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Last Messy Church

We used the theme of "Mountains and hills" for the October Messy Church. We made snow globes, a climbing mountain climber, snow mountain cookies, glow lanterns and a wonderful spewing volcano.



In the Celebration time we looked at different mountains that we know like the You Yangs and Everest and then talked about mountains in the Bible. God used mountains as a place to communicate with people like Moses and Jesus. Mountains also remind us of the beauty of God's world.

Feedback

Are you happy with the content of this newsletter? Would you like to see something included? Your suggestions are welcomed so please let Wayne know.

August Offering

The offering, which is taken each time, resulted in \$30.00 for our Messy Church operating costs. Thank you.

Web site

<https://drysdale.unitingchurch.org.au/messy-church/>



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Messy Church survey

The results of our survey about Messy Church produced some mixed results.

Messy Church families thought Messy Church was very worthwhile and satisfied their needs. Some thought a 4.00 pm start would suit them better. For Church members there was concern that the Bible message was not clearly given and that the questions at each craft table was either not used or not understood in respect of the overall theme and that the time expended by the team was not worthwhile.

One Messy Church family said they valued it and it was their church highlight.





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Next Messy Church

On Sunday 13th October Messy Church will be based on the theme of "Jesus loves me".

Craft takes place from 5.00 pm to 5.50 pm; the Celebration time from 5.50 to about 6.05 pm and then we have our shared meal.



We are told that Jesus loves me (us) in the Bible and that loving one another is to be the new commandment; it's not that the Ten Commandments are no longer relevant but loving others leads to everything else falling into place.

Some of our crafts may use hearts as their focus.

Prayer List

Families who have given permission have been allocated to a member of the congregation who each month will include the family members in their prayers. If you want that person to pray for a specific situation/need please let Wayne know.

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