

REGULAR MEETINGS

Church Council 2nd Tuesday Bi-monthly. **Next Meeting 13th Oct 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.

Cameron Caring and Sharing

Contact Joy Fletcher 0452 531 236. 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 0457362390.

Glen Innes Bookworld open Tues-Fri 10-1 and Saturdays 10am-1pm

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. Oct.12th ,26th , Nov.9th , 23rd , Dec.7th

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.. Reimbursement forms are in the back of the book. Your assistance and co-operation is much appreciated.

Church Website www.gleninnesunitingchurch.com

Face Book - Uniting Church Glen Innes. Email - ucaglen@gmail.com

Smart Goals From our Mission planning day.

1. Upgrade hall for office and meeting room (**Work has started**)
2. Outreach to young mums
3. Homework help
4. Leadership investigation
5. Sell Manse (**Forms now at Synod for approval**)
6. Continue to support School chaplaincy, Community groups using our hall, Bookshop, Frontier services, operation Christmas child, Christmas bowl, and SRE.
7. Support the wider Uniting Church.

Name Tags

Do you have a name tag, if so please wear them so new people know our names. If you would like to order one, please let Michele or Gail know.

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. 1st Sunday 10a.m.

Deepwater Dec 3rd Sun 6pm

SUNDAY 11th October 2026

Judy Mander & Gail Stone

HYMNS

TIS 821,595,161 and 303

READINGS

Philippians 4:1-9, Matthew 22:1-14

Mission Statement

We seek to love care and welcome all people into our community.

Enquiries

Rev Michele Shumack Mob. 0417067992

Gail Stone - Mob 0429323170

Rosters

Door Duty:

11th Oct J McClure & J. Fletcher
18th Oct O Rendell
25th Oct A Cameron
1st Nov J. Robertson

Helpers,

M Shumack, C Horsburgh,

Morning Tea

11th Oct J Mander
18th Oct G Stone
25th Oct J Austin
1st Nov J. Fletcher

Helpers

I. McLeod, M. Jones M. Correy,
A. Gallagher L. Walker

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

Grounds:

4th Oct B Winter,
A Cameron
18th Oct M McClure
1st Nov. C. & L. Walker

Reading

11th Oct J Mander
18th Oct J Austin
25th Oct M Shumack
1st Nov M. Jones

Technical

11th Oct G Stone
18th Oct S McBain
25th Oct O Rendell
1st Nov J. Mander

Ministry

4th Oct Rev M Shumack
11th Oct G Stone & J Mander
18th Oct Rev M Shumack
25th Oct A Cameron
1st Nov Rev. M Shumack

Com. Prep Nov G. Stone

Leaders of our Church

Archie Cameron. . .	0429673367 (OH&S)
Joy Fletcher . . .	0452531236 (DW)
Gail Stone. (Treasurer).	0429323170
Cheryl Horsburgh ...	0423373937
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)	

Vision statement

We seek to welcome all to safe places for worship, education, fun and fellowship in a Christ-like environment.

PRAYER REQUESTS For specific personal prayers, authorisation is required from the person involved.

*For the Family of Lance Jackson who are dealing with the grief of losing Lance. And for the future of the Book shop.

* For Peter in Armidale hospital

*For Gary and his rehabilitation.

*For Maria moving to her family.

*For Rob undergoing treatment.

*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.

Direct Giving If you are interested, please see Gail

Newsletter. If you have items for the newsletter, please email them michelle.shumack@bigpond.com Thanks to Anne who has volunteered to compile the newsletter and it will be distributed the first week of December

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD. Dedication for the Shoe Boxes will be today 11th Oct @ 11.30 starting with morning tea at the Crossroads Church. All welcome. Thanks to all who supported this project.

GARAGE SALE yesterday at the manse and back hall. Thanks to all who assisted in some way. Your efforts were much appreciated.

COMING UP. Dates for your diary.

***Blessings of the pet's worship service next Sunday** 18th October 2026. Please bring your friends and pets to church. The Community choir will be singing and musician Paul will be playing the organ. A service not to be missed. Morning tea will be outside under the trees with the pets.

***Blue Christmas worship service 15th November 2026.** Please bring a copy photo of a loved one that has passed away. We will then hang these photos on the Christmas tree.

***Bookworld special meeting Saturday 14th Nov. 10 am at the shop.**

All Bookshop members are especially urged to attend as well as others who are interested in the future of this important service to our community. Please let Gail know if you will be attending.

Discipleship Thought – Words for worship

Lectionary readings set down for today Psalm 106, we see how easily human attention wanders from God's provision, invitation, and goodness. The Israelites, waiting for Moses, have short attention spans and prefer a tangible god. The wedding guests in Matthew 22:1-14 are too preoccupied to respond. Idolatry comes in many forms and is a poor exchange for the magnificence of the true God.

In Philippians, 4:1-9 Paul reminds followers how to stand firm in their new faith. The key, Paul writes, is to give undivided attention to being thankful, to fill our minds with good, noble, true, and pure and praiseworthy things. Here is a remedy for wavering attention to God—when we fill our lives with worthy things we are drawn back to God, and away from what diminishes us.

The old saying "Your sins will find you out".

The preacher told his congregation, "Next Sunday my sermon will be on the sin of lying. To prepare yourselves please read the seventeenth chapter of Mark" The following Sunday arrived and he asked, "How many of you read the seventeenth chapter of Mark?" Most of the congregation raised their hands. "Good" he replied. "There are only 16 chapters in Mark. Now for the sermon on the sin of lying."