NewView December Issues - Monday 7 December Deadline

Articles for the next edition of NewView (on the theme of 'journeying') can be sent by email to <u>popesr@aapt.net.au</u> or left at the church office. The closing date is Monday December 7. For more details please see the notice in the Monthly Bulletin.

Christmas Morning Tea at The Hub - Thursday 10 December

Please join us on Thursday 10 December from 10am to 12noon for our Christmas Morning Tea at The Hub.

Come along and enjoy some company, Christmas cake and shortbread. Bring your family and friends. All ages welcome.

Christmas Stall - Saturday 12 December at 12noon

A Christmas stall will be held on Saturday 12 December. Any help with items for sale (eg: plants, handiwork, gifts, cakes and biscuits) would be appreciated. Monies raised are to assist victims of the Syrian conflict. If anyone is available to help set-up for the day, please contact Chris Drummond (9802 9187) or Andrew Hosking (0401 231 034).

Christmas Toilet Paper

Christmas toilet paper that supports the work of WaterAid is now available through Outreach. The toilet paper is double length, made from 100% recycled paper and 50% of the profits from the sale of the toilet paper goes to WaterAid to give everyone in the world access to a safe and healthy toilet. Rolls are on sale with the Kenyan calendars and are \$1 a roll. Contact Alanee or Amy Spark Eichenbaum for more information.

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Welcome to Glen Waverley Uniting Church which is a faithful, Christ-centred community that meets God and shares that unconditional love: meet_god@anytime.with.us

If you're new to our congregation, please say hello at the welcome table in the foyer after the service.

TODAY	SUNDAY DECEMBER 6	Advent 2		
8.00am	Contemplative - Communion	Ross Mackinnon		
9.15am	Interactive - Communion	Rev Neil Peters		
11.00am	Traditional - Baptism	Rev N Peters / Rev Dr W Bartlett		
4.30pm	Children & Families	Nancye Cottrell		
	Creative Worship	Alanee Hearnshaw		
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Malachi 3:1-4; Luke 1:68-79; Philippians 1:3-11; Luke 3:1-6

SUNDAY DECEMBER 13		Advent 3
8.00am	Contemplative - Communion	Susan Karoly / Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive	Rev Neil Peters / Nancye Cottrell
11.00am	Traditional - Iona Christmas	Uniting Voices
2.30pm	Senior Carol Service	Alison Clarkson
4.30pm	Children & Families	Nancye Cottrell
7.00pm	Creative Worship	Alanee Hearnshaw

Zephaniah 3:14-20; Isaiah 12:2-6; Philippians 4:4-7; Luke 3:7-18



What's on this week?

(Legend: R1-Room 1, R2-Room 2, R3-Room 3, R4-Room 4, K-Kitchen, F-Fellowship Area, C-Church, H-Hall, P-Playground, V-Vestry, O-Outside Venue, G-Grass Area, CO-Office)

Monday 7 December

10.15 am	Leisure Time Breakup	R1	Enq: Cliff Baker 9802 8990		
7.30 pm	Meditation Group	0	Enq: Graeme or Bobbie 9803 0379		
7.45 pm	Property Group	R1	Enq: Warren Greenwood 0403 028 948		
8.00 pm	Badminton	Н	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061		
Tuesday 8 December					
10am - 2pm	The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373		
Wednesday 9 December					
10am - 12noon	The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373		
8.00 pm	Free Spirit	0	Enq: Deb Leigh 0411 778 417		
8.00 pm	Young Adults	0	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342		
Thursday 10 December					
10am - 12pm	Hub Christmas MT	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373		
11.15 am	English Conversation	R4	Enq: Jan Clear 9803 6820		
7.30 pm	Uniting Voices	R1	Enq: Barb Hurst 9803 9346		
			Elwyn Pederson 9803 1378		
8.00 pm	Badminton	Н	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061		
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Friday 11 December					
10.00 am	'Q' Bible Study	R4	Enq: Office 9560 3580		
12.00 noon	Cooee	F	Enq: Office 9560 3580		
7.00 pm	Uthies	F	Enq: Nick Dart 0439 102 491		
7.00 pm	Youth Group	F	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342		
Saturday 12 December					

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1.00 pm Social Tennis

Enq: Graeme Pratt 9560 7991

Sunday 13 December

Seniors' Carol Service at 2.30pm, with Free Spirit, followed by Cake and Shortbread. Families and friends are all welcome.

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A light lunch will be available for those who would like to attend both the Iona Carol service at 11am and the Seniors' Carol Service at 2.30pm

Today's Flowers in the church

Arranged by: Joyce Ennor.



Today

At the 11am Service we welcome Gregory and Kerry Mathews who bring their daughter Lucy Maree for Baptism.

Club 2015 will meet for lunch after the 11am Service today. Please feel free to bring a plate to share and join us.

Church Christmas Lunch

It was great to see so many people join in our Church Christmas Lunch last Sunday. Thank you to all those who helped either before or on the day. Your help was very much appreciated.

We were very happy to be able to give \$553 to GWUC Welfare to use for needy people in our community at Christmas. Thank you to all.

The 2016 Kenya Calendar and Gift Cards are back

To support ongoing community projects and Mission in Action Orphanage, calendars (\$25) and gift cards (ranging from \$10-\$50) are available for purchase again this year. These are great for Christmas and will be available for purchase after the 9.15am and 7pm services throughout December.

Volunteers Needed to Deliver Postcards for Advent Services

To promote our Advent Services in the community, we need 9 people to letterbox drop postcards to houses in the vicinity of the church. If you can help to deliver the postcards before Sunday 13 December, please take a bundle of 150 postcards, a delivery area map and an instructions sheet from the office counter and write your name on the list.

Enquiries: Peter Anderson - 0411 123 253

Leisure Time Christmas Breakup - Monday 7 December

A reminder to Leisure Time Volunteers to come and join the guests and Committee for Morning Tea and afterwards to hear Glen Waverley Primary School Choirs.