



Glen Waverley

Uniting Church

Emergency Medical Books

Available at the Office counter are Emergency Medical Books, in which we can record our medical conditions, medications etc and leave in a handy spot in the home so that ambulance officers and paramedics, when called, can quickly access critical information about their patient. These are free of charge courtesy of Rotary, Lions and Ambulance service.

Christmas Cards

Christmas Cards are still available in the Church Office. Cards start at \$7 per packet of 10. Purchase of these cards helps support the work of UCA Share and Ryder-Cheshire Foundation.

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.

Advance Notice - Book Sale

As part of the Church fundraising next year, we will be again holding a Used Book Sale at the Church on Saturday March 5. Your donations of books are needed to repeat last year's success, so please remember the date and start putting aside books that you have read. For further information see Sue Morgan.

GLEN WAVERLEY UNITING CHURCH

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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 20

Advent 4

8.00am Contemplative - Communion

Ross Mackinnon

9.15am Interactive

Rev Neil Peters

11.00am Traditional - Communion

Rev Neil Peters / Alison Clarkson

7.30pm Carols on Kingsway

Alanee Hearnshaw

Today's 9.15am and 11am Services are being recorded

Micah 5:2-5a; Luke 1:47-55; Hebrews 10:5-10, Luke 1:39-45

SUNDAY DECEMBER 27

Christmas 1

10.00am Combined Service

Rev Neil Peters / Alison Clarkson

1 Samuel 2:18-20, 26; Psalm 148; Colossians 3:12-17; Luke 2:41-52



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 21 December

2.00	pm	Kids Christmas Journey	H	Enq: Office 9560 3580
7.30	pm	Meditation Group	O	Enq: Graeme or Bobbie 9803 0379
8.00	pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061

Tuesday 22 December

Wednesday 23 December

8.00	pm	Free Spirit	O	Enq: Deb Leigh 0411 778 417
8.00	pm	Young Adults	O	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342

Thursday 24 December - Christmas Eve

Friday 25 December - Christmas Day **Office Closed**

Saturday 26 December

1.00	pm	Social Tennis	O	Enq: Graeme Pratt 9560 7991
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Christmas Services

Sunday 20 December

7.30	pm	Carols on Kingsway
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Thursday 24 December - Christmas Eve

7.30	pm	Christmas Celebration
11.00	pm	Come and creatively engage in the story of Christmas

Friday 25 December - Christmas Day

8.30	am	All age celebration of Christmas
10.00	am	All age celebration of Christmas

Christmas Bowl

We are again supporting Act for Peace Christmas Bowl Appeal this year. Envelopes are available on the Stewards Table if you would like to contribute to this worthwhile cause.

Today's Flowers in the church

The flowers in the church today are arranged in memory of Kerryn Joy Frecker, much loved and loving daughter of Margaret and Graeme.

Arranged by: Margaret Frecker.



Christmas Stall

Thank you to everyone who made things, arranged things, served and did all that was needed to enable the Christmas Stall to go ahead. The amount raised was a little over \$1000.

A Personal Message from Nancy Cottrell

Nancye has, after careful and prayerful consideration, decided to relinquish the role of Children and Families Coordinator due to differences in expectations regarding the role and for personal reasons.

Nancye is excited that the Kids Journeying to Christmas program is going ahead on Monday.

Wesley Mission Food for Families

We again have a Food for Families box inside our entry doors to receive your non-perishable food or toiletries donations in support of the Wesley Mission Food for Families appeal. This is another way that our congregation can support those who do not have the means to celebrate Christmas in the way that many others can. Please consider making a contribution.

Flower Roster and Thoughtful Flowers

The flower roster is now on the Office Counter. Please indicate if you are happy to continue in 2016, and if there are any times you will be unavailable. New volunteers are always welcome.

This is also a good time to arrange your Thoughtful Flower booking for 2016. Please contact the office about this. We cannot guarantee you will be able to have the same dates in 2016 as you have had this year as demand for some months has grown.

2016 Rosters - Cleaning and Morning Tea

The 2016 Rosters for Cleaning and Morning Tea are available for collection from the letter rack. Please make sure that you collect yours as this saves on postage.