



# DU Grape Vine



MAY 2025

## PROFILE—EDDIE HARRISON

Eddie was born in Melbourne to parents Holly and Paul, thirteen years ago. He has a sister, Sophie. His parents are scientists working at a fish farm in Werribee. They live in Point Cook and spend most weekends at Ocean Grove.

Eddie attends Westbourne Grammar School and is now in Year 8 at the Truganina campus. He plays tennis and is keen on play computer games, especially with a space theme. ChatGPT said he was a cross between Galileo and Newton carrying a steam deck (computer). His current occupation plan is to be an astrophysicist having moved from other forms of physics interest. His great grandmother calls him the “little professor”. The family has three dogs—cavoodles Harry and Bruno and a Golden Retriever Willow, which are really special to Eddie especially the Golden Retriever Willow.

In Primary school Eddie attended chapel services at school but these do not regularly happen in Secondary school, which led Eddie to look for a church for the family to attend. He found Drysdale UC by searching the web site and although intending to try others was comfortable with our services straight off. Eddie sees church as answering some of the questions that science can't and was interested in attending church rather than a Sunday School.

Eddie is to be baptised on 25 May and we pray for that special event for Eddie, his family, and for our congregation.

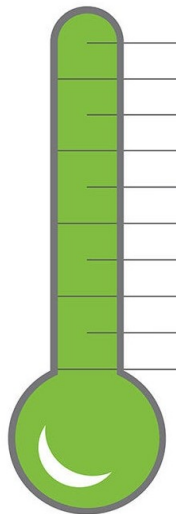


## PILGRIMAGE

A great day for our Pilgrimage with the theme of Hope. The liturgy spoke of hope for the world environment, for peace, for community, for recreation and for the church.

It is so special that our congregation is able to produce this material now up to the fourteenth year.

**LOOSE CHANGE**



Hospice Nepal is the recipient organisation to be supported this half year. Our offerings to date total \$661.30.



*This months' services*

- 4 May — 10.30 am Rev Margaret Manning  
HC & Loose change
- 11 May — 10.30 am Denise's Team
- 18 May — 10.30 am Rev Karen
- 25 May — 10.30 am Rev Karen

**EASTER**

Thank you to Karen for wonderful, meaningful services over the Easter period.



**Happy birthday!**

- MAY**
- John Macgillivray
  - Margaret Freemantle
  - Jeanne Beale
  - Margaret Jeffrey
  - Norm Cheale
  - Sue Polley
  - Gordon Hanley
  - Emma McLachlan
  - Karen Eller
  - Val Lestrangle

**Happy birthday!**



	MORNING TEA	WELCOME	VESTRY	READING	PRAYERS	COUNTING	FLOWERS	COMMUNION
MAY 4	Susan & Win	Jean	Rhonda	Kelvin	Marie	Margo	Denise	Claire & Marie
11	Belinda & Darren	Wilma	Claire	Denise's Team	Colleen	Colleen	Wayne	
18	Melva & Brenda	Brenda	Lynda	Margaret	Carol	Denise	Joyce	
25	Joyce & Dianne	Carol	Denise	Carol	Rhonda	Jonnie	-	

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