



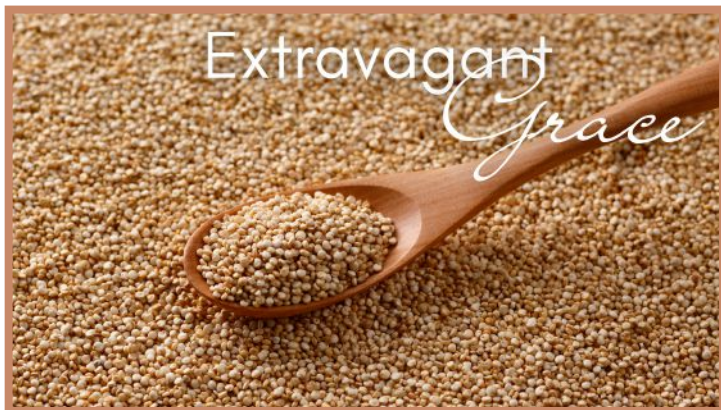
Glen Waverley Uniting Church

Weekly Bulletin

12 July 2026

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 yellow flower 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.

Worship Services...

Sunday 12 July - Pentecost 7

10am Worship (+live broadcast)

Rev Ian Ferguson / Rev Chris Waddell

5.30pm FEAST please bring a plate of food to share

Rev Chris Waddell

Sunday 19 July - Pentecost 8

10am Worship (+live broadcast)

Rev Chris Waddell / Rev Ian Ferguson

5.30pm FEAST please bring a plate of food to share

Rev Chris Waddell

View our 10am services online at

www.gwuc.org.au

What's On ...

MONDAY 13 JULY

10am	GOMERs	Fellowship
10am	Playgroup	Room 2/3
8pm	Badminton/Table Tennis	Hall

TUESDAY 14 JULY

10am	The Hub	Fellowship
2pm	Meditation	Zoom
7.30pm	Communications Committee	Room 2

THURSDAY 16 JULY

11.15am	English Conversation Class	Room 1
8pm	Badminton/Table Tennis	Hall

FRIDAY 17 JULY

7pm	Youth	Hall
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SUNDAY 19 JULY

11.30am	Meeting of the Congregation	Church
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Meeting of the Congregation Sunday 19 July

A meeting of the congregation will be held on Sunday 19 July following morning worship. An agenda is at <https://info.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/CongMeetingAgenda20260719>.

At this meeting important and interesting information will be presented concerning the life of our congregation.

Please let me know if you would like something added to the agenda or if there are matters you would like raised as 'other business'. John Snare, john.snare@bigpond.com.

Tennis Club AGM

The Annual General Meeting of the GWUC Tennis Club will be a zoom meeting at 5.30pm on Saturday 25th July.

To join meeting email stuartblake57@gmail.com
prior to 4.30pm.

Church Council Minutes

Church Council met this week and provisional minutes are available at <https://info.gwuc.org.au/gwuc/CouncilMinutes20260709>. As always, if you would like an email or paper copy, please contact david@gwuc.org.au or the church office.

Invitation - Big Hymn Sing

A Hymn Singing afternoon will be held on Sunday 2nd August at 3.30pm at Mount Waverley Uniting Church, 37-43 Virginia Street Mount Waverley. *"Please join us for a fun filled musical afternoon to sing a long list of old favourites and most loved cherished hymns led by the choir and pipe organ with other special performances. A warm invitation is extended to everyone from our neighbouring churches to join us for a joyful ecumenical afternoon of music and fellowship."*

Material Aid

Our GWUC material aid collection is currently supporting the Lions Recycle for Sight program. The initiative delivers used pairs of eye glasses to those in need around the world, successfully restoring sight to adults and children. The program also has the added benefit of reducing landfill. Please place your old glasses into the marked collection bin outside the office door by August 2nd. *Glasses cases are not required.*



GWUC Welfare Pantry

Your donations of non perishable goods for Welfare are greatly appreciated. This week we especially need:

- **Tinned Spaghetti** and
- **Tinned Baked Beans.**

Goods can be placed in the coloured bins near the office door. Shopping lists to assist you can be taken from the Outreach & Social Justice display board.



Can you help?

Leisure Time's Afternoon Tea program needs help with supplying sandwiches once a month. If you can offer to make a loaf of sandwiches, please contact Susan Karoly 0433 692 962.



Sunday Squad & Sunday Squad Teens

Providing opportunities for children (weekly) and teens (fortnightly) during 10am worship - to explore the Christian faith through stories, questioning, craft & creativity. All are welcome.

Sunday Squad is on a break for the school holidays - see you again next term!



GWUC - Role of Welfare Coordinator

Due to the sudden resignation of our Welfare Coordinator on 18th June 2026, we have commenced the recruitment process for a new Welfare Coordinator to join our team.

We are seeking a person who will coordinate the delivery and support of a range of services and support activities to people requiring assistance through the Welfare programmes of Glen Waverley Uniting Church.

We have an experienced Welfare Committee, and a Volunteer Coordinator dedicated to delivering these important services and we are seeking to recruit a professional appropriately skilled person to assume the part time role of Welfare Coordinator here at GWUC.

This is a part time role operating for 6 hours per week. The hours are flexible as are the days and the mix.

A Position Description document detailing the requirements of the role is available from the church office, office@gwuc.org.au.

We have chosen to seek interest and applications from within our congregation as well as canvassing candidates from outside.

Should you wish to discuss the role, please contact Ken Coutts our Convenor, People & Culture on 0412 766 761.

Please submit applications marked "Private & Confidential" to the church office by 25th July 2026.

5.30PM FEAST

"Friends Eating And Sharing Together"

A casual place to share Faith, Food & Fellowship. Studies, testimonies, crafts, movies and reflections, all while sharing a meal together. All ages are welcome. Please bring a plate of food to share!



GLEN WAVERLEY UNITING CHURCH
YOUTH GROUP

READY STEADY GLOW

FRIDAY JULY 17@GWUC
7:00PM-9:30PM
FOR YOUTH IN YEAR 7-21 YO
CONTACT CHRIS WADDELL
0418 373 065
COST \$2



Honey Sales

Please support our fund-raising effort for the Asylum Seeker Welcome Centre by purchasing your honey from near the servery. Its delicious! Please self-serve, place your money into the small bag provided and post it into the church letter box outside the doors near the office. Thank you for supporting the ASWC. Return of jars with labels removed is much appreciated. *Margaret, Yolandy & David.*



MINDFUL MEDITATION

Tuesday's at 2pm

on Zoom

Meeting ID 872 3262 1377

Passcode 599029

All Welcome





Glen Waverley Uniting Church
Corner Bogong Avenue & Kingsway

Special Morning Tea at The Hub

Proudly supporting Fight Parkinson's



**Thursday
20 August
10am-12pm**

All Welcome!

Groups of 10 or more please
call 9560 3580



Supportive Care Link Can you help?

Forms are available from
the Steward's Table. Please return
forms to Laurel Muir, Jan Clear or the
church office.



Upcoming Events

more details to come...

Disability Awareness Celebration & Discussion

Sunday 26 July -
11.15am



1st Nations Book Discussion

Sunday 16 August
11.15am

Chinese Translation of 10am Service

A Chinese/English translation of the 10am
Service is now available each Sunday.

点击此处查看今日服务的
中文翻译

Access the translation of today's
service here.



GWUC Welfare - Grill'd in Kingsway

During **August**, our GWUC Welfare
Program is one of three charities being
supported by the Grill'd hamburger
store in Kingsway. Eating there and
putting your tokens in our jar can increase the
amount of support. See [https://grilld.com.au/
local-matters](https://grilld.com.au/local-matters) for more details.



Sammy Stamp

Don't forget to keep collecting stamps for Sammy
Stamp. Stamps can be left in the church letterbox,
or dropped off to the office during office hours.

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