



Farewell Gordon William Fagg

On Monday 24th May at 5pm we gave thanks for the life of Gordon Fagg by way of a short Zoom service. All spoke of Gordon's warmth and friendliness and Graeme Wood presented this tribute to Gordon -

"Gordon William Fagg died on 28 April 2021 just short of his 96th Birthday.

Two points that stand out in my memory of Gordon.

1. He was always willing to be involved in church duties; and
2. Carried out those duties in a dedicated manner.

Gordon and Betty became members of the Cheltenham Methodist Church when they moved to Cheltenham in 1951. Gordon became a Steward in 1953 as well as being in charge of the Intermediate Section of the Sunday School, a position he held for many years.

Gordon became a Trustee of the Cheltenham Methodist Church on 24 November 1961. Gordon was an Elder and Parish Councillor at the time of Union and remained an Elder up until the time he entered Cheltenham Manor.

The extent of his church duties included being Parish Treasurer and a member of the Finance Committee, Manse Committee, the Property Committee, the Parish Finance and Property Committee, Secretary of the Cheltenham Parish Council, Chairperson of the Charman Uniting Church Congregation from 1984-1994 and being Treasurer for the Church Fetes.

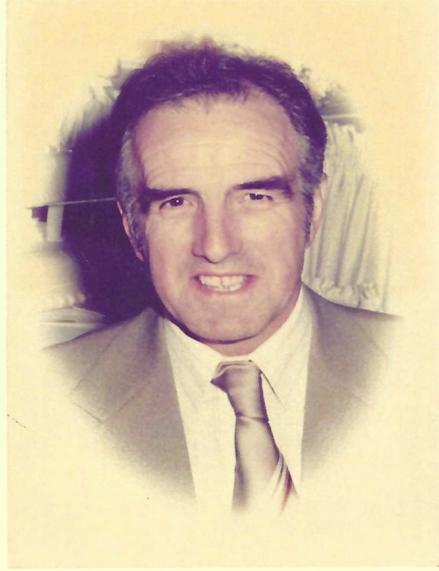
When Gordon retired from work, he became Secretary of the Cheltenham Cemetery Trust, a position he held for 15 years whilst still carrying out his church duties. Gordon was also a member of the Presbytery Finance Committee.

In 2010 he suffered a mild heart attack followed by an operation a couple of years later to remove a bowel cancer. His declining health placed him in a position where he was unable to attend church from mid 2019.

His family would like us to think of Gordon often, and smile when we do. He would want that".

You can view that service on YouTube - https://youtu.be/7h_3bdVpdCl or click on Gordon's photo

Gordon William Fagg
22nd May 1925 – 28th April 2021



A much loved and loving son, brother, husband, father, father-in-law, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle and friend.

A proud and dignified gentleman who will live on in our hearts and minds forever.

Thank you Rev Joan Wright

Several years ago the Rev Joan Wright was appointed as "Minister in Association to the Cheltenham Mentone Uniting Church" her principal role being to look after pastoral matters. In this capacity she has done an outstanding job in making contact with every person on our church roll and tending to their needs. As we enter a new phase of church life, she now feels that it is an appropriate time to step down from that position. Joan, from all of us a very big thank you for a job well done.



Your Weekly Offering

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: Thanks to everyone who have continued to make their weekly offering.

Envelopes: You may do this by putting your pledge in the envelopes and bring them to church.

Direct Debit: (include your envelope number if applicable)

Payee "Uniting Church in Australia Cheltenham Mentone Parish Council", BSB 06 3119, Account Number 1014 1206

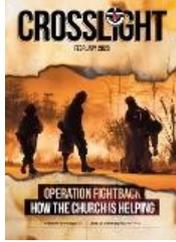
Bible Readings for June 13th Pentecost 3 *(the readings used in our service may differ slightly)*

1 Samuel 15:34-16:13 Psalm 20 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 (11-13) 14-17 Mark 4:26-34



CROSSLIGHT is available on the internet - click on the following link or the **CROSSLIGHT** image to view online. www.crosslight.org.au

Print copies of **CROSSLIGHT** now available at the entrance of the Black Rock Uniting Church (NOT from the Manse verandah) latest **CROSSLIGHT** now available from David Vine, 4 Jemma Ct. Cheltenham 9583 7373.



Church on the Internet - Sunday 10am (doors open 9:45 am)

If you don't have Zoom on your computer/laptop/iPad/Smartphone, click on <https://zoom.us/support/download>
Then click on this link below or the "Sunday Church" image to join our Service -
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85247373230?pwd=WIM2UHJEemFWS3RScnNqM3puaGdZdz09>



Otherwise open Zoom and enter the following - **Meeting ID: 852 4737 3230** **Passcode: 836844**

You can also join us on your phone by dialling **03 7018 2005** and entering the above meeting details.
The above link and meeting details apply for all our services until the **December 26th 2021**.

Going, going, going free to a good home...

At the Cheltenham church we are starting to move everything out to make way for the renovations. In the kitchen there is a 2 door Kelvinator Cyclic Defrost 380 fridge and freezer that will not be needed after the renovations. The fridge works and is in fair condition. The fridge is free but the cost of moving the fridge is not included. Contact David Vine if you are interested on 9583 7373



Social Collection Department

BayCISS - collection of goods by Graeme & Joan Wood has recommenced. Leave goods with them at 66 Bernard St. Cheltenham, or call them on 9555 0463

From BayCISS "Many thanks to all those who continue to drop off food parcels".

Emerge - Financial help is the best way to help - Cheques to - GPO Box 420 Melbourne VIC 3001 or donate via the website www.emergesupport.org.au Emerge welcomes vouchers for supermarkets or art materials which children could use at home - materials, pencils, colouring books etc. Margaret Bode is happy to take items to the Moorabbin office if you leave them at her home, 16 Monaco Street Parkdale.

Videos on the Internet

We now have our own YouTube Channel. Click on the YouTube logo

or

<https://youtube.com/channel/UCPNMmOZcLZG12hSd9-HiJCO>

to view selected sermons and service preludes



Prayers of the People

We pray especially for -

Christine (*cousin of Marilyn Mathews*)

The family of Gordon Fagg

Dawn Morrison and her family

Rob Trickett and family (*Jo-ann's cousins*)

Val and Peter

Meg Thompson

Robert (*Joan Wright's brother*)

Andrew (*Joan Lum's relative*)

Jenny, Janine, Cec

and June Bartholomeusz

Audrey Fewster

Margaret's neighbour Joan

Gloria Sampson & Family

Grace Fairbank

Bruce & Valda (*friends of*

Jo-ann & David)

Lourdes and her family

Gemma and Teresa

Heather (*daughter of close friend of Graeme & Joan*)

Tina and her two teenage sons (*also friends of Graeme & Joan*)

Susan Bartell

Barb Loosemore

Bronwyn

Anita and Rod

More pearls of wisdom

