

Leading in Changing Times

A pastors and leaders event presented by Compassion Australia

Friday, 23rd November 9am to 1pm

Merewether Surf House, 5 Henderson Parade, Merewether

Register at leadingnewcastle.eventbrite.com.au

Cost: \$35 Earlybird (ends Wednesday, 31st October) Standard \$50

Morning tea and lunch included

The Eunice Hunter Memorial Library in association with
Mayfield Uniting Church invites you to

Anzac, Armistice . . . And Aftermath

A Christian commemoration of The World War I Armistice Centenary

Sunday, November 11 10.45am to 3.00pm

Mayfield Uniting Church, cnr Kerr & Highfield Streets, Mayfield

Poster and leaflets with more information in foyer

KYB (Know Your Bible)

The day time group for older ladies or whoever would like to come. It's in town on a Tuesday morning at 10am. This bible study is structured and a Godly experience. I love KYB, we study the New Testament and Old Testament books one after another. We have Anglican and Baptist ladies and would love some Uniting Church ladies as well. Please pray about it. We care about one another and pray for each other.

Please ring Sally Martin 0458 462 922 or Carole McIntosh 6558 4285 — from Carole McIntosh.

GLoucester Uniting Church

Ministers: Every member of the congregation

Phone Secretary Kerry Chisholm 6558 4206



The *Messenger*

Then I heard the Lord say, "Whom shall I send? Who will be my messenger?" I answered, "I will go, send me!"

Sunday, 21st October, 2018



***A warm welcome
is extended to
everyone
worshipping
at our Church
today.***

*If this is your first
experience of
worship at the
Uniting Church in
Gloucester we
ask that you allow
us time to greet
you over a cup of
tea or coffee after
worship.*

Annual General Meeting and Election of Elders

Sunday, November 18

Following Morning Worship

Jenny Shaw, Jeff Kite, Jillian Carson, Sue Thomas, Collister Reynolds and Bob Tebbet are coming to the end of their nominated terms as Elders. They are all eligible for re-election if they are willing to stand again.

Nomination forms will be available soon, so start thinking about who you would like to nominate to serve the church as an Elder. The election will take place at the AGM.

Church Christmas Party

The Church Council is seeking a volunteer to organize the church Christmas party this year. Please see John Williamson if you are able to help.

Gloucester Uniting Church Mission Statement

*Bringing the gospel and love of Jesus to our
community through word and action*

TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS



Job 38:1-7 (34-41) — Bill Murray
 Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35c — Elaine Murray
 Hebrews 4:12-16 — Sam de Witte
 Mark 10:35-45 — Elynne Graham
Duty Elder, Jill Carson

TODAY, Sunday, 21st October: 9.30am service led by Rev John Hoskin; Combined Churches Week of Prayer Service at the Catholic Church at 3.00pm.

Monday, 22nd October: Meet with Warren Spooner from Compassion at Jenny Shaw's home at 12 noon. Bring finger food to share.

Tuesday, 23rd October: Bible Study at Jenny's Shaw's home 7.30pm.

Friday, 26th October: Wards River Coffee Morning.

Sunday, 28th October: 9.30am service led by Newman Patmore.

Monday, 29th October: Pastoral Carers Meeting 1.30pm.

Tuesday, 30th October: Fellowship Meeting 10.30am. This is instead of the usual November meeting.

ROSTERS

Today: Jenny Shaw and Ray Creek to count offering.

Next week Sunday 28th October:

Stewards: Elynne Graham and Norma Wilson.

Bible Readings: Elaine Maslen, Claire Reynolds, Megan de Witte.

Power Point: David Collett.

Duty Elder: Bob Tebbet.

Intercessory Prayer: Christine Bolton.

Samburu Foundation Donation

Our treasurer Jenny received this note in response to our church's recent donation to the Samburu Foundation in Kenya.

Hi Jenny,

Thanks for your message. That money is such a great help and has been received. Every term I have to pay school fees. It is such a large amount now, that I often wonder how it is we will be able to pay, and yet somehow God puts it on peoples' hearts to support these guys so that I have enough to pay each time. He never ceases to amaze me and I'm thankful for Gloucester Uniting's large part in that. Please pass a heartfelt thanks, or read this note to them. I will pay school fees in a week's time for 90 boys across two schools so this is a timely gift.

My health has really knocked me around the last 12 months. Fortunately this virus has spread from the majority of my lungs into my back but is causing pain there, but no longer pain or breathing problems where it matters most, in

the lungs. I have a new resolve to take things a bit easier with more rest and I'm sure that will make a difference too in healing and keeping me strong from getting other nasties.

Thanks for your encouragement.
 In Christ,
 Mick Alley



Mick, bible and ministry trainee Moses and his Mama

Adult Fellowship Officers:

President: Heather Beesley
 Secretary: Not elected
 Treasurer: Margaret Cornish



Y.O.Y. Office Bearers:

President: Elaine Murray
 Secretary: Elaine Maslen.
 Treasurer: Colleen McKay.

CHURCH ELDERS



- **Chairperson:** John Williamson
- **Secretary:** Kerry Chisholm
- **Treasurer:** Jenny Shaw
- **Elders:** Sue Thomas
 Colin Charles
 Collister Reynolds
 Bob Tebbet
 Jeff Kite
 Jillian Carson
 Megan de Witte
 David Collett

CONGREGATION

- Congregational Chairperson: Sam de Witte
- Congregational Secretary: Shirley Hazell
- Hall Bookings: Helen Parsons 6558 1546