



# Glen Waverley

## Uniting Church

### Volunteers Needed to Deliver Postcards for Advent Services

We need 9 people to letterbox-drop postcards to houses in the area around the church to promote our Advent Services in the community. Please see the sign-up sheet on the table in the foyer if you can help to deliver the postcards in the week following Sunday 10 December. Your help would be much appreciated.

Enquiries: Peter Anderson 0411 123 253.

### Five Leaf Eco Awards

As promised after Sunday's Outreach Forum, there are a number of Environment Stories of Hope brochures for those interested in reading up on what Uniting Churches have been doing towards the five leaf eco awards.

There is also a sign up sheet for those interested in joining a group to explore ways our church community could be even more intentional about our environmental impact.

### Uniting Food for Families

Again our congregation is collecting non perishable food items and toiletries for the Food for Families Appeal which this year is broader than Wesley Mission as it is part of Uniting. Items include breakfast cereal, pasta and pasta sauce, rice, long life milk, canned fruit, soups, ring pull canned meals etc. Boxes for donations in the foyer.

### Empty Christmas Tree

The empty Christmas Tree really is empty! You are invited to bring along a small (non-returnable) decoration to add to the tree, and also a gift for under the tree. Gifts will be distributed to some in our community (through Welfare) and also to Broadmeadows. Please do not wrap your gifts.

### GLEN WAVERLEY UNITING CHURCH MINISTRY TEAM

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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

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

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 3

### Advent 1

<b>10.00 am</b>	Combined Service followed by Christmas Lunch	Ministry Team
<b>5.00 pm</b>	Indonesian Christmas Celebration followed by Dinner	Worship in English

Today's 9.15 and 11am services are being recorded

Isaiah 64:1-9; Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; 1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 10

### Advent 2

<b>8.00 am</b>	Contemplative - Communion	Ross Mackinnon
<b>9.15 am</b>	Interactive - Communion	Rev Neil Peters
<b>11.00 am</b>	Traditional - Communion	Rev Neil Peters
<b>1.00 pm</b>	Indonesian Worship	Worship in Bahasa Indonesia
<b>2.30 pm</b>	Seniors Carol Service	Alison Clarkson
<b>4.30 pm</b>	Children and Families	Not Meeting

Isaiah 40:1-11; Psalm 85:1-2, 8-13; 2 Peter 3:8-15a; Mark 1:1-8

## 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, SSpace - Sacred Space)

### Monday 4 December

10.00 am	Playgroup	R2/R3	Enq: Office 9560 3580
10.30 am	Leisure Time	R1/F	Enq: Cliff Baker 9802 8990
7.30 pm	Communications	R4	Enq: John Snare 9802 3170
7.45 pm	Property Committee	R1	Enq: Warren Greenwood 0403 028 948
8.00 pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061
8.00 pm	Young Adult Group	O	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342

### Tuesday 5 December

10.00 am	Playgroup	R2/R3	Enq: Office 9560 3580
10am - 2pm	The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
11.00 am	UCAF	R1/F	Enq: Barbara Thompson 9802 3980
2.00 pm	Mens Fellowship	R1/F	Enq: Colin King 9560 3147

### Wednesday 6 December

10am - 12noon	The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
8.00 pm	Free Spirit	C	Enq: Deb Leigh 0411 778 417

### Thursday 7 December

10am - 12 noon	Christmas Morning Tea at The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
10.00 am	Ladies Keep Fit Class	H	Enq: Eileen Scott 9800 4005
2.00 pm	M&M Club	F	Enq: Angus Peters 0403 029 727 Andrew Hosking 0401 231 034
7.45 pm	Community Outreach	SSpace	Enq: Neil Peters 9561 3031
8.00 pm	Uniting Voices	R1/C	Enq: Elwyn Pederson 9803 1378
8.00 pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061

### Friday 8 December

10.00 am	'Q' Bible Study	R4	Enq: Office 9560 3580
12.00 noon	Cocee	F	Enq: Office 9560 3580
7.00 pm	Youth	H	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0402 030 342

### Saturday 9 December

1.00 pm	Social Tennis	O	Enq: Graeme Pratt 9560 7991
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## Today's Flowers in the church

Today's flowers are arranged by Sheila Chan.



## Many Thanks!

Many thanks to all who attended the Trivia Night on Saturday. Over \$1,000 was raised for church projects. Thanks, too, to those who put effort into organising the event.

## Today - Sunday 3 December

After the combined service today we will meet together for our Christmas lunch. At 5pm, you would be welcome to join in the Indonesian Christmas Celebration commencing with worship and concluding with dinner. A donation for dinner would be appreciated.

## UCAF - Tuesday 5 December at 11am

UCAF Christmas Breakup is on 5 December, beginning with the AGM followed by the Christmas Service. Everyone is welcome. Please remember to bring a plate of food to share. Goods for GWUC Welfare.

## Men's Fellowship - Tuesday 5 December at 2pm

Men's Fellowship meets at 2pm, Tuesday 5th December, in Room 1. Enquiries to Colin King 9560 3147.

## Christmas Morning Tea at The Hub - Thurs 7 December from 10am

Come and enjoy a special Christmas morning tea with family and friends at The Hub. All donations to help needy families in our community.

## COP Presentations - Sunday 10 December at 9.15am

The COP presentations to Congregation nominators of projects in 2017 will occur at the 9.15 am service on Sunday 10 December. Those receiving a grant have been invited to the service. The final fete result and distributions will be made known to the congregation.