



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!

Sunday 18 April Easter 3

8am	Contemplative	Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive (+Live Stream)	Rev. Neil Peters / Alanee Hearnshaw
11am	Traditional (+Live Stream) - Holy Communion	Rev. Neil Peters
1pm	Indonesian Fellowship - Holy Communion	Rev. Neil Peters

Acts 3:12-19; Psalm 4; 1 John 3:1-7, Luke 24:36b-48

Sunday 25 April Easter 4

8am	Contemplative	Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive (+Live Stream)	Rev. Duncan Macleod / Alanee Hearnshaw
11am	Traditional (+Live Stream)	Rev. Duncan Macleod / Alanee Hearnshaw

Acts 4:5-12; Psalm 23; 1 John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18

Sunday 2 May Easter 5

8am	Contemplative	Ross Mackinnon
9.15am	Interactive (+Live Stream) - Holy Communion	Rev. Ineke Gyles / Alanee Hearnshaw
11am	Traditional (+Live Stream)	Rev. Ineke Gyles
5pm	Creative Worship + Dinner	Alanee Hearnshaw

Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 22:25-31; 1 John 4:7-21; John 15:1-8

Sunday 9 May Easter 6

8am	Contemplative	Susan Karoly
9.15am	Interactive (+Live Stream)	Rev. Ineke Gyles / Alanee Hearnshaw
11am	Traditional (+Live Stream)	Rev. Ineke Gyles

Acts 10:44-48; Psalm 98; 1 John 5:1-6; John 15:9-17

Today's Flowers

Our thoughtful flowers today are given by Dorothy Stork.

*"In loving memory of my husband Chris on our
61st Wedding Anniversary - 18 April 1960"*



Some Housekeeping!

- It is recommended that you wear a face mask when you cannot maintain 1.5 metres distance from other people. While the windows will continue to be open to ensure ventilation as the best defence against aerosol transmission, the church heating will also be on.

- The choir stalls have been reinstated and the hymn books are now available for your use. Please collect a hymn book from the table on the left as you enter the church, and return it to the table on the opposite side as you leave. This will allow hymn books to be used by one person only and sanitised between uses.

- It is now mandatory for QR Codes to be used to keep attendance records at all public venues in Victoria. This includes churches. Please ensure that you are 'checked-in' upon arrival at church each Sunday. The steward at each external door will assist if you are not able to use your own phone or device.

- The Kitchen is now open for use - but with a couple of new requirements. Please have minimal staff on duty, and allocate each job to 1 person only. The doors should remain closed, with the servery window open and the exhaust fan should be switched on. Please use the dishwasher to wash ALL dishes - no hand washing is allowed.

Neil on leave

Rev. Neil Peters will be taking annual/long service leave from Monday 19 April, returning Monday 7 June. From 27 April Rev. Ineke Gyles will be here on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays. Enjoy your well earned break Neil and Lynn!

5pm Creative Worship

The 5pm service will recommence with a dinner on 2 May. All are welcome.

Leisure Time AGM Invitation

All members of the church, and all Leisure Time volunteers, are cordially invited to attend our AGM to be held at the church (not on Zoom) on Monday 19th April at 2.30pm.

Please come to hear about this valued community service for local seniors. We will also be recognising and thanking some past volunteers.

The meeting is required to elect the new committee. Most of our current committee is able to continue but we would love a couple of new faces please, including a Minutes Secretary!

Please RSVP to the church office if you are able to attend this meeting as we will be catering for a Covid-safe afternoon tea.

Church Garden Mulching - Tuesday 27 April 9.30am-1pm

Can you spare an hour or two to help spread garden mulch? Any help welcomed - even if only for an hour. All tools provided. Please call/text Mirini Lang 0408 866 109 for more details.

THE HUB is back!

The HUB will be starting back on Tuesday this week, 20th April, 10am - 12noon. For the moment The Hub will only be operating on a Tuesday morning each week. Have some time out in your busy day and call in for a cuppa and a chat. We would love to see you. All welcome.

Welcome back to UCAF

UCAF are commencing for this year on Tuesday 4 May at 10.30am. There is no morning tea at this stage, hopefully next month. We will begin the year with a Commitment Service in the church. New members will be very welcome and we will be so pleased to see regulars once again. Donations of non-perishable groceries will be for GWUC Welfare Committee. Please contact Margaret Duncan for more details 0401 098 488.

Applications for 2021 Congregation Outreach Project Grant

Applications for grants for outreach projects from the 2021 Church Fete are invited from members of GWUC. Applications open on Friday 9 April and close on Sunday 9 May. Please fill in the application form and email it to cop@gwuc.org.au or return a completed hard copy to the Church Office. Please direct any questions to Fairlie Mackinnon 0417 159 890. Electronic form is available here - [Application Form - 2021 COP Grant](#). Hard copies of the form are available from the office counter.

After event help required:

Often following or between our worship on a Sunday, we are required to clean the hall, wipe down some of the sections where food has been served or vacuum the fellowship area of food crumbs. Sometimes the activity coordinators are just not able to do it immediately after the event. We are looking for the Office to have a list of 3 to 5 people who would be willing to be called infrequently and come back to the church on a Sunday afternoon and do these tasks. It does not need a roster. It does not require you to mop the entire hall and it does not require you to pack up chairs and tables, the event organisers must do that. If you are willing to have your name on that list so the Office can call you at short notice, please contact the church office on 9560 3580 or office@gwuc.org.au. Thank you.

Flood Appeal

Uniting World has launched an Appeal to support the regions of Indonesia and Timor Leste severely impacted by the recent devastating floods. Here is the link for donations.

<https://unitingworld.org.au/pray-for-timor-leste-and-indonesia/>



Grill'd in Kingsway - supporting GWUC Welfare work

Grill'd sell a range of burgers and like to give back to the local community. In April 2021, GWUC Welfare are one of three community groups represented in the 'voting' at Grill'd in Kingsway. The group with the most tokens in their jar at the end of the month will receive a donation of \$300 (2nd and 3rd place receive \$100 each). So when you are enjoying a burger at Grill'd - don't forget to vote for GWUC Welfare!

Working Bee - Glenallen School

Glenallen School is having a School Working Bee on Saturday 1 May from 9:00am until 11:30am. The School will then provide lunch for all volunteers. 2020 saw the cessation of Glenallen Working Bees due to covid 19. Prior to 2020, parishioners from Glen Waverley Uniting Church had given the School both generous and invaluable support with Working Bees. As in the past, the Working Bee will concentrate on tidying the School's outside areas. Volunteers are asked to bring their own gardening tools. Any assistance would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Sam Brooker 0418 132 944 for more details.

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