

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF GLEN WAVERLEY AND DISTRICT INTER-CHURCH COUNCIL

Held at St Justins
Whalley Drive, Wheelers Hill
Wednesday, 8th May 2019 at 7.30 pm

Present: Jan Clear, Pat Hodges, Tony Hodges, Francisco Disilvestro, Joe & Anthea Persico, Agnes de Roza,

Apologies: Ray Lamerand, John Hurst, Glynnis

Welcome:

Jan welcomed those present and opened the meeting with a prayer, followed by The Lord's Prayer

Minute of previous meeting:

Note: Include Anthea Persico in the list of Present members

Approved: Tony
Seconded : Pat

Faith Reading/Discussion

Jan proposed to comment about nice experiences during Easter
Pat & Tony commented the visit to Portland church, a really nice experience
Joe, Grandson did his first egg hunt, He was very happy
Jan talk about the experience of washing hands, Joe about washing feet

Regular activities

Ecumenical Celebration:

- Joe Persico: Finally 12 Churches, 3 groups of 4 Churches

Way of the Cross – 19 April

Comments:

- Next year the sound system will be mounted on a car, the company is getting rid of the trolley
- Thinking about a way to retransmit sound to an area where people that don't feel like walking could see the event
- Need improvement to coordinate the singers
- Propose to have singers between every station
- Tony has already made a change, put all songs in the booklet without a separate page
- Need to book the oval, Tony & Pat booked the sign, Tony will send the certificate of currency

Joint Meeting with MWCICC

- September meeting our location, Check if it is possible to do at St Leonards
- Propose the 4th of September, check first with St Leonards and send mail to Ros, MWCICC (FD)

Recruiting new members – ongoing

List of services

- Joe prepared the flyers
- Aged Care – Tony Hodges will organize it

Website – wait for John

Nativity scene – Write letter to council FD

Church Happenings

- Agnes – Morning tea for Mother's day, on the 11. Alpha cause Wednesday evening. Dinner dance in August
- GW Uniting church – Indonesian service every Sunday, Starting Chinese fellowship
- St Justin, Italian mass 1st Sunday of the month. Priest has implemented changes well accepted
- Tony, no big events at the moment, Father with health issues.
- Pat: Many Chinese, thinking about adding a Chinese priest (Church of England)
- St Leonards Father John on holiday, Fr. Da Costa substituting

Correspondence

In: Invoice for sound system

Victorian council of Churches

- Newsletter distributed by email

Interfaith

- Going through the process of Incorporation, planned to have it approved on the 6 of June

Next meeting

3rd July 7:30 at possible at GW Uniting

Meeting ended at 9:15 pm