



# DU Grape Vine



NOVEMBER 2021

## OP SHOP NEARLY OPEN

A new era is about to start for our congregation with the opening of the Op Shop in part of the hall. We are grateful to Uniting for offering this opportunity to us following their closure of the shop in Village Walk and for all of their support with stock, fittings and advice.

The Op Shop will be open on week-days from 11.00 am—4.00 pm.

We really appreciate the work by many volunteers in packing up the shop, to non-church members Michael Harris and Bruce Waldron who dismantled and re-assembled the storage shelves, to Norm Cheale who has looked after the transition, to Marie Harris who has assisted with layout, to Jenni Nickelson, Val Lestrangle, Lynda Smith and Colleen Diamond who have been sorting through stock, to Norm Cheale, Marg Cheale, Lynda Smith and Wayne Myers



who painted the new wall, and to those helping in the setup in the coming days.

As reported in a previous email the removal of the stage was made easy because of the excellent construction methods. I found an photo from 1986 of its almost completion and some of the men celebrating.



Some people play around whilst sorting—like Jenni and Colleen playing Barrel of Monkeys



with coat hangers, but mostly there is lots of solid work. It might look like chaos now but it soon will be splendid.

Praise God.



## SPECIAL BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Edna Peel who celebrates her 90th birthday this month. We pray for God's blessing on your special day and the year ahead. One day we will celebrate 0 birthdays again.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Jean and Harry Cooper celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary last month. Congratulations and may there be many more.

## SAMARITAN HOUSE LOOSE CHANGE

Our loose change offering for Samaritan House is up to \$1489. Thank you all.



## PRE-CHRISTMAS STALL

Our stall next Saturday not only is benefitting from the wonderful contributions from members of the congregation but have been given a timber wheel barrow to sell from Stuart McDonald, husband of Sandra (Giddings).

## This months' services

7 Nov —10.30 am Denise's Team  
14 Nov —10.30 am Wayne's Team  
21 Nov —10.30 am Wayne  
28 Nov—10.15 am Rev Temukisa  
Cutting the ties & HC  
At Christian College

The **26** letters of the **English alphabet** are so intelligently arranged...  
They show you the way of life...

"A" lways "B" e "C" ool.  
"D" on't have "E" go with  
"F" riends n Family. "G" iveup  
"H" urting "I" ndividuals.  
"J" ust "K" eep "L" oving  
"M" ankind. "N" ever "O" mit  
"P" rayers. "Q" uietly  
"R" emember God.  
"S" peak "T" ruth.  
"U" se "V" alid "W" ords.  
"X" press "Y" our "Z" eal.

DEMIC



Happy birthday!

## NOVEMBER

Julie Marles  
Marg Cheale  
Barbara Batters  
John Norman  
Irene Stevenson  
Val Place  
Claire Sierakowski  
Edna Peel

Happy birthday!



	MORNING TEA	WELCOME	READING	PRAYERS	VESTRY	COUNTING FLOWERS
NOV 7	Marie & Margo	Jenni, Wilma, Brenda	Denise's	Denise's	John	-
14	Brenda & Melva	Kelvin, Glenice, Ken	Wayne's	Wayne's	Lynda	Wayne
21	Alma & Win	Val, Melva, Ian	Margaret	Carol	Ken	Lynda
28	At Christian College					

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## MOWING

NOV Lynda & Geoff