30 June 2024





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 here in the church or via our Broadcast Ministry - we are glad you are here!

Sunday 30 June - Pentecost 6

8.30amContemplative incl. Holy CommunionRev. Ian Ferguson10amCombined Worship (+live broadcast)Rev. Ian Ferguson / Rev. Chris Waddell5pmShared Dinner & Study - Please bring a plate of food to share
2 Samuel 1:1,17-27; Psalm 130; 2 Corinthians 8:7-15; Mark 5:21-43

Sunday 7 July - Pentecost 7

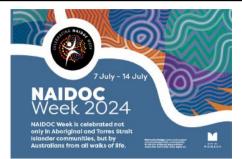
8.30am	Contemplative incl. Holy Communion		Ross Mackinnon
10am	Worship (+live broadcast) incl. Holy Communion	Rev. Chris Waddel	l / Rev. Ian Ferguson
5pm	Shared Dinner & Study - Please bring a plate of food to share		Rev. Chris Waddell
	2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10; Psalm 48; 2 Corinthians 12:2-10; Mark 6:1-13		



If you are new or visiting our church, look out for the people wearing yellow flower brooches. They are part of our welcoming team, and would love to have a chat and get to know you! Also, don't forget to fill in a 'Welcome' card so that we can stay in contact.

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NAIDOC Week



...is an opportunity for all Australians to learn about First Nations cultures and histories and participate in celebrations of the oldest continuous living cultures on earth.

The City of Monash is situated on the traditional l a n d s of W u r u n d j e r i W o i Wurrung and Bunurong people. The diversity of First People's heritage and contemporary culture throughout Monash is highly respected and valued. Through our collective efforts, we can forge a future where the stories, traditions, and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities are cherished and celebrated, enriching the fabric of the nation with the oldest living culture in the world.

Please have a look at the range of FREE events being organised by Monash Council at <u>https:// www.monash.vic.gov.au/Things-to-Do/Festivalsand-Events/NAIDOC-Week-2024</u> including history, art, storytime for Kids, books, photography, weaving and a film screening.

Let's support this initiative. Outreach & Social Justice Mission Group.

Adult Group - 5th July

Our next Adult Group lunch will be on Friday 5 July 2024 at 12:30pm for lunch & fellowship at the Mountain View Hotel, Glen Waverley. Please ring if you would like to attend. Bev & Lindsay Brown, 0403 350 187.



Thank you.

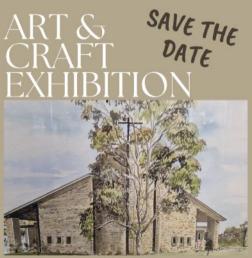
KOGO KNITTING PROJECT

Winter has arrived, and the Outreach and Social Justice Missional Group knitting project is in full swing.

We are providing knitted items to KOGO (Knit One Give One). They supply hand knitted items to over 300 Community Partners and not-for-profit organisations working with a range of people undergoing hardship and who are the most vulnerable in our community.

Thank you to those who have already returned finished items. Please return all contributions by the end of July. Knitted items will be displayed at the Art and Craft Fair before donation to KOGO.





16 + 17 AUG 2024 Sale of paintings by David Williams

& Craft Display by various artists

Please speak with Faye Wagon if you would like to display your own craft.

Worship Time Review

Until the end of August, the 9.15am and 11am worship services will be combined at 10am. The 10am services will include the Sunday Squad Program, and the usual rotation of 8.30am, 1pm and 5pm services will remain. The weekly rosters have been adjusted to reflect the change in worship times. Please check the wiki and regular emails to confirm if you are rostered on.

Church Council has appointed a task group (members: Alison Clarkson, Vida Foo, Lorraine Chee, Ian Ferguson) to review our main Sunday morning service times. Beginning on Sunday 30 June through to Sunday 21 July we will consult with the congregation through small group conversations and zoom groups. We will take a values based approach asking:

- What you value most about worship at GWUC?
- What don't you want to lose from our worship going forward?
- What do you hope our worship will gain in the future?
- Is there anything else you would like the task group to consider?

If you would prefer to make a written submission, please fill out the online form (http://

wiki.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/WorshipTimeReview) or take a printed copy from the stewards table and place it in the box on the office counter.

UCAF - 2nd July

Morning tea will be served in the Fellowship Area at 10am and at 10.30am we will resume to Room 1 for our meeting. The Guest Speaker will be Rev. Ian Ferguson. All are welcome to attend, hope to see you there. Donations of non-perishable goods may be left in the containers near the office. Enquiries. Margaret Duncan



What's On...

MONDAY 1 JULY					
10.00am	GOMERs	Fellowship			
2.00pm	Leisure Time	Fellowship			
7.30pm	Property Committee	Room 1			
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall			
TUESDAY 2 JULY					
10.00am	UCAF	Fellowship/Room 1			
2.00pm	Mindful Meditation	Zoom			
WEDNESDAY 3 JULY					
8.00pm	Free Spirit	Church			
THURSDAY 4 JULY					
7.30pm	Church Council	Zoom			
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall			
MONDAY 8 JULY					
10.00am	GOMERs	Fellowship			
10.00am	Craft Group	Room 1			
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall			
TUESDAY 9 JULY					
2.00pm	Mindful Meditation	Zoom			
WEDNESDAY 10 JULY					
8.00pm	Free Spirit	Church			
THURSDAY 11 JULY					
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall			

UnitingWorld

UnitingWorld's June Appeal has the bonus of donations being added to by 5 times the amount from the Australian Government Overseas Aid budget if received by 30 June. Phone 1800 998 122 or <u>https://donate.unitingworld.org.au/endpoverty</u> to donate.

Annual Leave

The church office will be closed from Friday 12 July, reopening Monday 22 July. During this time, messages and emails will be monitored. Please email <u>office@gwuc.org.au</u> or leave a message at 9560 3580 if you have any queries.

Zoom link - Mindful Meditation Meeting code: 901 146 0982 Passcode: 599029

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