

The VINES Uniting Church



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THE GRAPEVINE - 6th July 2025

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The people Jesus sent out in pairs like lambs among wolves were sent to serve. Their mission was to bring a message of peace, to heal, and to tell that the kingdom of God was at hand.

This mission is urgent – still – and there is still an urgent need for workers to gather in the harvest. Each of us must consider how Jesus, through his Spirit, is calling us to serve. What is our ministry to involve? Where are we being called to serve? How will we answer those who have questions about life, and faith?

One thing is certain: not everyone will accept the gospel message we bring. However, we do have a message. May it bring life, hope, healing, and help, for we are sent out to serve in Christ's name.

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I'll be on leave for two weeks after Tuesday 8th July and Chris McAvenna will be preparing the Grapevine in my absence. Please send notices to her for the Grapevines on 13th and 20th July - before 12 noon on Wednesday – adcam@adam.com.au

- OUR VISION:
 - To be a vibrant, growing community of Faith.
- **OUR MISSION:**

To reach out and reflect God's Love -connecting others to Christ.

VINES VARIETY AFTERNOON

SUNDAY 3RD AUGUST AT 22 PM

Music, Quizzes, Singing, Afternoon Tea

ALL WELCOME

Bring Your Friends

Entry by Donation to Pantry 152.

Please see Verelle or Rob if you are able/willing to help with afternoon tea.

COTTAGE GROVE is celebrating its 30th birthday on

Friday 18th July , from 2 pm – 5 pm with afternoon high tea, music, families and friends.

Invitations are available if you'd like to attend. Please RSVP to Admin for catering purposes.

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Can you please help?

We would love more people to put their name down to help with morning tea on Sundays. Even if you are only available "once in a blue moon" your help with this valuable ministry would be much appreciated. Please put your name on the list in the kitchen if you can help.

PLANNED GIVING 2025

Members who have asked for Offering envelopes are advised that they are available in the foyer again this Sunday and they commence this week.

Pantry 152

If you would like to donate grocery items, there is a list of suggestions available in the foyer. Particular needs at this time are:

- Savoury biscuits
- Jar Coffee
- Tinned fruit small and large
- Toothpaste
- Handwash

WHAT'S COMING UP AT THE VINES?

THURSDAYS (during school terms) VINES CREATIVE CONNECTION 9.30-11.30 am

\$4.00 each week – includes morning tea – ALL WELCOME Contact: Verelle 439 833 837

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS – 8th July – 2nd Tuesday of the month From 1.30 to 3.00 pm at the Church. Circle of Friends is for ANY women to come and share a cuppa and a chat!

MEN'S DINNER GROUP – 17th July – 3rd Wednesday of the month.

FRIDAY FRIENDS — 25th July — the last Friday of the month.

10.000 to 11.30 am. All are welcome to come along for a cuppa, homemade food and a friendly chat — for a gold coin donation.

All proceeds are in aid of Pantry 152.

HOME ALONERS - 5th August – First Tuesday of the Month.

BANK ACCOUNT - OFFERING

For members of our congregation who wish to give with flexibility on time and amount, The Vines church has set up a bank account with Westpac to receive such offerings. The details are:

Name of Account - Vines Uniting Church BSB 035 053 Account Number 479588

No further details will be required so the information will remain private. Colin Dredge, Acting Treasurer.

NEXT WEEK: Sunday 13th July

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Our Goal



To reach out to the community and





LIVE STREAMED WORSHIP SERVICES

Each Sunday our worship services at the Vines can be accessed live at 9:30am via our YouTube channel. Please use the following link to access our services,

https://www.youtube.com/@thevinesunitingchurch6373/streams

After the livestream, each service will remain on our YouTube channel for watching later. They can be accessed using the same link.

Contacts at the VINES Uniting Church

Colleen Farmer	Secretary	0430 646 844
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Marj Dredge	Outreach Activities / Pastoral Team	0421 279 935
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David McAvenna	Worship Team	0421 278 345

Please send Newsletter articles to Chris McAvenna by 12 noon Wednesday adcam@adam.com.au

