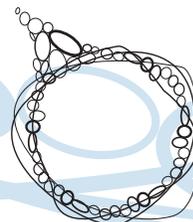


## 2016 Rosters - Cleaning and Morning Tea

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



# Glen Waverley

## Uniting Church

## 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.

## 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.

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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](mailto: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 13

### Advent 3

**8.00am** Contemplative - Communion  
**9.15am** Interactive  
**11.00am** Traditional - Iona Advent  
**2.30pm** Seniors' Carols Service  
**4.30pm** Children & Families BBQ  
**7.00pm** Creative Worship

Susan Karoly / Ross Mackinnon  
Rev Neil Peters  
Uniting Voices  
Alison Clarkson  
Rev Neil Peters  
Alanee Hearnshaw

Today's 9.15am, 11am and 2.30pm Services are being recorded

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

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 20

### Advent 4

**8.00am** Contemplative - Communion  
**9.15am** Interactive  
**11.00am** Traditional - Communion  
**7.00pm** Carols on Kingsway

Ross Mackinnon  
Rev Neil Peters  
Rev Neil Peters / Alison Clarkson  
Alanee Hearnshaw

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



## 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 14 December

7.30	pm	Meditation Group	O	Enq: Graeme or Bobbie 9803 0379
8.00	pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061

### Tuesday 15 December

### Wednesday 16 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 17 December

8.00	pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061
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### Friday 18 December

10.00	am	'Q' Bible Study	R4	Enq: Office 9560 3580
12.00	noon	Coee	F	Enq: Office 9560 3580

### Saturday 19 December

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

### Sunday 13 December

11.00	am	Iona Advent Service
2.30	pm	Seniors' Carols Service

### 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

## Today's Flowers in the church

Arranged by: Barbara Thompson.



## Today

At the 9.15am Service today the children will participate in bringing a message to the congregation, sharing what they have done in Term 4.

After the 11am Iona Advent Service today there will be a light lunch available for those who wish to stay and attend the Seniors' Carol Service.

The Carol Service commences at 2.30pm and includes Free Spirit. This will be followed by a light afternoon tea of cake and shortbread. All are welcome.

## Many Thanks

We have received an email from Melinda Guerrero which reads ...

"Thanks be to God for all this wonderful experience with Glen Waverley Uniting Church, for your love and support and most especially for Berlin's ordination.

December 10 was Berlin's induction, please continue to pray for our new journey and ministry."

## Empty Christmas Tree

Your gifts are invited for our Empty Christmas Tree. Gifts for children, teenagers, mum and dads are needed. Food is also welcome. Please do not wrap your presents.

So that gifts can be distributed in time for Christmas, please leave your gift by Thursday 17 December.

## 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 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.