



# Glen Waverley Uniting Church

## 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!



*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.*

### Sunday 11 February - Transfiguration of Jesus

8am	Contemplative <i>incl. Holy Communion</i>	Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive (+live broadcast) <i>incl. Holy Communion</i>	Rev. Chris Waddell
11am	Traditional (+live broadcast)	Rev. Chris Waddell
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship <i>incl. Holy Communion</i>	
5pm	Shared Dinner and Study - <i>please bring a plate of food to share</i>	

2 Kings 2:1-12; Psalm 50:1-6; 2 Corinthians 4:3-6; Mark 9:2-9

**Pancake Day**  
Flip for a good cause.

Funds raised will be sent to Uniting to support people who are struggling

Learn more  
[unitingvictas.org.au/pancake-day](http://unitingvictas.org.au/pancake-day)

**Uniting**

**SUNDAY  
11TH FEB  
@ 12PM**

Join us for a delicious  
Pancake Lunch following  
the 11am service

**\$3 each**

**\$5 for 2**

Enq: Jan Clear 0419 589 175

**Who made the rule that dessert  
has to come last?**

Come along today and start your lunch with a delicious pancake or 2 (or more) - all while supporting a good cause. Of course, you will need to go somewhere else after to complete your meal - but you may not want to after dessert!!!

### Sunday 18 February - Lent 1

8am	Contemplative <i>incl. Holy Communion</i>	Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive (+live broadcast)	Rev. Chris Waddell
11am	Traditional (+live broadcast) <i>incl. Holy Communion</i>	Rev. Chris Waddell
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Genesis 9:8-17; Psalm 25:1-10; 1 Peter 3:18-22; Mark 1:9-15

# Book Sale

Used books for adults and kids

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Saturday  
24 Feb

8:30am-4:00pm

Donations of books welcome  
from Feb 19

 Proceeds to support the  
work of Glen Waverley  
Uniting Church  
[www.gwuc.org.au](http://www.gwuc.org.au)



We would love you to be part of this event. The summer holidays are a great time to sort through those books you no longer need. We will be setting up on Friday 23, packing up on Sunday 25, and would appreciate your donations of books and your help over those 3 days. Donations of books welcome from 19 Feb.

## Health Update - Rev. Ian Ferguson

As most of you will be aware, Ian had a heart attack last Monday. He has had a couple of stents put in and is recovering well. After taking the necessary time off to recover, Ian will return to work slowly, hopefully over the next several weeks. Please continue to keep Ian and Beth in your prayers during this time. In Ian's absence, please contact Chris, Di or the church office if you need anything.



## Ash Wednesday

A service of worship will be held on Wednesday 14 February, 7.30pm.  
All are welcome.

## Notice of Election - Church Council

There will be an election of church councillors on **Sunday 17 March**. Nominations are open from Sunday 4 February until Sunday 25 February. There are nine positions to fill. Please give prayerful consideration to making yourself available if you think that you can serve in this way. Please also consider nominating people who you think might be suitable.

There is more information on the combined Information and Nomination form available from the stewards table. Please see John Snare ([john.snare@bigpond.com](mailto:john.snare@bigpond.com)) or any member of Church Council if you would like more information or assistance with nomination.

NEXT WEEK @GWUC Youth

# Splash Night



Friday 16th Feb  
7:00pm-9:30pm

GWUC Youth for Year 7-Year 12  
Contact: Chris Waddell 0418 373 065  
Cost \$2

## Craft Group

Monday 12 February, 10am-2pm.  
BYO lunch, tea and coffee provided. Usually meeting 2nd & 4th Mondays of each month.  
Gold Coin donation.

## GWUC OUTREACH

### February Material Aid - GWUC Welfare

This month we are collecting goods to stock the GWUC Welfare pantry. Please place items in the coloured bins near the church office.



## Prayer Chain

*Did you know we have a Prayer Chain at GWUC?*

The Prayer Chain is a group of individuals who participate in prayer during the week, for themselves and for others. The ministry team pass on prayer requests to Laurel Muir who then contacts the members of the chain. All requests are treated with respect and privacy. New members are welcome. Please contact Laurel if you have any questions on 9560 1518.

## Photos of YOU!

The new ministry team have appreciated the photos in the rolls database. If yours is not there and you would like it to be, please see David Morgan between services on Sunday Feb 11, or send a "mugshot" to [councilsec@gwuc.org.au](mailto:councilsec@gwuc.org.au). See <http://wiki.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/PhotoDirectory> for existing photos.

## Lunar New Year 2024 Year of the Dragon

This church has been invited to participate in the City of Monash's Lunar New Year Celebrations to be held in Kingsway on **Sunday 18 February**. We will be offering craft and information about our church programs, and we **need your help** to make this a success!



Volunteers are needed to

- help with set up and/or pack up on the day (moving chairs & tables, helping with decorations etc); and
- come along on 18 Feb for a couple of hours to staff our stall.

Put your name on the list on the office counter if you can help. For more details, please contact Vida Foo 0411 246 254.

## What's On...

### MONDAY 12 FEBRUARY

10.00am	GOMERS	Fellowship
10.00am	Craft Group	Room 1
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall

### TUESDAY 13 FEBRUARY

10.00am	The Hub	Fellowship
10.00am	Playgroup	Room 2/3
2.00pm	Mindful Meditation	Zoom

### WEDNESDAY 14 FEBRUARY

1.00pm	Community Hub Meeting	Room 2
7.30pm	Ash Wednesday Service	Church
8.00pm	Free Spirit	Church

### THURSDAY 15 FEBRUARY

11.15am	English Conversation Class	Room 4
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall

### FRIDAY 16 FEBRUARY

10.00am	Choir of Hope	Church
7.00pm	Youth	Hall

### MONDAY 19 FEBRUARY

10.00am	GOMERS	Fellowship
7.30pm	Church Council	Zoom
8.00pm	Badminton	Hall

### TUESDAY 20 FEBRUARY

10.00am	The Hub	Fellowship
10.00am	Playgroup	Room 2/3
2.00pm	Mindful Meditation	Zoom

### WEDNESDAY 21 FEBRUARY

8.00pm	Free Spirit	Church
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### THURSDAY 22 FEBRUARY

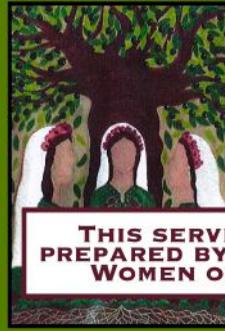
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10.00am	Choir of Hope	Church
7.00pm	Youth	Hall

### **GWUC Westpac Bank Account Details:**

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



**2024  
WORLD  
DAY  
OF  
PRAYER  
-PALESTINE**

**THIS SERVICE HAS BEEN  
PREPARED BY THE CHRISTIAN  
WOMEN OF PALESTINE**

Date & Time:

**Friday 1st March  
10.30am Service**

Location: 10am Morning Tea

**GLEN WAVERLEY  
UNITING CHURCH**

Cnr Bogong Avenue & Kingsway  
Enquiries: Jan Clear 0419 589 175

### **Contact Us:**

#### ***Ministry Team***

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#### ***Church Office***

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Website: [gwuc.org.au](http://gwuc.org.au)

### **Zoom links:**

**Indonesian Fellowship** Meeting code: 980 1882 3667 (passcode: 773026)  
**Mindful Meditation** Meeting code: 901 146 0982 (passcode: 599029)