concerns or celebrations, please email the church office.

Let's remember one another, pray for one another, and reach out so that we stay connected.

You may be isolated but you are not alone.

Indonesian Fellowship on Zoom - Sunday 10 October @ 1pm

This week's service will be conducted by Rev. Evangeline Pua from Indonesian Christian Church, San Francisco. Please use Zoom meeting code: **980 1882 3667** (passcode: **773026**) or [click here](#) to log in. Enquiries: Lucky Kalonta - 0407 352 755 or Glyn Howells - 0439 490 679. All are welcome.

Salam. Indonesian Fellowship GWUCA mengundang Anda untuk bergabung dalam layanan bahasa Indonesia melalui zoom meeting pada hari Minggu 10 Oktober, jam 1 siang. Pdt. Evangeline Pua dari Gereja Kristen Indonesia, San Fransisco akan berkhotbah di acara ini. Usai kebaktian, dilanjutkan dengan ngopi sambil mengobrol dengan teman-teman yang hadir di kebaktian. Kami berharap dapat menyambut Anda. Salam dan terima kasih. Tuhan memberkati.

Check-In Thursday with Neil - Thursday 14 October @ 10am

Neil is inviting members of the church to a casual 40min small group chat on Zoom on Thursday mornings. To participate please email Neil on revneilpeters@gmail.com and he will send you the invitation link. If you have been involved before, please use the same link to attend. *Check-In with Neil and he can check-in with you!*

Holy Communion - Sunday 17 October @ 10am

The next communion service will be held on Sunday 17 October. For those wishing to, please have a small amount of bread and juice or water ready so that we may share in communion together.

Sunday 31 October Worship

On Sunday 31 October we are planning a **Thanksgiving Service** which will include Harvest Thanksgiving. As we can't meet in person we are asking that you email to the office photos of things you are thankful for. It is Spring which gives us plenty of options but there could be a whole range of things we are thankful for. Please send your photos to office@gwuc.org.au.

Bible Study - 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month

The second and fourth Tuesday evening bible study with Susan Karoly will resume on Tuesday 12 October at 7.30pm via Zoom.

For this term we shall be looking into the Historical Jesus. Since the medieval times there has been much interest in the life of Jesus before he started his ministry. So much so, writings known as the infancy gospels were written. Using the Bible, historical documents, and scholarly criticism we shall examine what life may have been for the man called Jesus growing up in the town of Nazareth.

Contact: Susan Karoly 0433 692 862

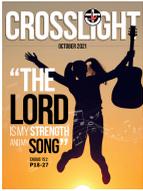
Operation Christmas Child

This year Glen Waverley Uniting Church is again joining in Operation Christmas Child, a Project of Samaritan's Purse, and we invite you to participate. Each shoebox is filled with a variety of simple gifts and delivered to children in developing countries for Christmas.



This year, due to the lockdown in Melbourne they have introduced an online option where they will pack a shoebox for you for \$30.00. Please visit their website for further information and to donate: <https://occdonations.samaritanspurse.org.au/product/pack-a-shoebox-online/>. Please consider participating in this wonderful project.

Enquiries: Kimberly Easton 0410 708 824



Crosslight Magazine

The October 2021 edition of Crosslight is now available to view at <https://crosslight.org.au/>. Due to COVID restrictions in Melbourne, printed copies will not be available for this edition.

Over the next few weeks we would love to gather some **THINGS** from you which can be compiled into a one-night only **Spring Thing!** to be streamed on Saturday 30 October at 7pm.

SPRING THING!

FOLLOWING ON FROM THE HUGE SUCCESSFUL **BIG NIGHT IN** LAST YEAR - YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR

2021
SPRING THING!

**SATURDAY 30TH
OCTOBER 7PM**

STARRING:
GLEN WAVERLEY UNITING CHURCH
COMMUNITY & FRIENDS...

WE'D LOVE FOR **YOU** TO SHARE **THINGS** WITH US
- SO WE CAN SHARE **THINGS** WITH **YOU!**

MUSICAL TALENTS | POETRY | JOKES | MONOLOGUES OR
PHOTOS OF SOMETHING YOU HAVE COMPLETED OR MADE

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT
ALANEE ON 0402 030 342 OR [ALANEE.H@GMAIL.COM](mailto:alane.h@gmail.com)

THINGS like ...

videos and photos of **YOU** - **performing** things, **sharing** things and **creating** things or even **THINGS** you have completed or made.

All these **THINGS** will come together into one **Spring Thing!** - ready for you to enjoy from the comfort of your own couch in your own home.

We know you are all a very talented bunch (*we saw **Our Big Night In** last year!!!*), and remember...

no **THINGS** are too small to share!

Don't forget, we are here to help with ideas, recording and tech advice, so don't think "I don't know how to do that", just get in touch and we'll help as much as we can.

For more information, please contact Alane on 0402 030 342 or alane.h@gmail.com

PLEASE FORWARD YOUR VIDEOS AND PHOTOS TO ALANEE BY WEDNESDAY 27 OCTOBER.

SPREADING THE
WARMTH OF
SPRING



Don't forget to pick up a card or two when you are passing by the church. We hope the cards will make their way around our communities to help spread the warmth of Spring!

WHAT'S ON...

MONDAY 11 OCTOBER

10.00am	GOMER (David Morgan 0423 127 807)	Zoom
4.30pm	Mice, Kats & Dogs+ (Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342)	Zoom

TUESDAY 12 OCTOBER

12.00pm	Mindful Meditation (Susan Karoly 0433 692 862)	Zoom
4.00pm	Meditation Online (www.gwuc.org.au)	
7.30pm	Bible Study (Susan Karoly 0433 692 862)	Zoom

WEDNESDAY 13 OCTOBER

7.00am	Prayer Time Online (www.gwuc.org.au)	
8.00pm	Free Spirit (Deb Leigh 0411 778 417)	Zoom

THURSDAY 14 OCTOBER

10.00am	Check-in Thursday with Neil (Neil Peters 0417 580 532)	Zoom
7.30pm	Weekly Reflection Online (www.gwuc.org.au)	

FRIDAY 15 OCTOBER

5.30pm/7.30pm	Uthies/Youth (Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342)	Zoom
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