

## **REGULAR MEETINGS**

**Church Council** 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday Bi-monthly. 4pm.

**Cameron Craft Days** on **Wednesdays** 9.30 a.m. In the hall.

**Sundays** 1 p.m. and kitchen. Contact Barbara Chard Mob 0427325352

**Cameron Art Group** on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings 9.30 am in the kitchen. Contact Anne Hazelwood 0439525884.

**Bible Study** **Wednesdays 1pm to 2 pm at the manse.**

**Cameron Caring and Sharing**

Contact Joy Fletcher 0452 531. Last Friday of each month. In Recess

**All Denominations Prayer Meeting** Tuesdays 3. 30 p.m. at Book World.

**Ladies "Know your Bible" (KYB) Study.** **Thursdays at 1.45 pm. for 2 pm start.** Contact Doreen Jackson on 67324412

**Glen Innes Bookworld** Wed-Fri 10-4 and some Saturdays 9-12pm

**Cost of Living** If you know someone who is struggling with life's expenses **The SDA Food Hub** is open Thurs 10-2pm. **Anglican Food Pantry** is open fortnightly Mondays 1pm-2pm. Starting 2<sup>nd</sup> June.

**Workers in Church grounds** – **Thanks to all who assist with** maintenance, gardening, mowing, and cleaning. Your efforts are appreciated. Please sign the book at the back door of the hall. If you have incurred any expenses, please give receipts to Gail or drop in mailbox at the manse. Reimbursement forms are in the back of the book. Your assistance and co-operation is much appreciated.

**Church Website** [www.gleninnesunitingchurch.com](http://www.gleninnesunitingchurch.com)

Face Book - Uniting Church Glen Innes.

Email - [ucaglen@gmail.com](mailto:ucaglen@gmail.com)

### **Discipleship Thought - Words for worship**

Jesus reveals the life of God in many different situations. He pays attention to people of all ages. He comments on children playing weddings (flutes and dancing) and funerals (wailing and mourning). Children at play can be fickle, but the same trait can be seen in adults, who are pleased by neither extreme. The writer of the gospel of Matthew contrasts the lifestyle of John the baptiser with that of Jesus yet shows that God is revealed in the lives of both. In whom do we see God's life revealed more clearly?

Jesus' attention to people of all abilities is also seen as he recognises that people's response to God is a matter of the heart and dependent on revelation, not on intelligence, on openness, not on age and experience. Jesus also understands people's lives, knowing where they most need to discover God, where they are worried about things that they cannot change or do not matter, and where they can find comfort and rest. What is causing weariness or making burdens in our community? How can Jesus' words bring comfort and support today?

## **Uniting Church in Australia Congregation of Glen Innes & District WELCOME**

**To all our friends and visitors to our worship service this morning.**



### **REGULAR SERVICES**

**Family Service.** Sunday. 10 a.m.

**Communion Service.** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday 10a.m.

**Deepwater** Sept & Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun 6pm

**SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**Rev Michele Shumack**

### **HYMNS**

TIS 650, 647, The Summons, TIS 147, 781

### **READINGS**

OT. Gen 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67

NT. Matt 11:16-19, 25-30

### **ENQUIRIES**

Rev Michele Shumack Mob. 0417067992

Gail Stone - Mob 0429323170

## Rosters

### Door Duty:

5<sup>th</sup> July J McClure  
12<sup>th</sup> July O Rendell  
19<sup>th</sup> July J Robertson  
26<sup>th</sup> July A Cameron  
Helpers G. Stone,  
M Shumack, D. Williamson,  
J. Robertson

### Morning Tea

5<sup>th</sup> July J Mander  
12<sup>th</sup> July J Austin  
19<sup>th</sup> July J Robertson  
26<sup>th</sup> July J Mander  
Helpers, D Williamson,  
I. McLeod, M. Jones,  
G. Stone

**Flowers.** Olga keeps the flowers in order. If you have fresh flowers or ideas, please contact Olga PH. 0477 970 297.

### Grounds:

12<sup>th</sup> July B Winter,  
A Cameron  
26<sup>th</sup> July M McClure

### Reading

5<sup>th</sup> July J Mander  
12<sup>th</sup> July J Austin  
19<sup>th</sup> July M Jones  
26<sup>th</sup> July TBA

### Technical

5<sup>th</sup> July S McBain  
12<sup>th</sup> July O Rendell  
19<sup>th</sup> July J Mander  
26<sup>th</sup> July J Austin

### Ministry

5<sup>th</sup> July Rev M Shumack  
12<sup>th</sup> July A Camerson  
19<sup>th</sup> July Rev M Shumack  
26<sup>th</sup> July Gary Walker

**Organ-** Gary

**Communion Prep. July** Gail

### Elders of the Church

Peter Bruce. . . 0478236555  
Arch Cameron. . . 0429673367 OH&S)  
Joy Fletcher . . . 0452531236 (DW)  
Gail Stone. . . 0429323170 (Treasurer)  
Gary Walker . . . 0403584582

### Other Church Council members

Cheryl Horsburgh ... 0423373937 (Secretary)  
Margaret Jones... 0418164701  
Joy Mc Clure... 67321338  
Judy Mander ... 0412280693  
Jill Robertson ... 0432378947  
Sandra Mc Bain 0407420660  
Rev Michele Shumack...0417067992(Chairperson  
& Safe Church Officer)

**PRAYER REQUESTS** For specific personal prayers, authorisation is required from the person involved.  
\*For the Donaghue Family grieving the loss of Elva.  
\*For Peter Bruce and continuing health issues.  
\*For Gary and his continuing health issues.  
\*For everyone who is dealing with health issues.  
\*For our world leaders.  
\* For those in war torn areas, those injured starving and grieving the loss of loved ones and other devastating situations.  
\*For our Council and Government that decisions they make are in the interests of the people...  
\*For the homeless and hungry, sick, lonely, grieving and those struggling with the cost of living.  
\*For those who do not know Jesus as our saviour.  
\*Give thanks for prayers answered.

**Direct Giving** If you are interested, please see Gail.

**Newsletter.** If you have items for the newsletter, please email them michelle.shumack@bigpond.com

**Operation Christmas Child** Boxes are now available to fill, or you can donate on-line instead. For more information details are in the brochure. **Celebration event. Inverell Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2-4pm Presbyterian Church.**

**Choir Practice** Tuesday 2.30pm in the kitchen. All welcome.

**Women's Coffee morning** Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July 10am at the Crofters. Christmas in July. Theme Silver or Gold.

**Working Bee** - At this stage no special date has been set, however there are jobs that need to be done before our big one in September. If you can spare some time and attend to some of these jobs when it suits you it would be much appreciated. Please advise Col or Gail if you can help out. Please don't forget to enter your details in the volunteer book hanging at the back door. **Prune (cut back) Hydrangeas, weed garden on North Side of hall, pick up sticks and stones, mop hall floor. Some weeding of gardens at the manse would be appreciated.**

**Maintenance that has been done** - Thanks to Col for attending to and arranging for the following things to be done - The outside spotlight has been disconnected and removed which will make mowing easier. Trees have been trimmed to avoid leaves blocking gutters. A new roof and gutters have been installed on the front hall. Front double gates have been removed and sold. At the manse, gutters and roof valleys have been cleaned. Ongoing work is needed on the roof and verandas. Downpipes at the manse have been cut off and water redirected, quite a bit of vegetation was removed to have access to pipes.

**Maintenance to be done.** A quote has been sought to paint the ceilings in the front alcoves of the hall. Replacement of kitchen roof, solar panels and manse garage roof is "works in progress" with the Insurance company. Trusting that work can start soon

**Celebration of Life Service for Elva Donaghue.** 13<sup>th</sup> July 11am. Please no flowers but if you would like to donate to the organ fund, please leave a donation in the envelopes provided with your name and address on the envelope, at the front of the church at the end of the service.

*Bear one another's burdens  
and so fulfill the law of Christ.*

Galatians 6:2

