

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 10 November - Pentecost 25

8.30am Contemplative incl. Holy Communion Rev. Ian Ferguson / Ross Mackinnon

10am Worship (+live broadcast) Rev. Ian Ferguson

5pm FEAST - will not be held this week

This week's Bible readings: Malachi 3:1-5; Mark 12:38-44; Psalm 146

Sunday 17 November - Pentecost 26

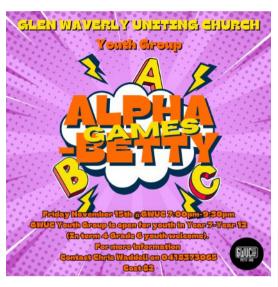
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5pm FEAST Screen - Short Film: Lost Sheep (Please bring a plate of food to share) Rev. C. Waddell



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.



Congregational Meeting

A meeting of the congregation on will be held on Sunday November 24th at 11:30am following 10:00am worship. An agenda is at http://wiki.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/CongMeetingAgenda20241124. Copies are also available from the office.



Empty Christmas Tree

Beginning on Sunday 24 November, our tree will be in the foyer - waiting for your donations of toys, gifts, non-perishable food. Please DO NOT WRAP your gifts. Our gifts are given to Lentara UnitingCare at Broadmeadows and also to some families within our local community.

Last Sunday for gifts will be December 15th



Christmas Cards

Christmas Cards are **now available** from the church office. All proceeds support the work of Uniting (Share).





Request To the Congregation

Thank you to those who have donated foreign currency into our collection box on the office counter. There has

been a good response and to date we have about 8 – 10 kg of coins and notes.

We have so far received currency from far away countries like Mexico, Nepal, Jersey, Argentina, Brazil and Honduras, and also from the popular countries like Singapore, Malaysian, Indonesian, England, Scotland and the United States. Indeed, we are a well-travelled congregation.

We are looking at options for donating the money we are collecting to either Uniting World or UNICEF.

Please continue to clear out your collection, if you are not going to use it.

Please contact George Abraham 0413 431 888 if you have any queries.

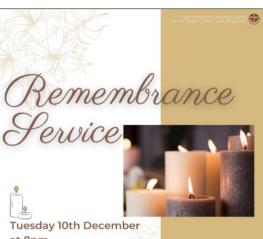


November Material Aid Offering Share the Dignity: It's in the Bag

Let's ensure women who are waking up in a domestic violence refuge or homeless shelter on Christmas feel a little bit of hope and love.

Fill a new bag or a pre-loved one (in excellent condition) with life's essentials to help someone in need. All items must be new and sealed for hygiene reasons. If you haven't a suitable bag, you can still donate the essential items alone.

Essentials: shampoo & conditioner, toothbrush & toothpaste, body wash or soap, roll-on deodorant, sealed packet pads/tampons. You may like to include a few optional luxury items such as makeup, stationary, jewellery, book, socks, tissues and a handwritten note. No food, aerosols or scissors. Please place your donations in the Material Aid Bin, last day 24th November.



at 8pm

Light refreshments will be served following the service

Go to www.gwuc.org.au/live to watch the live stream



The UnitingWorld Everything in Common Gift Catalogue is out now for Christmas. It's



filled with gifts that fight poverty through health, education, leadership and income opportunities. You can browse the full range of life-changing gifts for all budgets on the Everything in Common website.

Everything in Common gifts are a great way to make a difference in the world as well as share the hope, peace, joy and love of the Christmas season. Why not get on top of some of your Christmas shopping and browse the full range of gifts today.

What's On...

MONDAY 11 NOVEMBER

10.00am **GOMERS Fellowship** 10.00am **Craft Group** Room 1 mq00.8 **Badminton** Hall

TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER

10.00am The Hub Foyer 10.00am Playgroup Room 2/3

WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER

Free Spirit mq00.8 Church

THURSDAY 14 NOVEMBER

11.15am English Conversation Class Room 4 **Church Council** 7..30pm 700m ma00.8 **Badminton** Hall

FRIDAY 15 NOVEMBER

10.00am Choir of Hope Church Youth Group - Alpha-Betty Games Hall 7.00pm

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