

Wed 17 Aug 2022

GWAC happenings

Glen Waverley Anglican Church | Updates

Greetings mighty people of GWAC!

Over the past two weeks some major plans have been announced at services with regards to:

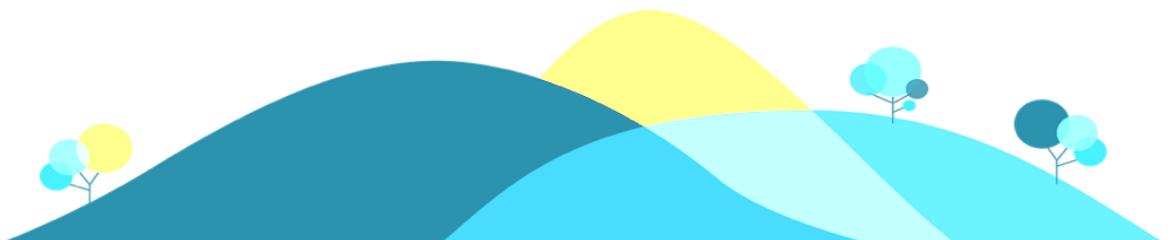
- A possible Partnership with St Matthews Wheelers Hill being voted on at mid-day Sunday 9th October*, and
- A challenge for us to revise our financial contributions to GWAC by incorporating our Gift Day giving into our tithes & offering over the course of the year, commencing 1 October (or earlier if you want), rather than a one-off contribution.

I acknowledge that both of these plans are big plans, and both require your support, prayerfully and practically. They are both matters that the Governance Board have debated and are in support of.

* If your name is not on the electoral roll for the statutory meeting on Sunday 9th Oct, and you would like to be on it, please fill out the online application form at this [LINK](#) by **Sunday 28 August**. Please note, in order to be on the electoral roll, you should be:

- Age- 18yrs and over
- Received in the Anglican Church
- Attending GWAC regularly for the last 3 months.

The presentations made at services regarding the Partnership (Sun 7 Aug), and Financial Contributions (Sun 14 Aug) are attached with this Happenings. I pray that you will give them both due consideration in the coming weeks and seek God's wisdom and the Spirit's leading in how you respond.





As with all things I do believe that God is in control of the outcome and so I commend these plans to you with that end in mind.

Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future".

Here's what's happening at GWAC:

THIS FRIDAY 19 AUG: KATHLEEN HERCUS' THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Kathleen Hercus' Thanksgiving Service will take place at GWAC on Friday 19 August at 11am. The service will also be livestreamed from GWAC's website.

Please pray for Kathleen's family and friends during this time of mourning.

IGNITE (YOUTH GROUP)

- **Friday 19th August**– we continue our Small Group discussion on the topic of "HOLY SPIRIT". Meeting at GWAC, 7–9pm.
- **Sunday 21st August**– Youth Bible Study, 4pm @ GWAC (Fellowship Area). A drop-in style Bible chat preceding the 5pm service, exploring & practicing Bible reading, building confidence, asking questions.
- See also the GWAC Youth website <https://www.gwac.org.au/youth/> for the full Term-3 schedule & details about **IGNITE Camp**– IGNITE's own getaway to Safety Beach, 26–30th Sept.

Want to get on our list? Contact a.wheaton@gwac.org.au.

THIS SUNDAY: 21 AUG

Our Theme this week at all services is: Mission Unstoppable– Handling Hostility with Jules preaching from Acts 4:8–24; 5: 29–32.

This Sunday we are also celebrating the Baptism of Adam Mayes at the 10:30am service. It will be a great service to come together and celebrate with the Mayes family with a lite lunch supplied after the service (soup and rolls).





FRIDAY MORNING PRAYER MEETING

Please join us on Fridays in Meeting room 1 & 2 from 7am for toast, muffins, hot drinks, and PRAYER. Come when you can and leave when you must.

DON'T MISS OUR GARDENS & GROUNDS PARTY: SAT 10TH SEPT AM

Otherwise known as the Working Bee - this is a great time of fellowship and productive light exercise as we care for and beautify our surroundings. Come, and leave when you can, between 08.30 am - 12.30 pm. Jobs to suit anyone.

To receive details and reminder email, please write to workingbee@gwac.org.au, or call David Mills on 0420 806 258.

OLD GWAC SIGN REVIVED

The original GWAC sign installed on Waverley Road has been relocated to the Watsons Road driveway entrance. In coming months, it will be repainted and refurbished.



CHINESE MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL: SUNDAY 11 SEPT, 10.30AM

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威夫利谷圣公会 华语堂

时间: 9月11日(周日) 上午 10:30
场地: 华语堂 (教会多功能厅)
内容: 敬拜、歌舞、音乐、布道、茶点
地点: 800 Waverley Rd, Glen Waverley, VIC 3150

Hope Life
Mid-Autumn Festival Mandarin Celebration
Sunday, 11 Sept. 10:30am
Multi-purpose Hall

盼望人生
中秋节
华语庆典

The Mandarin congregation warmly invites anyone to attend the celebration on Sun 11 Sept. Please note that the English 10.30am service will still run as normal on this day. More details available from Gordon, g.li@gwac.org.au.

Have a great week.

Phil Meulman | Senior Minister

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maturing and mobilizing disciples
of Jesus Christ, locally and globally*

