## GLEN WAVERLEY UNITING CHURCH PROPOSED MINISTRY POSITIONS

## OUR ORGANIC VISION

External

### Internal



### Relationships/Connectedness



Faith Development

## Raising GWUC's profile



### **Cross Cultural**





## PREVIOUS STAFF COMPOSITION A TOTAL OF 4.6 POSITIONS



## Children & Seniors Families

## PROPOSED STAFF COMPOSITION A TOTAL OF 3.5 POSITIONS



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Youth & Young Adults / Children & Families Office (

Community Planter Pastoral Care Worker

# COMMUNITY PLANTER A New Faith Formation and Cross Cultural Position at GWUC

This role focuses on outreach activities and establishment of Kingsway Ministry for the local diverse cultural demographic; Faith development for Cross Cultural Ministries; and Leadership for resourcing Cross Cultural Ministries.

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**Total: 0.6** 

## 0.3 Faith Formation

## 0.3 Cross Cultural

# COMMUNITY PLANTER KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Growing, developing, and enabling relationships across cultural and other boundaries, expressing God's vision for a new community;
- Exploring creative approaches to forming new faith communities;
- Building longer term strategy for Cross Cultural expression in all aspects of GWUC;

# COMMUNITY PLANTER **OVERVIEW**

- Meet the needs of the surrounding neighbourhood & work within a team that is committed to engaging the community in creative ways
- Gather people together and create environments of faith exploration
- Engage and grow our vision of a church that reflects the needs and demographics of the community we are in and aim to serve.
- Bilingual
- 2 year position with yearly reviews and options for longer term



## PASTORAL CARE WORKER **OVERVIEW**

The role will provide pastoral care to the congregation, with a focus on senior members.



# PASTORAL CARE WORKER **OVERVIEW**

- Provide pastoral care to members of the congregation.
- Be attentive to the hopes, concerns, and needs of individuals in the community to determine how the congregation might serve them and how they might serve one another.
- Be familiar with the congregation's Organic Vision and how pastoral care is a key component of this.
- Work with the Ministry Team to co-ordinate a quarterly Sunday afternoon worship service for seniors.
- 6 hours a week, initial 2 year contract

# MINISTER OF THE WORD MINISTRY PRIORITIES

- Decreased priority on cross cultural ministry & mission development
- Increased priority on pastoral care to members of the congregation including hospital visitation



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Church Council propose that the Glen Waverley Uniting Church Congregation endorse the 2017 Budget including the call for a 'Community Planter', 'Pastoral Care Worker' and the amendment to The Minister of the Word's Ministry Priorities.