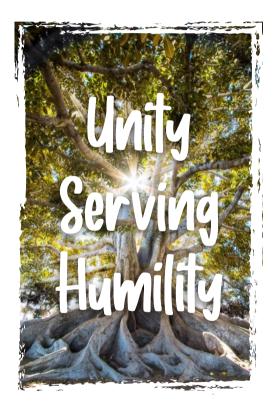


Welcome

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 16 October - Pentecost 19

- 10am Combined Worship & Farewell to Alanee followed by shared lunch in the hall. All Welcome! *Ministry Team*
 - Jeremiah 31:27-34; Psalm 119:97-104; 2 Timothy 3:14 - 4:5; Luke 18:1-8

Sunday 23 October - Pentecost 20

8am	Contemplative Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive (+live broadcast) Rev. Neil Peters / Russell Crawford
11am	Traditional (+live broadcast) incl. Holy Communion <i>Rev. Neil Peters</i>
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship on Zoom
5pm	Intergen Church - Relaxed worship for all ages
2 Tir	Joel 2:23-32; Psalm 65; nothy 4:6-8, 16-18; Luke 18:9-14



Giving *Please scan the QR-Code to contribute to the ministry and outreach of our Church. We appreciate your support.*

Indonesian Fellowship on Zoom Meeting code: 980 1882 3667 (passcode: 773026) or <u>click here</u> to log in.

arewell & Celebration

Alanee's final service at GWUC is TODAY, Oct 16.

Please join us in the hall following the service and celebration

(10am Service & Celebration will be live streamed)

Come along and help us celebrate

HI Welcome/

Memories:

It's not too late to write a memory or greeting to Alanee to include in the "Treasure Chest". Blank pages can be found on the steward's table. *Today's Flowers* have been lovingly arranged by Margaret Colvin.



Welcome... If you are new or visiting our church, look out for the people wearing sunflower 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.

COVIDSafe advice...

As COVID infections remain in the community, we will continue to take all reasonable steps to protect our members and visitors from COVID infections. Following the latest government advice, face masks are strongly encouraged to be worn in indoor and crowded settings, church windows and doors may be open to allow for good airflow, and if you have symptoms you are encouraged to please stay home. For the health and safety of everyone, please continue to use sanitiser on arrival.

Church Council 2023 -Nominations close TODAY (Oct 16)

A vibrant Church Council is important for our congregation to function well. Please give prayerful consideration to nominating someone you think would be suitable or making yourself available for nomination. Be quick! Nominations close TODAY. Information and nomination forms are available at http://wiki.gwuc.org.au/ gwuc/CongregationalPage? action=AttachFile&do=view&target=20 23 + Election + Form + -+no+background.pdf or from the church office or John Snare (john.snare@bigpond.com).

Christmas Craft Market - CAN YOU HELP?

- Walkers are needed to deliver leaflets if you can help, please put your name on the list on the office counter.
- Assistance with set-up and/or pack-up or help on market days would be appreciated - please contact Susan Karoly (0433 692 862) for more details

Planned Giving Envelopes & Letters

To save on postage costs, please collect sets of Planned Giving Envelopes or Letters from the table in the foyer. Please take yours and any you can deliver.

SENIORS MORNING TEA

Thursday 27 October 10am - 12pm

All Delcome

Glen Waverley Uniting Church Cnr Bogong Avenue & Kingsway

All donations to support MND Victoria







Until there's a cure... there's care

What's going on in the life of our church?

There is a lot of information about what is going on in our congregation on the church PSALTER wiki - http://wiki.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/GwucQuickLinks . If the page you see has lots on blue on it, you are not logged in and won't be able to see quite a lot of the information. Log in by clicking on 'Login' at the top near the centre. If you can't remember your user Name and Password, contact David Morgan (councilsec@gwuc.org.au). If you are successfully logged in, screens will have lots of brown on them. Give it a try; it's not hard and just like browsing the web. You can't do serious damage by experimenting, and you don't need to log out unless you really want to. Contact John Snare (john.snare@bigpond.com) if you would like help.

Act For Peace - Hunger Crisis Appeal

Act for Peace have launched an Appeal as millions are on the brink of famine in Fifteen million the Horn of Africa. people across Somalia, Kenya and Ethiopia are facing famine due to severe drought and conflicts. Act for Peace will work through their partners to bring urgent aid. Donations are tax deductible. Give by phone 1800 025 or online at https:// 101 actforpeace.org.au/hungercrisis However, if you are not wanting a receipt you can give through the church office

Beeac Premium

The wonderful people from Beeac have again arranged to deliver bags of **Beeac Sheep Premium** even though there is no fete. If you would like bags of manure at \$8 per bag, please contact Warren Greenwood on 0403 028 948, or write your name on the list on the office counter. It will be on a first in basis as usual. All funds will go to fete recipients.

Share the Dignity - #itsinthebag

We are again collecting new or used (in good condition please) handbags and other items to be donated to the Share the Dignity #itsinthebag appeal. Donations can be left at the church office. See notice board near library for more details or contact Lynne Boyer 0408 564 443.





OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

This year GWUC is again joining in Operation Christmas Child, a Project of Samaritan's Purse, and we invite you to participate. Monetary contributions and donations of items are needed to pack into Shoeboxes. Can you help?

Items needed include: Small toys, skipping ropes, yo-yos, t-shirts, shorts, underwear, socks, toothbrushes, washcloths, combs, hairbrushes, soap, pens, pencils, notebooks, colouring books, stickers, sunglasses, hair accessories, ... Go to **OPERATIONCHRISTMASCHILD.ORG.AU** for the complete list.

Please leave items for Shoeboxes in the box in the church foyer before **Sunday 30 October***.*

Contributions to enable purchasing items needed to fill the shoeboxes is also requested. Please give donations to Joanne (Church Office), or by direct deposit to the church bank account, use code "shoebox".

Monetary contributions are needed by Friday 28 October.

Shoeboxes will be packed during our 5th Sunday 5pm Worship on Sunday 30 October - DOING TOGETHER, FOR A CAUSE...

	What's On		
MONDAY 17 OCTOBER			
10.00am	GOMERs (David Morgan 0423 127 807)	Fellowship	
10.00am	Playgroup	Room 2/3	
10.30am	Inclusive Community Committee (Jan Clear 9803 6820)	Room 1	
7.30pm	Church Council (David Morgan 0423 127 807)	Zoom	
8.00pm	Badminton (Lynne Boyer 0408 564 443)	Hall	
TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER			
10.00am	The Hub (Judith Greenwood 9803 8373)	Fellowship	
10.00am	Playgroup	Room 2/3	
2.00pm	Mindful Meditation (Susan Karoly 0433 692 862)	Zoom	
WEDNESDAY 19 OCTOBER			
7.00am	Prayer Time (<u>www.gwuc.org.au</u>)	Online	
4.00pm	Meditation Online (<u>www.gwuc.org.au</u>)	Online	
8.00pm	Free Spirit (Deb Leigh 0411 778 417)	Church	
THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER			
11.15am	English Conversation Class (Jan Clear 9803 6820)	Room 4	
7.30pm	Intercultural Bible Sharing (Glyn Howells 0439 490 679)	Zoom	
FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER			
9.30am	Choir of Hope (<i>Deb Leigh 0411 778 417</i>)	Church	
5.30/7.00pm	Uthies/Youth	Hall	
	If no contact is listed above, please call the church office for more details.		

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GWUC Westpac Bank Account Details:

Account Name: Uniting Church Glen Waverley BSB: 033 052 Account Number: 92 2198