



THE OLIVE BRANCH

UNITING CHURCH NORANDA

79 Camboon Rd, Noranda

Meets for Worship 9.30am each Sunday

Church Office - 9276 8150



WELCOME to the service this morning, especially to any visitors who are with us today. We wish to extend an invitation to join us in the hall for morning tea after the service.

If you would like to add anything to The Olive Branch, please email mairi_co@yahoo.com.au

15 February 2026

Lectionary Readings: Ex 24:12-18 Ps 2 or Ps 99 2 Pt 1:16-21 Mt 17:1-9 W

Church Services

February

15 Girls' Brigade service

22 Rev Chris Crause - Annual General Meeting

March 1 Rev Chris Crause - Communion

7 Saturday Induction Service

8 Rev Chris Crause

15 Rev Anne McAndrew

22 Mission Sunday - YouthCARE

- **Induction Service for Rev Chris Crause** will be held at Noranda on **Saturday 7th March at 2pm**. Afternoon tea will be served after the service.

Hi everyone,

On Sunday I'll be bringing in some hand sanitiser bottles as I currently have an abundance and my office is overflowing. Please feel free to help yourself to as many as you like 😊 – Mairi

February

- Saturday 14 February, 9.00am to 12.00pm. **Treasure Market** at Maylands Mt Lawley Uniting Church, Maylands.
- Tuesday 17 February. **Shrove Tuesday**.
- Wednesday 18 February. **Ash Wednesday**.
- Friday 20 February, 5.30pm to 7.30pm. **Summer Spirit 2026 - Walking on Country** at Lake Gwelup.
- Saturday 21 February, 9.00am to 5.00pm. **Summer Spirit 2026** at All Saints Floreat Uniting Church, Floreat.

March

- Monday 2 March. **Labour Day Public Holiday**
- Saturday 7 March, 9.00am to 2.00pm. **Safe Church Awareness Workshop** at South Perth Uniting Church, South Perth.
- Wednesday 11 March, 6.30pm. **Uniting Generations Network Meeting** online via Zoom.
- Saturday 14 March, 8.00am. **West Timor Partnership Breakfast** at Nedlands Uniting Church, Nedlands.

- Saturday 21 March, 9.00am to 4.00pm. **Presbytery of WA Meeting** at Maylands-Mt Lawley Uniting Church, Maylands.
- Friday 27 March, 6.00pm. **Way of the Cross Art Exhibition Opening** at Margaret River Uniting Church, Margaret River.

Maylands-Mt Lawley UC Treasure Market

All are welcome to a Treasure Market at Maylands Mt Lawley Uniting Church which will be held on Saturday 14 February from 9.00am until 12.00pm at 165 Railway Pde. Mt Lawley. Devonshire teas, plants, books, toys, clothing and bargain items are available.

Summer Spirit Speaker Highlight - Len Yarran

Join us for Summer Spirit 2026 on 20 & 21 February where we explore the theme 'Walking Together, Covenanting Together'.

Registrations for Summer Spirit 2026 close on 15 February!

Lent and Easter Event Calendar 2026

If you would like your Lent or Easter events and services advertised on our dedicated event calendar, including **Shrove Tuesday** and **Ash Wednesday**, services please send the details to Wendy - website@wa.uca.org.au

Vaka 2026: Journeying Together for the Common Good

Vaka 2026 is a national foundations training in community organising, developed with the NSW Community Alliance, the National Assembly, the Uniting Climate Action Network, and the IAF Pacific. The event takes place on 25 to 27 February at the Centre for Ministry, Parramatta. It provides an opportunity for Church leaders to be upskilled in community advocacy and action related to Climate Change. If you're located outside NSW or the ACT and would like to attend but travel costs are an issue, [email the Assembly](#) as they may be able to assist.

Updated Version of Combined Basis of Union, Constitution and Regulations

The book containing the Basis of Union, Constitution, Regulations, Covenanting Statement, Manual for Meetings and Code of Ethics is available as a PDF on Assembly's Uhub as a [free download](#).

UCAN: Uniting Climate Action Network

Putting faith into practice, coming together as faith-based advocates for climate action. Connect with eastern states Uniting Church Climate Champions via the online community of practice (OCoP) on Thursday 19 February from 4.00pm to 5.30pm (AWST). Email advocacy@uniting.org to request the link.

Pancake Day

Shrove Tuesday is just around the corner (17 Feb)! Will you be flipping for a cause this year?

[Uniting WA](#) are inviting congregations to take part in a Pancake Day fundraising event this year by hosting or supporting a simple pancake event within your community. Your participation would not only bring joy and connection to your community, but also play a meaningful role in supporting people experiencing homelessness.

You can host your event on Pancake Day / Shrove Tuesday, or any time until the end of March.

