# DU Grape Vine

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**AUGUST 2024**

**KYB (KNOW YOUR BIBLE)**

One of our regular church groups is KYB. There are two groups associated with the church—the Monday morning group led by Lynda Smith and a second group led by Carol Lascelles that meets fortnightly at Carol's home on a Tuesday afternoon. The Monday group has been running for about 30 years and was started by Jen Davis after she moved from Ocean Grove where she had been the leader of a group there.

Carol's group has 6 members attending and has been operating for 7 years—again since Carol moved to Clifton Springs and joined Drysdale UC. Carol's group are mostly people from outside of our church. They also make a regular donation to CWCI. If you in interested in joining please speak to Carol.

Pictured are : Jean, Marie, Susan D., Pat, Wilma, Marg and Susan T, (home study Judi) Lynda tak-

The Monday group reports:

*We meet each week during school terms with our current study being Romans 1-8; next study is Ecclesiastes.*

*We are enriched by each other's life journey, often shared in confidence. We use different versions of the bible and sometimes have bold and forthright discussions, not always agreeing on a particular issue. In addition to purchasing our study books we make a quarterly donation to CWCI (Christian Women Communicating International) for resourcing and outreach to other Christian women for example those living in Pacific Islands.*

*We meet in the church hall Monday mornings during school term, 9.30-10.30.*

*If interested in joining us please see Lynda Smith—Group Leader.*

CWCI is the organisation that runs KYB and you will remember that we made them a recipient of our loose change offering a couple of years ago supporting devices for women to hear the Bible in their own language.

Carol is also the Area Coordinator of KYB on the Bellarine Peninsula where there are 7 groups operating.

## LOOSE CHANGE

As we start with loose change for our new project our July figure is $143. This money will go to UnitingWorld and be used for disability support work in Sri Lanka.

## NEW BABIES

Congratulations to grandparents Lynda and Geoff Smith with the birth of their sixth grandchild Ruby Lynda Smith to Nadine and Jake Smith.

Jen Nash proudly tells us of the birth of her second grandchild Ezra in Queensland.

## BANKING DETAILS

BSB: 083-623
ACC: 035333892
REF: Surname Purpose

## This months' services

4 Aug —10.30 am Rev Karen
HC & Loose change
11 Aug—10.30 am Denise's Team
18 Aug —10.30 am Rev Karen
25 Aug — 10.30 am Rev Karen

## SPECIAL BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Ian McLaverty who celebrates his 80th birthday this month. We wish him God's blessings. A special lunch will be arranged soon.

## TRIVIA

The longest person name in the Bible is Maher-Shalal-Hash-Baz. He was the second son of the prophet Isaiah. His name means "Speed the spoil and hasten the booty."

Happy birthday!

**AUGUST**
John Miller
Pat Duch
Lynda Smith
Margaret Underwood
Bruce Van Every
Ian McLaverty
Brenda Jacobs
Andrea Lindsay
Maggie Freeman

Happy birthday!

| | MORNING TEA | WELCOME | VESTRY | READING | PRAYERS | COUNTING | FLOWERS | COMMUNION |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| AUG 4 | Rhonda & Andrea | Lynda | Claire | Carol | Margo | Denise | Susan | Lynda & Wayne |
| 11 | Susan & Win | Melva | Lynda | Denise's Team | | Margo | Jenni | |
| 18 | Belinda & Darren | Claire | Ian | Margaret | Claire | Jonnie | Denise | |
| 25 | Glenice & Kelvin | Kelvin & Glenice | Denise | Kelvin | Carol | Ian | - | |

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