

## More Than Godspell - Friday 11 November

Please attend this concert being put on by the Diamond Valley Singers. Cost: \$20. Fundraising efforts will support NCYC. It will be a great night and a good opportunity to bring along friends who are not part of the church. For more details please see the October monthly bulletin.



# Glen Waverley Uniting Church

## Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Reminder

The final day for dropping off your filled shoeboxes at the Church Office is Thursday 27 October. All the shoeboxes collected will be taken to Operation Christmas Child on Friday morning for delivery to the children in time for Christmas. Enquiries: Kimberly Easton 0410 708 824.

## UCAF

UCAF members please note that there is no UCAF meeting on Tuesday 1 November as this is Melbourne Cup Day. Our next meeting (on Tuesday 6 December) will be the last for the year and our AGM, Christmas Service and Luncheon. Please bring a plate of food to share. We will begin at 11am in the Church, with the luncheon in the Church Hall. Goods brought will be for GWUC Welfare Committee. Enquiries: Barbara Thompson 9802 3980.

## Cleaning and Lawn Mowing Rosters 2017

We are currently preparing the cleaning and mowing rosters for 2017. This work is done by a team of volunteers and takes each person no more than two hours. We need to gain some new recruits. If you are younger (under 70!) please consider whether you could give a couple of hours (four times a year) to assist with this roster. Please put your name on the list on the Office Counter if you can help. Existing volunteers will be assumed to be available again, so do let us know if this is not the case. For more information please contact Herb Fleming on (home) 9887 8620, (mobile) 0407 516 827 or email [fleminghe@optusnet.com.au](mailto:fleminghe@optusnet.com.au).

## 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

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

## TODAY SUNDAY OCTOBER 23

## Pentecost 23

**8.00am** Contemplative - Communion

Ross Mackinnon

**9.15am** Interactive

Alanee Hearnshaw

**11.00am** Traditional

Alanee Hearnshaw

**4.30pm** Children & Families

Children & Families

**7.00pm** Creative Worship

Alanee Hearnshaw

Today's 9.15 & 11am services are being recorded

Joel 2:23-32; Psalm 65; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18; Luke 8:9-14

## SUNDAY OCTOBER 30

## Pentecost 24

**8.00am** Contemplative - Communion

Rev Brace Bateman

**9.15am** Interactive

Rev Neil Peters

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**4.30pm** Children & Families

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**7.00pm** Creative Worship

Alanee Hearnshaw

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4; Psalm 119:137-144; 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12; Luke 19:1-10



## 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 24 October

10.00	am	Playgroup	R2/R3	Office Open 9.00am - 5pm Enq: Office 9560 3580
10.30	am	Leisure Time	R1/F	Enq: Cliff Baker 9802 8990
7.30	pm	Meditation Group	O	Enq: Graeme or Bobbie 9803 0379
7.30	pm	Bible Study	R2	Enq: Jit Tan 9886 7770
8.00	pm	Young Adults	O	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0403 030 342
8.00	pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061

### Tuesday 25 October

10.00	am	Playgroup	R2/R3	Office Open 9.30am - 3pm Enq: Office 9560 3580
10am - 2pm		The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
11.00	am	UCAF Administration	R4	Enq: Barbara Thompson 9802 3980
12.30	pm	Meditation	SSpace	Enq: Susan Karoly 0433 692 862
8.00	pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061

### Wednesday 26 October

10.00	am	Playgroup	R2/R3	Office Open 9.30am - 3pm Enq: Office 9560 3580
10am - 12noon		The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
8.00	pm	Free Spirit	O	Enq: Deb Leigh 0411 778 417
8.00	pm	Young Adults	O	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0403 030 342

### Thursday 27 October

10.00	am	Ladies Keep Fit	H	Office Open 9.30am - 5pm Enq: Eileen Scott 9800 4005
10am - 12noon		Seniors Morning Tea	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
11.15	am	English Conversation	R4	Enq: Jan Clear 9803 6820
12noon - 2pm		The Hub	F	Enq: Judith Greenwood 9803 8373
1.00	pm	Inclusive Community	R4	Enq: Jan Clear 9803 6820
8.00	pm	Uniting Voices	R1	Enq: Elwyn Pederson 9803 1378
8.00	pm	Badminton	H	Enq: Onn Chin 9884 4061

### Friday 28 October

10.00	am	Playgroup	R2/R3	Office Open 9.30am - 3pm Enq: Office 9560 3580
10.00	am	'Q' Bible Study	R4	Enq: Office 9560 3580
12.00	noon	Cooee	F	Enq: Office 9560 3580
7.00	pm	Youth	H	Enq: Alanee Hearnshaw 0403 030 342

### Saturday 29 October

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

Arranged by: Margaret Frecker



## Many Thanks

I would like to say thank you to anyone who has donated resources for me to take on my teaching placement to the Solomon Islands. Everything is much appreciated and I am super excited to leave very soon.

Thanks - Sarah Blakemore.

## Today - Light Lunch and Pastoral Care Workshop

A light lunch will follow the 11am service today. Following this, the Pastoral Care workshop will be held at 1.15 pm today in Room 1.

## Ministry Team Leave

Neil has this Sunday off and Monday as a leave day so he will be away from Friday and returning to work Tuesday. For urgent matters Neil can be contacted through the office.

## Seniors' Morning Tea at The Hub - Thursday 27 October at 10am

Come and enjoy morning tea at The Hub to thank our Seniors for all they do to help in our community. All ages welcome. Bring your family and friends.

All donations to research into Motor Neurone Disease.

## Outreach BBQ Forum - Sunday 30 October at 12noon

On 30 October we will be hearing from David Karoly, one of Australia's leading climate and environmental scientists. Lunch will be provided. The cost is \$5. Please put your name on the list in the foyer to assist with catering.

## GWUC Trivia Night - Saturday 5 November at 7pm

Put your trivia hat on and come along to GWUC's 2016 Trivia Night on Saturday 5 November! The night will kick off at 7pm and will feature general knowledge, fun, games, and of course some biblical knowledge! This family event is a fundraising effort for the church and will cost only \$5 per person for entry. There will be a sign up board in the church foyer. Please check it out for more information and sign up your table today!

## Individual Stall Results

There may be further adjustment to the Net Income for any income and expenses not yet received.

Apologies if we have left any names off this list.

Stall	Groups / Coordinators	Profit
\$2 Boxes	Children & Families/ Mirini Lang	180.83
Asian Food	Asian Families / Cynthia & Onn Chin and Vida & Michael Foo	1,766.75
Animal Farm	Donations / Cliff Baker	102.45
Bike Photos	Ulysses Motorcycle Club	36.00
Beeac Premium	Beeac UC / Warren Greenwood	756.15
BBQ	Youth / Susan & Michael Stringer	321.59
Billy Carts	2nd Glen Waverley Scouts / Russell Lang	66.00
Books	Book & Tennis Club / Bev & Don Reid, Barb Hurst	3,667.00
Cards/Notebooks	David & Shirley Williams	400.00
Cakes/Jams/Honey	UCAF / Barbara Thompson / Heather Wilkins	3,436.50
Crafts	Judith Greenwood, Laurel Muir	1,944.15
Collectables	Margaret Lemke & Joanne Boldiston	1,204.00
Devonshire Tea	Choir / Eileen Scott	955.70
Face Painting	Kat Mann & Alanee Hearnshaw	158.90
Fairy Floss	Youth / Aaron Blakemore	37.50
Jewellery	Verity Cormack	448.90
Pizza	Young Adults / Amy Spark Eichenbaum	119.10
Plants	Andrew Hosking, Ian McMillan, Colin King	961.21
Pre-loved Clothes	Ruth Dayment	1,308.35
Silent Auction	Cliff Baker / Bill Norquay	4,302.50
Treasure	Adult Group / Bev & Lindsay Brown	4,299.90
Donations	Various	30.00
<b>Total stall takings</b>		<b>26,503.48</b>
Less general costs		1,376.75
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>Congregational Outreach</b>	<b>\$25,127</b>

*On behalf of the whole congregation, thank you Cliff for your huge contribution to the fete for the past eleven years. Sue & Murray*

## GWUC FETE WRAP-UP FOR 2016

**ONCE AGAIN AN AMAZING TEAM EFFORT PRODUCED A WONDERFUL EVENT. TO EVERYONE INVOLVED....**



**Together we raised \$25,127\***

\* This figure will grow if some late payments are received.

Fete proceeds will be distributed according to the agreement from the Congregational Meeting on 17 July 2016. Distribution of the first \$25,000 is shown in the table below. All amounts in excess of this will be distributed according to the process approved at that meeting.

1. Open Family Australia - \$2,940	7. Odyssey House - \$3,600
2. Friends of Emera (Timor Leste) - \$2,260	8. GWUC Welfare - \$2,340
3. GWSC Chaplaincy - \$2,680	9. Vanuatu Librarians - \$1,100
4. Friends of Baguia (Timor Leste) - \$2,680	10. Mission Liaison Group - \$1,260
5. Cherish Foundation – (Kenya) \$2,570	11. Wesley Mission Victoria - \$1,460
6. Hotham Mission - \$1,510	12. To be reallocated - \$1,020

In addition, funds from Christmas Card sales at the fete will go to the UCA SHARE Appeal and the Ryder Cheshire Foundation

## *Thank you to all who helped in so many ways:*

### **Preparation:**

- everyone who worked throughout the year or in recent days to stock their stalls – those who created craft items, baked cakes and scones, made jams, potted plants, prepared food and produced artwork and greeting cards.
- Helen Baker for offer and provision of garage for storing stock for the fete.
- Heather Hon and Wendy Pepper in the office for the paperwork and liaisons regarding the fete.
- Barry Plant Doherty Glen Waverley for two fete signboards (at GWUC & Central reserve, corner Springvale and Waverley Rds.)
- Barry Plant Doherty Glen Waverley for printing and delivery of the fete publicity pamphlets.
- MBE for the laminated fete sign on the fence.

### **Setup & Clean up:**

- the large team of people who undertook so many trips with cars and trailers over Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday, providing the extra trestles, tables and equipment that were essential to the operation of the fete, as well as collecting a whole lot of stock for various stalls from many donors.
- Badminton Group, Uthies, Youth Group and other Church and external groups who adjusted their meeting times and places to give us the use of the church on Thursday and Friday for setting up.
- Mini Maestros for re-locating on Friday and Saturday.
- **everyone who responded to our calls for assistance to set up stalls on Thursday and Friday.** The enthusiastic effort was great, wonderful fellowship was shared and your help was really appreciated.
- the 'night watchmen' for supervising the church complex over Friday night – Stephen Emms, Peter Swain, Joel Hearnshaw, Steve Fraser
- Rob (and Faye) McDougall for the electrical safety checks on so many Trash and Treasure items.
- **all the wonderful people who were involved in the clean-up on Saturday!** We finished just before the Chinese congregation arrived at 6pm.

### **Equipment:**

- Wesley College for the large purple marquees and set up staff.
- Canopy Outdoors for the loan of their "charity" marquees.

- Pinewood Primary School, Highvale Secondary College, St Justin's Catholic Church, Glen Waverley Primary School and High Street Rd Uniting Church for the loan of their tables and trestles.

### **Donations:**

- The Silent Auction, Pizza and Plant stalls were all supported by generous donations of goods (or vouchers for goods or services) by many local businesses (too many to list!).
- Dawn and Robert Missen and Jenny and Donald Lang for their donation and delivery of the "Beeac Premium" sheep manure.
- All who donated items for the stalls, providing plenty of stock to sell, or items for the Silent Auction.
- Ulysses Motorcycle Club for a great display of prestige machines.
- Chinese Cultural Dancers for their colourful performance.
- Springvale Chinese Orchestra for their beautiful music.
- Glen Waverley Primary School choristers
- Monash Council for assisting with signage and publicity
- Russell Lang and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Glen Waverley scouts for supply and supervision of the billy carts

### **The Fete**

- **those who took on the responsibility of coordinating a stall.** The fete committee greatly appreciates your efforts (see next page for names).
- everyone who volunteered to work on the various stalls.
- Michael Boyer for his enthusiastic & successful encouragement for us to eat & spend throughout the fete.
- Robert Wood for tallying up the money and the money counters Robert O'Brien and John Tuininga.
- Sarah Wieden and Margaret Fraser for food safety oversight.
- Neil Peters & Alanee for the eye catching GWUC stall & friendly presence

AND THANKS TO EVERYONE ELSE WHO HELPED TO MAKE OUR FETE SUCH A WONDERFUL EVENT.

**A grateful and sincere THANK YOU to the whole Congregation from the Fete Committee.**

*Cliff Baker, Murray Lowe & Sue Morgan*