



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!

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.



Sunday 6 July - Pentecost 4

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| 10am | Worship (+live broadcast)
<i>including Holy Communion & Sunday Squad Kids & Teen programs</i> | <i>Rev Ian Ferguson / Rev Chris Waddell</i> |
| 5pm | FEAST - <i>Please bring a plate of food to share</i> | |

Sunday 13 July - Pentecost 5

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| 10am | Worship (+live broadcast) | <i>Rev Chris Waddell / Rev Ian Ferguson</i> |
| 5pm | FEAST - <i>Please bring a plate of food to share</i> | |

July Material Aid - Quilts for Orphans



Quilts for Orphans is a volunteer organisation who make and gift handmade quilts locally and overseas. Globally, efforts have focused on orphanages in many countries including India, Thailand, Timor Leste, Afghanistan. In Australia, quilts are distributed through hospital paediatric intensive care units, family, domestic violence and refugee organisations and aged care settings.

UCAF have a speaker from Quilts for Orphans attending their August meeting and we would love to provide them with material donations on the day. Please use the labelled bin at the office door to donate quilting batting or backing fabric by August 3rd. (Finished quilt sizes: cot 35"x45", single 55"x75")

June Material Aid - GWUC Welfare Pantry

Outreach & Social Justice Mission Group thank everyone for the additional food donations to GWUC Welfare over the past month. At a time when so many are struggling to make ends meet, there is much appreciation expressed by the individuals and families seeking material support through Welfare.

Honey Sales

Please self-serve, place your money into the small bag provided and post it into the church letter box outside the doors near the office. Thank you for supporting the Asylum Seeker Welcome Centre. We appreciate your return of empty jars with labels removed if possible. *Margaret & David Fraser*



KOGO Knitting Project

The Outreach Committee are collecting knitted beanies, scarves and other items to be given to KOGO (knit one give one). The charity supplies 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. Items suggested are: Beanies, Scarfs, Babies Cardigans/Jackets (not jumpers) and Children's Jumpers/Cardigans (No items for premature babies please). Please return finished items by the end of July. Free patterns available from the brochure stand near the office door or at www.kogo.com.au/patterns, or use your own favourite pattern.



A Welcome Reminder

At Glen Waverley Uniting Church, we are always looking for new ways to strengthen our sense of welcome and belonging. This is a timely reminder that we are all welcomers. While our wonderful Door Stewards and Welcome Team do a great job, they can't greet everyone who walks through our doors. That's where each one of us comes in. We encourage everyone to:

- Keep an eye out for people you don't recognise.
- Offer a warm greeting: "Hi, I'm [Your Name]. It's lovely to meet you."
- During the exchange of peace, seek out someone new each week.
- At morning tea, look for anyone sitting alone and invite them to join you.

Together, let's continue to grow as a genuinely welcoming church community – where everyone feels noticed, included, and valued.



**Glen Waverley Uniting Church
School Holiday Program**

WELCOME TO THE

CIRCUS

8 YEARS
OLD TO
13 YEARS
OLD

GIFT FOR
EACH CHILD
EACH DAY

**★ JULY ★
14, 15 & 17 ★**

**10:00am-2:00pm
Lunch Provided**

\$20 PER CHILD, PER DAY OR \$50 FOR ALL 3 DAYS

MONDAY CLOWNING AROUND
TUESDAY JUGGLE MANIA (JUGGLING)
THURSDAY INFLATE & CREATE (BALLOON ANIMALS)

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL Book at Glen Waverley Uniting Church office
 ✉ office@gwuc.org.au ☎ 9560 3580

Annual Fete - Saturday 18 October

Planning is already underway for another fantastic event, and we'd love for you to be part of it. If you're interested in helping plan this year's fete, have a chat with Sue Morgan, Peter Anderson or Sachin Remson – we'd love to have you on board!

Stay tuned for more updates!

Meditation on Zoom - Tuesday's @ 2pm

Newcomers welcome! Meeting ID 872 3262 1377; Passcode 599029. Enq: Susan Karoly 0433 692 862.

Sunday Squad & Sunday Squad Teens

Providing opportunities for children (weekly) and teens (fortnightly) during 10am worship - to explore the Christian faith through stories, questioning, craft & creativity.
All are welcome.



5PM FEAST

"Friends Eating And Sharing Together"

A casual place to share Faith, Food & Fellowship. Studies, testimonies, crafts, movies and reflections, all while sharing a meal together. All ages are welcome. Please bring a plate of food to share!





GLEN WAVERLEY UNITING CHURCH
CORNER BOGONG AVENUE & KINGSWAY

MUFFIN MORNING TEA AT THE HUB

Proudly supporting Fight Parkinson's

THURSDAY 21 AUGUST 10AM-12PM



ALL WELCOME!

GROUPS OF 10 OR MORE PLEASE CALL 9560 3580



What's On...

MONDAY 7 JULY

10am	GOMERs	Fellowship
2pm	Leisure Time	Fellowship
7.30pm	Property Committee	Room 2
8pm	Badminton/Table Tennis	Hall

TUESDAY 8 JULY

2pm	Mindful Meditation	Zoom
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THURSDAY 10 JULY

7.30pm	Church Council	Fellowship
8pm	Badminton/Table Tennis	Hall

MONDAY 14 JULY

10am	GOMERs	Fellowship
10am	Welcome to the Circus - School Holiday Fun	
8pm	Badminton/Table Tennis	Hall

TUESDAY 15 JULY

10am	Welcome to the Circus - School Holiday Fun	
2pm	Mindful Meditation	Zoom

WEDNESDAY 16 JULY

1pm	Community Hub Meeting	Room 2
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THURSDAY 17 JULY

10am	Welcome to the Circus - School Holiday Fun	
8pm	Badminton/Table Tennis	Hall

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