

NEDLANDS UNITING CHURCH

January eNews

WISHING EVERYONE A VERY HAPPY AND
SAFE NEW YEAR

January 2 2022

9:30am:

Preacher: Pastor Julie Ridden

Holy Communion

Jeremiah 31: 7- 14 and John 10: 7-18 NIV

Seeking God's Abundance

Prayer Leader: Livia Hool

Announcements: Chris Bundell

Music:Vaughan Chin

Bible Reader: Ping Williams

Duty Elder: Rachel Currie

Tech Team: Rong Rong Huang/Ian Chin/ Weng Yew Chin

Randy Salmond & Wesley Sim

Please collect your pre-packaged individual communion wafer and juice from the foyer

before the start of Communion on Sunday.

To avoid spills please open gently and drain cup completely.

For those joining us online this week please prepare bread/wafer and juice.

January Services

Sunday January 9 9.30am - Randy Salmond

Sunday January 16 9.30am - Randy Salmond

Sunday January 23 9.30am - Rev Dr Anne Wright

Sunday January 30 8.00am - Gill Swan & 9.30am - TBA

Online service: <https://nedlandsuniting.online.church>

****No enews will be sent out for the remainder of January****

**(E-News If you would like anything to go into e-News please send to Vicki:
office@nedlandsuniting.com Information needs to be in by Thursday evening.)**

COVID Safety information

COVID regulations in place:

- Masks to be worn at all times
- Mandatory signing in
- Please sit in family groups with social distancing between other family groups. Non contact greetings
- Sanitise hands
- No morning tea will be served (Jan 2)
- We will still have Communion as we have COVID safety measures and people are seated while it is served (Jan 2)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

CHURCH CAMP- January 28-30.

NEXT BUSY BEE- Saturday February 5th 8-11am.

NEXT CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING - Wednesday February 9th @ 7.15pm.

**Prayer will be held in Herman's office prior to commencement of the 9.30am service
each Sunday. You are welcome to join at any stage.**

As mentioned at the AGM, compliments and comments regarding Worship or Music can be directed to the Worship Elder - Rachel at rachel.apple@hotmail.com

SUNDAY MORNING - CHURCH LOCK UP Please remember that if you are the last to leave on a Sunday morning you need to check that all doors, windows, lights, urn and air-conditioning are turned off or locked.

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME Thank you to the many volunteers who have served on the rosters and in many other ways during the year. Your contribution to the running of the church is greatly appreciated.

PARKING REMINDER Please remember to leave some parking bays available at the front of the church for those that are unable to walk very far.

WEST WINDOW PROJECT We are aiming to raise \$18 000 to replace the broken west window with a new stained glass window. Our new window will be installed soon so if you would like to support it, please send your contributions as soon as possible.

Give now: BSB: 036 304

Account number: 165693

Account name: UCA Nedlands Church offering

Please include your name and the word

'Window'

CHRISTMAS CHALLENGE 2021

Our Christmas challenge supports the wider work of the congregation.

Donation forms are available in the foyer.

- **West Timor** - Scholarships and English development at UKAW
- **Uniting Aid** - Emergency relief and financial counselling in the City of Stirling
- **Christmas Bowl** - Support of vulnerable communities threatened by conflict and disaster all around the world
- **GCCFI (China)** - Child sponsorship and medical treatment

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Refugees seeking asylum.

Australia's COVID vaccination program and people with COVID worldwide.

Safe travels during the holiday break.

Send any Prayer Requests to Julie Ridden for the Tuesday Prayer Group.

In recess for January but please continue to send in prayer requests - they will be prayed for.

ROSTERS

Sunday January 2 2022

Prayer leader Livia Hool

Duty Elder Rachel Currie

Bible Reader Ping Williams

Welcomers Lihong Shi/Sue Kim/Jade Lambert

Tea/Coffee - No morning tea

Counters Sandy Kong/Byron Williams

Youth & Children's M/Tea - No morning tea

Music Roster Vaughan Chin

Prayer Ministry Julie Ridden

Welcome Desk David Preece

Tech Rong Rong Huang

Communion prep Glenys Deutscher/Anne Esbenshade

Sunday January 9

Prayer leader Sophie Li

Duty Elder Sheng Chen

Bible Reader Meena David

Welcomers Jing Shi/Tiffany Wong

Tea/Coffee John & Margaret Broadbent

Counters Jenny Wong/Andrew Brooks

Youth & Children's M/Tea Demi She/Lihong Shi

Music Roster Sim Band

Prayer Ministry Rhod Wright

Welcome Desk Sophie Li

Tech Rong Rong Huang

Sunday January 16

Prayer leader Glenys Deutscher

Duty Elder David Preece

Bible Reader Rhod Wright

Welcomers Bonnie Yau/Sandy Kong/Samuel Ou

Tea/Coffee Maureen Humpage/Chris Bundell

Counters Rhod Wright/Jinfeng Wu

Youth & Children's M/Tea Liuliu/Jinfeng Wu

Music Roster Wong Band

Prayer Ministry EJ Holden

Welcome Desk David Preece

Tech Rong Rong Huang

Sunday January 23

Prayer leader Lihong Shi

Duty Elder Bonnie Yau

Bible Reader Maureen Humpage

Welcomers Rhod wright/Anne Esbenshade/Benjamin Supiyani

Tea/Coffee Chris Bundell/Anne Esbenshade

Counters Ruth Tao/Lihong Shi

Youth & Children's M/Tea Karen Rollason/Linda Wang

Music Roster Han Band

Prayer Ministry Neville Blesing

Welcome Desk Neville Blesing

Tech Rong Rong Huang

Sunday January 30

Prayer leader Julie Ridden

Duty Elder Sophie Li

Bible Reader Liz Lou

Welcomers Judy Kay/Andrew Brooks/Grace Bai

Tea/Coffee Anne Esbenshade/Sandy Kong

Counters Ruth Mary Kuriyan/Sue Kim

Youth & Children's M/Tea Carmen Yeo/Yvonne Morgan

Music Roster TBA

Prayer Ministry Margaret Waller

Welcome Desk John Ryan

Tech Rong Rong Huang

STAFF LEAVE

Herman 30, 31 December: Annual leave

4-17 January: Annual leave

17 -21 January: Study leave

Julie 10 - 24 January: Annual leave

Vicki 3 January- February 2: Annual leave

REGULAR GROUPS AT

NEDLANDS

UNITING

Open House Tuesdays @ 10am in the Fellowship Room

Morning tea, lunch and games provided. [In recess](#)

Contact: Janet Millar (93844486).

Small Group Bible Study

Tuesdays @1-2pm

Contact Mary for details and meeting address (0422 117 146). Currently studying the Book of James. New members welcome.

Prayer Group - Tuesday @ 7:30pm

Contact Julie Ridden with any Prayer requests.

In recess for December/January but please continue to send in prayer requests - they will be prayed for.

Friendship and Craft Group

First Wednesday of the month @ 9am.

Next meeting: **In recess**

Contact Chris Warnick for details (9389 8018).

Play Group Wednesdays and Fridays @ 9:30-11:30am

Wednesdays are now full but places are still available on Fridays. **In recess**

English Class for Mums

Wednesdays @ 1 - 2 pm, Garden Room

Contact Bonnie (0412932200) or Julie for more details. **In recess**

Women's Bible Study

Thursdays @ 10am in the Garden Room

See Ping Williams (9386 9927) for details. **In recess**

Choir Practice - Thursdays @ 7:30-8:30pm

See Glenys Deutscher (0400 021 044). **In recess**

Youth Group on Fridays @ 7:30pm

Contact Erin Lloyd 0459 499 518. **In recess**

Mandarin Speaking Bible Study Group is meeting at the church on - Fridays @ 7:30pm

Zoom link also available.

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79431904415>

Meeting ID 79431904415

Contacts: Shao Bai (63890389) and Jing-Juan.

Friday Night Mandarin Bible Study Group 2

ZOOM ID : 8751208319

Password: 315258

Contact: April Chow

Held Fortnightly

Friday Night ESL

7:30- 9 pm in the Sanctuary

Zoom link also available for ESL.

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/97207755709>

Meeting ID 97207755709

Contacts: Bonnie/Sheng Chen (0423238218)

Friday Night Star Group

7:30-9pm in the Garden Room **In recess**

This is a children's group run for families attending the Friday Night ESL or Mandarin Bible Study

Contact Bonnie (93897980) or Julie.

Saturday Mandarin Prayer meeting

ZOOM ID : 8751208319

Password: 315258

Contact: Jing-Juan or Sophie (0403729212)

Currently on every Saturday.

Sunday Bible Study Group

This group runs fortnightly 2nd & 4th Sunday. See Livia Hool (0447927210) or Grace Iburg (0402833311) for more details. Youth Room @11am-12pm. **In recess.**

Sunday Bilingual Service @ 5PM Second Sunday OEM

Contact Bonnie (93897980)

Glenys Deutscher 3/1, Katie Saunders 5/1, Fiona Salter 9/1, John Broadbent 10/1, Yvette Tan 12/1, Alexia Chen 12/1, Daniel Zhou 16/1, Tiana Thiele 20/1, Vicki Hunter 20/1, Chye Tan 21/1, Joel Francis 21/1, Noelene Bloomfield 22/1, Loretta Lim 22/1, Laurelle Williams 24/1, Gillian Brooks 24/1, JinFeng Wu 27/1, Joanne Law 27/1, Ming Pei Winterflood 30/1, Erin Lloyd 31/1, Ketut Kumbara 3/2 and Theo Grobler 4/2.

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CORNER

Play Group

Play Groups are in recess until the beginning of February.

Contact Julie if you would like to book a place for 2022.

Sunday Clubs

There are no Sunday Clubs during the Christmas holiday period. However there will be some activities available for children from the 2nd of January.

The Harvest is Plentiful But The Workers Are Few

In the new year we are often thinking about new projects and directions in our lives. Please consider whether God is calling you to minister to our younger generations.

We are in much need of people who want to see young people in God's kingdom. We need people for Sunday Clubs, Play Group, Friday nights, Youth Group and Holiday Clubs. You don't need special knowledge or to have the right answers. Young people are wanting people who can be real with them, talk with them and take an interest in their lives.

Julie would love to hear from you if you have a heart for our young people. Think about it!

Parents

Struggling to get your kids off phones and other devices, not sure how to deal with your kids and technology? The Fuller Institute, a Christian research agency for youth and children have some articles you might find helpful.

<https://fulleryouthinstitute.org/search?q=§ion=blogPosts&category=technology>

Julie Ridden

Children and Families Pastor

Youth News

In recess

WIDER CHURCH

SUMMER SPIRIT 2022

Summer Spirit 2022 - The Heart of an Unspoken Gospel: Kindness and other values.

Summer Spirit is an event where all people are welcome to register and attend.

Please see below information for those who wish to only attend Saturday:

Details

Where: All Saints Floreat Uniting Church, 48-50 Berkeley Crescent, Floreat

When: Friday 18 February 6pm - 8pm & Saturday 19 February 8:30am - 5pm

Cost: \$100 Early bird ticket (before 31 December 2021) or \$120 after.

Saturday only: \$80 Early bird ticket (before 31 December 2021) or \$100 thereafter.

Please register early here to take advantage of the early bird discount.

Note: Registrations for those wishing to come to both Friday dinner and Saturday of this event are required by 11 February 2022.

We look forward to seeing you all there.

Please contact PA.Education@wa.uca.org.au if you need any assistance.

JANUARY						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Communion	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28 Church Camp	29 Church Camp
30 Church Camp 8am Recommences	31					
FEBRUARY						
		1 Prayer Group Starts	2 Play Group Starts	3	4 Youth Group Starts	5 Busy Bee
6 Communion	7	8	9 Church Council	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 Summer Spirit	19 Summer Spirit
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

Revive Magazine - December edition

<https://revivemagazine.org.au/>

Church Offerings

Offering can be made with credit card facility at

<https://www.trybooking.com/au/donate/nedlands offering>

Offerings can be made directly to the Church Bank Account

BSB: 036 304

Account number: 165693

Account name: UCA Nedlands Church offering

Please include either your offering envelope number or your name in the reference.

Uniting Aid Donations

Donations over \$2 are tax deductible

BSB: 036-304

Account No: 382452

Account Name: UCA-Uniting Aid Nedlands Congregation General Purposes Account

Contact information - CHECK STAFF LEAVE DETAILS ABOVE

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Children and Families Pastor: Julie Ridden

Phone: 0404 238 673

Email: julie.ridden@nedlandsuniting.com

Youth Worker: Randy Salmond

Mobile: 0412 855 050

Email: randy63@inet.net.au

Church Council Chairperson: Dr Chris Bundell

Mobile: 0407 941 077

Email: bundell@bigpond.net.au

Office: Vicki Hunter

Email: office@nedlandsuniting.com

Phone: 93861770 On leave January 3-31

Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 9.30am-2.00pm (during school term)

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