



July, 2025

Uniting Church Dayboro

Bulletin

No matter who you are, how you identify, who you love, or where you are on life's journey: know that you are welcome & accepted here, and that you are loved by God & by us.

Pastor's Pondering

This month I'll be continuing my ponderings on taking our message beyond the four walls of our chapel and stepping into our communities. When we get involved in our communities, the people of those wider communities will likely become more receptive to our mission and our message. There are so many ways we can do this; clubs, associations, & community groups that we could be part of. It's not about how many, how big or how much. It's about making an impact that touches the community. It's better to do one or two things well than to try ten things half-heartedly or to do nothing at all. The bottom line is that when people in the community begin to see, sense and experience that we genuinely care about them, with no strings attached, their perspective about who we are and what we might want changes. That impacts their receptivity to our mission and the good news as shared by Jesus.

When we get involved in our communities we don't have to push an agenda. You're not trying to convert community members - you're simply looking to show them how God acts through the church and be an example of his grace. You will be surprised at the community reactions you'll see when you are honest, open, and caring. The same is true when we host events like our yard sales or even our 125 celebrations. Our events can create quite a bit of good will, and spur some folks into learning more about our church, and maybe even our beliefs. Of course, there most probably be many individuals that will never attend our church, that needs to be OK. But observation and experience tells me that God is pleased with this kind of ministry and ultimately it does draw people to church.

Shalom,
Danny

22 Williams St Dayboro

Service times: 9am every Sunday

The people of Uniting Church Dayboro are warm, inclusive and welcoming who LOVE Jesus, LOVE each other and LOVE our communities, giving HOPE for the future. Our worship, our communion table and fellowship is open to all. We simply offer you a place where you will be accepted and loved, and where you can learn about the grace of God.

Useful Links

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/dayborouniting>

Website:

<https://www.dayborouca.com.au>

Presbytery News:

<https://mailchi.mp/49c8303c9cc0/newsletter-12-24-june-18264918>



SAVE THE DATE

DAYBORO MASQUERADE

HIGH TEA

DATE: SATURDAY 16TH AUGUST 2025
WHERE: DAYBORO SHOWGROUND PAVILION
3512 MOUNT MEE RD DAYBORO
TIME: 1PM FOR A 1.30PM START
COST: \$40 PER PERSON – 8 PER TABLE
CONTACT: MARIA 0438 897 279
SUE 0411 623 321
CUT OFF DATE 6TH AUGUST 2025



Our next yard sale will be on Saturday, the 26th of July.

Helpers are needed on Tuesday the 22nd of July for pricing (time TBA), and on Sunday for setting up, helping out on stalls and packing up. Please contact Maria or Mark if you can help out.

EXPLORERS @ DAYBORO

Explorers on Sunday 27 July 2025 from 11am (after the service and morning tea)

The Gospels

Who wrote the gospels and when did they write them?

Who were the gospels written for?

What do we need to know about the background of the gospel writers?

Were there other writings at this time?

Pastor Danny will lead the discussion

You are all invited

Children's Ministry News Carolyn Nugent

SUNDAY SPACE

1 We are still looking for teachers and helpers. A Current bluecard is needed, and also a couple of training modules need to be completed. Carolyn will organise a time that these can be completed with you if needed. Please see Carolyn for further info.

2 Dates for Sunday Space July

NO SUNDAY SPACE on the 6th and 13th due to School holidays and the 27th due to that day being the Communion Sunday. So there will be Sunday Space only on the 20th this coming month.

There will be handouts for children to do in church the Sundays that there is no Sunday Space.

Note from Joy and John

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who sent us messages of love and best wishes for our move to Glass House Mountains. We are getting settled now (although still no internet), and are finding lots to love about this area and the new house. Thank you, too, for the love and support and encouragement you gave our grandchildren. They have some good memories of their time there. As Leo said: "I love going to church because even though I make mistakes, people tell me I did a good job" (I guess he was reflecting on some of his Y & Y-a-Heart efforts). I can still see him chatting like an old man over a cup of tea with Robert and Surjit, and teaching Jeanette to play chess on his iPad.

The church here at Glasshouse Country UC will lose their minister very shortly, and probably be without one for a while at least, so it will be a time of change for them.

There are similarities with UCD in size and demographic, except it is a bit more multicultural.

We are not far from Dayboro, really, so will be back from time-to-time. We will definitely try to be there for your 125th celebrations. When you are taking a drive out this way, the kettle is always on!

Joy & John <''))><

Our Pastor Danny Nugent was given the Queensland Day Community Award for services above and beyond the call of duty. Below is the photo of Danny with Nikki Boyd, the Shadow Minister for Local Government and Water, who presented him with the certificate.



Rosters for July, 2025

	6th July	13th July	20th July	27th July
Lectionary Readings	Pent 4 [14] G 2 Kgs 5:1-4 Ps 30 Gal 6:(1-6), 7-16 Lk 10:1-11, 16-20	Pent 5 [15] G Am 7:7-17 Ps 82 Col 1:1-14 Lk 10: 25-37	Pent 6 [16] G Am 8:1-12 Ps 52 Col 1:15-28 Lk 10: 38-42	Pent 7 [17] G Hos 1:2-10 Ps 85 Col 2:6-15 (16-19) Lk 11:1-13
Message	Danny	Danny	Joy S	Danny
Young & Young-at-Heart	Danny	Danny	Joy S	Danny
Reader	Christina	Sue S	Andris	Vicki B
Intercession	Shirley	Margaret-Ann	Robyn	Paul
Singers	Carolyn & Mike	Lorraine & Tim	Maria & David	Carolyn & Tim
Keyboard	Judy	Coral	Judy	Coral
Sunday Space	Holidays	Holidays	Fiona & John	--
Cleaning Crew	Carolyn & Mike	Mark & Surjit	Fiona & Christina	Mike & Maria
Greeting	Andris & Marion	Judy & Robert	Mike & Christina	Surjit & David

July Birthdays

4th Ben Bohan
5th Rhiannon Arkell
7th Karl Orchard
8th Maria Hansen
9th Melissa Arkell
9th Wayne Perry
12th Dennis Krurap
13th Margaret-Ann Green
13th Jill Warschau
14th Belinda Hallam
15th Maureen Rose
17th James Patterson
18th Finn O' Sullivan
19th Asha Steyn
20th Marion Karklins
26th Tegan Haak
27th Lance Wyatt
29th Ian Ogston
30th Dan Nugent
30th Carleton Chinner
30th Thea Haak
31st Eleanor Orchard
31st Warren Rose

July dates at a glance

20th July: Sunday space for kids
22nd July: Pricing for yard sale
26th July: Yard sale
27th July: Explorers

UNITING CHURCH DAYBORO CHURCH COUNCIL

Chair: David Windebank

Secretary: Annalie Roux

Treasurer: Maria Hansen

Pastor: Dan Nugent

Maintenance & Property: Mark Hansen

Children's Ministry: Carolyn Nugent

Safe Ministry: Fiona Patterson

Presbytery Rep: John Brereton

Members:

Margaret-Ann Green

Mike Huggett

Vacancies: 2 ? ?

Could this be you?

Electronic giving is a good way for you to be disciplined in your giving, and for UCD to budget more efficiently and effectively for our mission to serve. Every gift, no matter how small, helps. Thank you!

To give electronically: Bendigo Bank

Reference: OFFERING

BSB: 633 000

Account: 183102011

Deadline for the August 2025 Bulletin is 21 July 2025.
Email Surjit Lawrence. Email Id: surjit.lawrence@gmail.com