



Sunday 3rd & 10th May
2026

Gungahlin Uniting Church and Community Centre

Welcoming of the stranger.
Inclusive of all people. Sharing the faith journey together.
Informal and friendly Christian community.

Welcome to everyone who is with us today

Gungahlin Uniting Church is part of the Uniting Church in Australia.

We strive to be an open and inclusive community, welcoming people from different countries, cultures, traditions, ages, genders, gender identities, ability and viewpoints as we experience life and God together as part of our Christian faith. Gungahlin Uniting is a Christian community of people who don't pretend to know all the answers, but simply seek to follow the way of Christ. You are welcome here in this place and welcome to participate in the life of this community.

Sunday 3rd May

9:30am All Age Worship with Communion
Lead by Rev Hugh Park

Bible Readings

Acts 7:55-60
Psalm 31:1-5,15-16
1 Peter 2:2-10
John 14:1-14

Sunday 10th May

9:30am All Age Worship with BBQ
Lead by Rev Hugh Park

Bible Readings

Acts 17:22-31
Psalm 66:8-20
1 Peter 3:13-22
John 14:15-21

How to give to the Life & Ministry of Gungahlin Uniting Church

People can donate to the life, work, ministry and mission of GUC through organising a regular electronic transfer. Electronic transfer through UFS is anonymous.

Our electronic bank details are:

Gungahlin UC - Giving Direct
Uniting Financial Services
BSB: 634-634
Account: 100034744

Please contact us...

Phone: 6242 5001

Rev. Hugh Park is our Minister
Alison Tweedie is our Church Life Worker
Church Council Chair
Safe Church Officer

email: minister@gungahlinuniting.org
email: office@gungahlinuniting.org
email: chairperson@gungahlinuniting.org
email: safechurch@gungahlinuniting.org

Please note:

Our minister's day off is Wednesday.

Groups for you at Gungahlin Uniting

Playgroup

For young children & parents/carers
Wednesday 10am-12pm
Gungahlin Uniting Church
Contact: Cassandra 0438 423 688

Boys' Brigade

For boys Primary/High School age
Wednesday 6.30pm
Gungahlin Uniting Church
Contact: Bruce 0450 356 147

Girls' Brigade

For girls Kindergarten-Year 12
Wednesday 6.30pm
Gungahlin Salvation Army
Contact: Liz 0439 879 339



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Tea &Talk

Meets 1st Friday of the month -10.30am
Gungahlin Lakes Club coffee shop
All ages welcome
Contact: Elizabeth Phythian 0408 624 163
Tea &Talk is an opportunity for catching up with others from GUC over a cuppa.

Pub Dinner Group

Relaxed conversation and meal
Wednesday- fortnightly 7pm
Contact: John McKenzie

Spice Kids

Meets 5th Sunday of the month after worship
Contact: Jean 0428 517 595
Meal gathering for adults
An opportunity for conversation and friendship

Friendship Group

Meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month
10am at GUC
Bring a craft or game and share a cuppa
Contact: Marion Watt 0414 824 139

Library in the Quiet Room

There is a library of books available for borrowing. Make a note in the "borrowing book" of the books taken and when they have been returned.

Home Groups at GUC

At Gungahlin Uniting Church Home Groups give members the opportunity to gather and respond to their spiritual, social, and community needs. They are a space where people get to know each other, provide support, hospitality, and prayer and there is always lots of fun to be had.

If you would like to join a Home Group please contact the Pastoral Care Team.

Shirley Williams 0418 612 656

Elizabeth Phythian 0408 624 163

pastoralcare@gungahlinuniting.org

Pastoral Care at GUC

At Gungahlin Uniting Church pastoral care encompasses the spiritual, physical, social, emotional, and mental support for members. Through providing a network of care we ensure that the expressed needs of individuals and families are attended to by a team of people.

Pastoral care may include assistance with transport, meal support, a phone call, or someone visiting you at your home or in the hospital.

Ways to request care:

- Contact your Home Group leader
- Call the GUC office on 6242 5001 (leave a message if necessary)
- Email the church office
office@gungahlinuniting.org
- Contact the Pastoral Care Team
Shirley Williams 0418 612 656
Elizabeth Phythian 0408 624 163
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Governance at GUC

GUC has a number of policies which support the safe running of the church:

- GUC Volunteer & Safe Church Policy, including the Volunteer Manual and Volunteer Code of Conduct
- GUC Work, Health & Safety Policy
- GUC Information Management Policy

These can be found under the Church Resources tab on our website

www.gungahlinuniting.org

And we have a new Chairperson....

Church Council has elected John McKenzie as the new Church Chairperson for the remainder of 2026. This follows Ben Ram's resignation due to ill health. Thank you to Narelle Dodd for filling in as Chair in the meantime. Please pray for John as he embraces this new role and for Ben's ongoing recovery.

Help keep our GUC community informed

To help our congregation stay informed, we invite all teams and groups to send through brief updates about their activities, including dates, times, and locations where appropriate. Whether it's a meeting, program, social activity, or a special event, please share it so we can include it in the Events calendar on our church website.

We're also collecting ideas for what to publish on our website and Facebook page. If there's content you think would be helpful, encouraging, or engaging, please let us know by emailing comms@gungahlinuniting.org Big or small, we want to hear it all!

Girls' Brigade

Girls' Brigade needs the cardboard tubes from paper towel rolls for a craft activity this term. If you have any you could save for us, please pass them onto Liz or leave them in the white container refund bin in the foyer. They will be very much appreciated.

Lamington Drive Fundraising (proceeds towards GUC Youth Mission)

Please place order and payment by **cash** by Sunday 31st May

Date of Pick-Up from GUC Friday 19th & Sunday 21st June 2026

All enquiries to Shirley & Eric Holm or Lily Ting

Thank you! Used stamps are helping raise funds and support local projects

Thank you to everyone who collects used stamps!

The UCA Stamp Committee (NSW/ACT) raises funds through the sale of used stamps. In 2025, grants totalling \$27,100 were given to about 30 NSW and ACT Uniting Church congregations for a range of community and outreach projects. Some examples of the projects include: cooking classes and chat for refugees; breakfast for children who travel long distances in rural areas; sewing classes for teenagers and seniors; community meals and fellowship; resources for OP shops; welfare food programs; Playgroups, and Kids Club.

You can help by setting aside used stamps from your mail. Please keep about 2cm of paper around the stamp. Leave the stamps at the church office or pass them to Brooke.

For more information see: <https://www.nswact.uca.org.au/get-involved/the-stamp-committee/>

ROSTER

	1 st Sunday 3 rd May	2 nd Sunday 10 th May	3 rd Sunday 17 th May	4 th Sunday 24 th May	5 th Sunday 31 st May
Greeters	Josephine Deo & Lily Ting	Josephine Deo & Lily Ting	Josephine Deo & Lily Ting	Josephine Deo & Lily Ting	Josephine Deo & Lily Ting
English Bible Reader	Patsy Coleman	Lynne Butson	Narelle Dodd	Sophia Adnan	Alexandra Faulkner
Language Bible Reader	Lily Ting	Reeba Nasim	Alicia Zhou	Shirley Williams	Tinashe Muringandi
Prayers for Others		Brooke Kilah	Reeba Nasim	Matthew Phythian	Yoon-Hee Park
Leader	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park
Preacher	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park	Rev Hugh Park
All-Age Message	Reeba Nasim	Cass Nokham	Liz Warren	Tanya Johnson	Cate Wilkinson
Flowers	Patsy Coleman	Margaret Reeson	Marjorie Fryszak	Shirley Williams	Patsy Coleman
Sound	Chris Martin	Craig McShane	Scott Jilbert	Nathan Frystak	Chris Martin
Computer	Mark Phythian	Bruce Warren	Vanessa Yule	Bruce Warren	Nathan Frystak
Morning Tea	Billabong	YoonHee Park & Patsy Coleman	Heather Lamb & Cass Nokham	Marjorie Fryszak & Tamara Fullard-McShane	Alicia Zhou & Jenelle Martin
Communion Preparation	Faulkner Family				
BBQ		Yoon Hee and friends			
Pianist	Yoo-Mi Kim	Yoo-Mi Kim	Lindy Baldwin	Lindy Baldwin	Alison McKenzie
Musicians	Mark, John, Adnan, Rory, Chung	Mark, John, Adnan, Chung	Mark, John, Adnan, Rory, Chung, Yoo-Mi	Mark, John, Adnan, Chung, Yoo-Mi	Mark, John, Adnan, Rory, Chung, Yoo-Mi
Singers	Jessica, Renee	Brooke, Vanessa	Jessica, Cate	Cate, Renee	Jessica
Music Practice		🎵🎵			
Oasis Leader	Lyle	Lyle	Lyle	Lyle	Lyle
Billabong Leader	Elizabeth Phythian & Lynne Butson		Elizabeth Phythian & Lynne Butson		Elizabeth Phythian & Lynne Butson

Are you new at Gungahlin Uniting?

If so, then you are invited to tear off this portion, fill it in, and either place it in the offering bag we pass around in the service, or give it to the person who greeted you as you came in.

<p>Last Name: _____</p> <p>First Name: _____</p> <p>Children's Name/s: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">_____ Post Code _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Email: _____</p>	<p>Please <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> any boxes below:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> This is my/our first time here</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am new to the area</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am visiting from another church</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I/we would like a name tag</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I/we would like to be added to the church news email list</p>
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