You are welcome to join us at

40 Gillies St, Curtin



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OUR VISION

To be "A vibrant community of faith living out God's love and acting for the common good to build a just a compassionate society."

OUR MISSION

To be a welcoming, inclusive, progressive, and outward looking Christian community that nurtures spirituality, faith, and encourages service.



Jesus practised radical inclusion!

Woden Valley Uniting Church welcomes all, regardless of age, race, creed, gender, cultural background or sexual orientation.



WODEN VALLEY UNITING CHURCH



Dare to question - and to act

Regular Events

Sunday Morning Service – 10am

Our main service. Communion is offered on the 4th Sunday of the month. We normally sing a Psalm from a variety of musical traditions. Morning tea and coffee served after the service. Zoom connection for those unable to attend in person.

Meditation Group – Sunday 5pm

A small group which draws on Christian traditions of meditation or contemplative prayer. The format comprises readings and music structured around 20 mins of silence, concluding with a brief period of discussion.

Gathering@6 - Sunday 6pm

A small informal service with a simple liturgy, sharing of joys and concerns and a discussion on a set topic led by one of the group. On the 1st Sunday in the month we have a simple meal commencing with the sacramental sharing of bread wine.

Friday Coffee & Chat - 10.30am

Freshly brewed coffee or tea and good conversation. Just drop in.

Wine Cheese and a Theologian

A monthly get-together in which we share views about a selected theologian over a glass of wine (or gluhwein) and cheese. – Every 2nd Friday in the month @ 7pm in the Tidbinbilla Room.

WVUC Initiatives

Affordable Rental and Supportive Housing

... for people with enduring mental illness, on church land in Curtin. We are working with Wesley Mission, MyHome in Canberra and the ACT Government to provide these types of housing which are desperately needed in Canberra.

Against the Wind

An initiative of members of WVUC and people concerned with justice. Advocates for a fairer and kinder Australia. Social gatherings, regular newsletter and public seminars.

Community Meeting Place

Our halls and meeting rooms provide a venue and facilities for playgroups, activities for older people (including several U3A classes) and many other musical, dance, educational and exercise programs.



Do you value a church that:

- Welcomes people just as they are, wherever they are on their spiritual journey.
- Offers a safe and open place for people to worship, learn, and grow in their faith.
- Encourages people to, take seriously, and wrestle with, the ancient stories of the Christian faith, in the light of current knowledge and experience.
- Is concerned to address injustice, and stand with those affected by unjust policies, systems and attitudes.
- Takes the life, and teachings of Jesus Christ as the model for care, compassion and community, while recognizing and respecting other religious traditions.