



Gordon Uniting Church

'Love casts out fear'

*We believe that all people, regardless of belief,
are created in the image of God.*



Notices, 15th July 2018

We warmly welcome you to worship

Meditation:

"All stories are valued and therefore all voices should be heard,
...we are to be people of abundant hope and grace
15th Assembly Dr Carroll said.



Minister: Rev Michael Barnes (e: michael@guc.org.au, ph: 9449-2688)

Administrator & Family Worker: Nicola Robinson

(e: nicola@guc.org.au, m: 0417-496390)

Church Office: 9498-6729, **Website:** www.guc.org.au

Weekly Church Notices are also available on our church website

<http://guc.org.au/articles>

@ Gordon

Village Pulpit Swap, 15th July

We warmly welcome Rev. Steve Aynsley to our service this morning who will be leading us in Worship. Rev MB will lead worship at Killara.

We welcome Su Jung from the SCUC congregation who will be playing the piano during worship.

Let's sit down and talk, with Steve after worship today

Recently, Pymble and Gordon Church Councils agreed to consider working together as a single entity. This month's '*sit down and talk*' offers a chance to learn more and contribute to the planning.

Tuesday Night Conversations July 17th

We will watch part of the documentary "**The Red Pill**" which "challenges the audience to pull back the veil, question societal norms, and expose themselves to an alternate perspective on gender equality, power and privilege".

Please contact Nicola if you intend to have dinner at 6.30pm



Last week The **Uniting Church Assembly** meeting took place in Melbourne
Rev. Sharon Hollis was named as President-elect.

Check out the assembly.uca.org.au for all the latest news

Nicola will be away **21st-29th July**. She will be thinking of you while skiing on the ski fields of New Zealand. Di Wilkinson has very kindly agreed to run the Playgroup on Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th July.

Rev. MB will be away **Monday 23rd to Wednesday 25th July** leading Presbytery Retreat in Kincumber. Contact Sue Conde if you have any urgent pastoral matters.

Playgroup will be on during the holidays
Tuesday and Wednesday 9.30-11.30am

Holy Communion will be celebrated on the **29th July** instead of 5th August. This will be Michael's last communion service at Gordon.

Book Group Monday 6th August at 8pm

At Lyn and Peter's 45 Cecil St, Gordon

For August, we are reading "The Plains" by Gerald Murnane, an Australian author that none of us has previously read. Then in September, another Australian author but this time of crime fiction, we will read "Life or Death" by Michael Robotham.

New members always welcome.

Next Breakfast Forum "Impacts & Challenges of the Wayside Chapel"

Breakfast & Talk - **7:30am Sat August 4**

9498 6729 to book or more info

Farewell, Michael, 4th August

A meal to celebrate '*Christmas in Winter*' and say goodbye to **Michael**, will be held on Saturday 4th August at 6.30pm. (Sign up sheet outside the church office)

Michael's final service will be on Sunday 5th August.

On Thursday the **Itty Bitty 4 year old Dance class** went down to Horton House and did a little performance."I thought you might want to have a look at the short video - it was super cute - here is the link https://youtu.be/_I0iFDLRPtY " from one of our tenants here at GUC

Grant from Stockland

We have received a grant of \$990 to establish a small Community Garden. If you are interested in being involved in this project, please let Nicola know.

