



IPSWICH UNITING CHURCH - Ellenborough St

Our Vision:
Growing together and reaching out as disciples of Christ

Our Core Values:
Future focussed Inclusive Grace filled Innovative Relational Justice oriented

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Sunday worship 15 May 2022 9am

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Due to the current rain event, Messy Church is cancelled on Saturday 14th May, apologies.

JOINT NEWS

New Ministry Roles at Ipswich Uniting Church - The Church Council has determined that there will be two new Ipswich Uniting Church ministry roles based at Glebe Road. The first is a part-time (8 hours/week) Youth & Young Adults Pastor and the second is a part-time (8 hours/week) Worship Pastor. The Youth & Young Adults Pastor will be ministering with young people across the Congregation and the wider community. The Worship Pastor will be ministering through music and leadership with the 10:15am Worshipping Community at Glebe Road. For a copy of either Position Description please contact me: minister@ipswichuc.org.au or 0400 774 890. Applications for the Youth & Young Adults Pastor close Friday 20th May. Applications for the Worship Pastor close Friday 27th May.

A **prayer calendar** has been prepared by Rev Andrea Follet and is attached.

Music Resources Workshop - RSVP: To Peter Arnett.

a workshop w.
Rev David MacGregor

Ipswich UC - Glebe Rd
1 pm Sunday 12 June

learn new
worship
songs from
home & the
world
church

music resources for worship
Lightstock

expanding our
congregational
song options

Safe Ministry training for those who need to refresh their training will be on Friday 27th May at noon in the Ellenborough St hall.

The next Combined Women's Fellowship gathering will be held at Brassall on Friday 10th June, commencing at 9:30am. RSVP 3rd June to Glenda Pyle, mandg92@gmx.com 0419 100 024

Also a planning meeting for interested ladies from each Women's Fellowship group, is on Monday the 11th July at Brassall at 9:30am. This is to discuss activities for the second half of the year.

GARAGE SALE at Ipswich Uniting Church – Brassall, 2 Pommer Street, Brassall, on Saturday, 14th May, 7am to 12 noon

Sausage Sizzle, Lots of bargains - Furniture, household goods, kitchen ware, bric-a-brac, lots of books, costume jewellery, and lots more - ALL WELCOME

Future Events

14 May Garage Sale - Brassall

Men's Breakfast (Jacaranda St)

22May Family Picnic – Glebe Rd

10 June Ladies Fellowship - Brassall

11 June Men's Breakfast (Jacaranda St)

14 June Music Resources Workshop (Glebe Rd)

19 June Let's Celebrate Music – Ellenborough St

9 July Men's Breakfast (Jacaranda St)

11 July Ladies Fellowship planning morning - Brassall

23 July Fashion Parade - Ellenborough St

20 Aug Garage Sale – Ellenborough St

21 Aug Family Picnic – Glebe Rd

27 Aug Trivia Afternoon – Brassall

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LECTIONARY READINGS

May 15 - Easter 5 - Acts 11:1-18, Psalm 148, Revelation 21:1-6, John 13:31-35

May 22 - Easter 6 - Acts 16:9-15, Psalm 67, Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5, John 14:23-29 or John 5:1-9

May 29 –Easter 7 - Acts 16:16-34, Psalm 97, Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21, John 17:20-26

CHURCH ROSTER

Date	Minister	Bible Reader	Stewards	Musician	Song Leader/s
22-May	Rev Ross	Anne	Gayle & Julie	Ruth	Chris
PowerPoint	Audio	Streaming	Morning Tea	Table Set-up	Counting
Peter H	Rob B	Ashley	Anne & Karen	Gordon	Gordon

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15-May	Rev Ross	Lorraine	Sandy & Lorraine	Peter C	Peter H
PowerPoint	Audio	Streaming	Morning Tea	Table Set-up	Counting
Anne	Del	John H	Jean & Gayle	John H	Helen

Date claimers.

Worship 9am every Sunday

Messy Church 2nd Saturday 4.30pm

Adult Leisure group every Monday 9am.

UnitingKids every Friday 9.30am

OP Shop Tuesdays and Thursdays 9.30am.

Huddles - Please see your leader.

JACARANDA ST NEWS

Nothing new.

GLEBE RD NEWS

attached at foot.

DIRECT DEPOSIT GIVING

Account name: Ipswich Uniting Church

BSB: 014314

Account number: 430841926

Bank: ANZ Riverlink.

please use the describing or reference - "?location? offering" or whatever deposit item you are making

DID YOU KNOW

How do I pray?

Prayer is another word for conversation but the church loves to use jargon. A conversation with God is like a conversation with a friend. We talk, we listen, we respond. Many will give God their shopping list of requests like sitting on Santa's lap and then hang up the phone. This does not allow room for God to respond through the Holy Spirit. Try spending as long sitting and listening as you do speaking. Prayer can be spoken out loud or in your mind. Some tricks to learning to "listen pray" are to clear your mind and try to think of nothing and let God fill that space. Another, if you wish to pray for someone is to speak their name as you breath out slowly and listen for a response as you breath in. Walking a maze or sitting in a quiet spot are also helpful. Jesus withdrew when he wanted to talk to God and that is a good model for us too. It is hard to pray in the middle of the family chaos.

Rev Ross Mackay

Attachments

- [prayer calendar IUC 2022.pdf](#)
- [glebe notices 2022_05_15.pdf](#)