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## The Muffinz @ WAC for Christmas

# September 2024

Hi everyone,

### Dates for your calendar

Here are some dates for your calendars:

13 October - 9am WAC at Bellavista
20 October - SOCIAL at Jane's - 10am
26 October - Pride Africa - Sandton - details to follow
27 October - 9am WAC at Bellavista
10 November 2024 - 9am WAC at Bellavista
24 November 2024 - 9am WAC at Bellavista

24 November 2024 - 9am WAC at Bellavista - CHRISTMAS SPECIAL with the MUFFINZ

#### September 2024

September has been a busy month for We are Church-ers. As I type that sentence it thrills me because that means community is functioning as I believe Jesus intended and that brings me such JOY.

On 8 September we gathered at Bellavista and Nicola preached another fabulous and challenging sermon entitled 'Jesus, reticent healer' here is the link - <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?</u> <u>v=\_mKhOxp3Nas&t=325s</u>



Sadly that same day, we said goodbye to the Cooks who have moved to Brisbane. They plan to stay in touch. We will miss you Lara, Martin, Leigh-Anne and Michael.

A group of about 20 of us gathered to walk in solidarity with the Wits students in their Pride March on 14 October. Lots of learning happened and lots of laughs too.





Lukie and Hèlené's wedding took place on 20 October. Have a look at the sheer joy in this picture.



On 22 September Xenobia shared her first WAC sermon with us. We celebrate with her, the joy of being able to embrace her calling at WAC.

Her sermon was entitled, 'Don't be afraid to ask'. Here is the link – <u>https://youtu.be/03zmyT4CM08</u>

On Saturday 28 September we celebrated Rose and Dan's precious little, Thando. We gathered at Tanya's, played some silly but hysterical games, had some delicious eats, but most importantly were able to celebrate and pray for dear Thando. What a blessing she is already.

The picture on page 1 of the newsletter is of the Muffinz, who will be joining for our Christmas Celebration on 24 November. Please mark your calendars!!

## Finance Update

- Our Investment account continues to grow.
- We continue to give a set amount per month to 'Be True 2 Me' and 'Neighbours'.
- We give R500 to the teens to distribute to causes they deem important.

Banking details If you would like to make a contribution to We are Church, here at the details: FNB Current Account Account Name: We Are Church Account Number: 6302 7817 569

## **General Notices**

If you would like to get involved by serving at WAC please get in touch (jane@codrington.biz)

### Some helpful resources

This is the link to the "We are Church" **YouTube Channel**. This is where the recordings of our talks are kept. Please go there and subscribe. Once we have 100 subscribers we will be able to name it "We are Church".

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzK3t1Ig1v-ADNAd3\_rQ-zA

Some of you may want to follow the readings that I often refer to. Here is the Lectionary link: <u>https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/daily.php?year=B</u>