

CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2011

If you are aware of an event missing on this list, please let the Office know

FEBRUARY

24th, 25th, 28th— Red Cross Blood Bank
27th Feb - Monarto AGM & Harvest Thanksgiving

MARCH

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th—Red Cross Blood Bank
9th—ASH WEDNESDAY
14th—Adelaide Cup Public Holiday
16th Lent Service 7pm at Christ Church
16th, 17th, 18th—Thrift Shop—JDHall
20th - AGM in Church Building at 1:30pm
23rd—Lenten Service 7pm at Holy Cross
26th - SA District Treasurer's Day
30th- Lenten Service 7pm at Christ Church

APRIL

6th—Lenten Service 7pm at Holy Cross
13th—Lenten Service 7pm at Christ Church
17th—PALM SUNDAY & CONFIRMATION
21st— MAUNDY THURSDAY
22nd - GOOD FRIDAY
24th—EASTER SUNDAY
26th—Anzac Day Public Holiday

Christ Church & Monarto Congregation Contacts

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Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran
Monarto



Seventh Sunday after Epiphany
20th February 2011



BRIDGE KIDZ

Would you like to help? Please see
Yvonne Stiller or
Cheryl Doecke.

Reaching out with the Love of Jesus
that All may Know, Worship & Grow in Christ

OFFICE HOURS

9am –12 noon: Monday - Friday

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WELCOME

"Communion Invitation" - Dear Friends in Christ, if you are a visitor who is a baptised believer and not a member of the Lutheran Church but believe that you will be receiving the body and blood of our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ, then an open invitation is extended to you.

Non-communicating adults & children are encouraged to come for a blessing and are asked to keep their hands by their sides.

Please join us for a cuppa and a biscuit between services.

Visitors Cards You will find these cards on the ends of the pews.

We would like you to fill in the details and place in the offering bag or give to an usher or the pastor as you leave the church.

PLEASE NOTE

The Queensland Flood Appeal is being finalised this week.

MONARTO AGM AND HARVEST

THANKSGIVING Next Sunday
27th February @ 10:30am

ASH WEDNESDAY

March 9th



Join us at
6pm for
PANCAKES

before the service

SHED MEN

Thursday 3rd March at 6pm
at Jim
Courtney's
BYO BBQ



THE SERVICE GUILD

Thank all who helped with the Harvest Thanksgiving display. Your help & gifts were greatly appreciated. The produce went to ALC, Resthaven & Pastor Tim & Yolette. Our sincere thanks to Ron & Sabine for taking goods to Adelaide.

CHURCH CAMP 2011

Friday 30th Sep—Monday 3rd Oct at Mannum Caravan Park.

The following have been booked—Bunkhouse, 2 cabins (nearby) and 15 powered sites. Come and join us.

Please give your names to Jan at the church office.



MONARTO

Feb 27th 9am

Wardens Tamara Wohlfeil
Reader Penne Lewis-Brown
Cuppa Joy & Trevor Paech

March 6th

Rob Thiele

Rosters

CHRIST CHURCH

February 27th

Sunday

9am

10:45am

Elders

John Pohl

Gerry Korzeba

Wardens

Brenton & Lorraine Doecke
Ian Pumpa

David Doecke
Gordon Kuchel

Music

June Walker

Reader

Dawn Jaensch

Annette Korzeba

Greeters

Rob & Alison Grieger

Brian & Jenny Gogel

Flowers

Joan Kluge

Tea, Coffee

Joan Kluge, Ramona Slow, Janelle Traeger

General Prayer

Janet Vogt

Data Projector

Dawn Hampel

Brenton Mann Family

PA

David Pech

Andrew Grocke

Ed Cen Clean

Yolette Koch

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's Address

Pastor Tim

Activity Leader

Yvonne Stiller

Helpers

Belinda, Danielle & Sophie Stiller

March 6th

Sunday

9am

10:45am

Elders

Dawn Hampel

Marcus Jaensch

Wardens

Merv & Dawn Schopp

David & Joy Lienert

Yolette Koch

Music

Alison Grieger

Reader

Ramona Slow

Lyn Zadow

Greeters

Mike & Joan Kluge

David & Ann Doecke

Flowers

Margaret Warnest

Tea, Coffee

Brenton & Lorraine Doecke, Joan Bahr

General Prayer

Sabine Jericho

Data Projector

Jasmine Traeger

Piltz Family

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Ed Cen Clean

Yolette Koch

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's Address

Adrian Puust

Activity Leader

Helpers

Sarah Puust, Deb Colley, Brittany Vogt

~Prayer Corner~

For use by friendship groups, study groups, other groups, & individuals.
"Always be joyful and never stop praying. Whatever happens, keep thanking God because of Jesus Christ. This is what God wants you to do — 1 Thess. 5:16-18"

- ♥ Pray for our members who willingly give of their time and talents through their membership of committees, teams and groups.
- Pray for each one of us to surrender totally to the will of Jesus Christ in our lives acknowledging him as our one and only King.
- ♥ Pray for people walk in the role they have been given and daily give obedience to God which is to share Jesus' love and reflect his light in all they say and do.
- ♥ Give thanks & praise for our ready access to the Bible, the Word of God.
- ♥ Thank Father God that he hears and answers the prayers of all, including the poor, the young, and the marginalized and that he would be glorified by their praises as he moves in their prayers.
- ♥ Pray for those of our congregation who need special care & help at this time; the sick; the grieving; the lonely. Ask God to surround them with His loving, comforting arms and to give them help, healing and encouragement. We think of Joyleen Stiller and Vera Appleby.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

21/02 Grant Klenke, Erica Stone, Maria Crook,
 22/02 Heather Courtney, Shelby Rothe
 23/02 Cheryl Miegel, Ryan Mueller, Jason Leech
 25/02 Damien Doecke
 26/2 Craig Paech



Thanks A BIG THANK YOU

To all for your concern for my well being during hospitalisation & convalescing at home and for your prayers.
 To my fellow choir members for keeping me well oiled for singing with delicious food.

God bless you all,
 Love
 Ramona Slow

CHILDREN'S VIDEOS "Veggie Tales"

Lutheran Community
 Care here in Murray
 Bridge is seeking the above.
 Do you have any copies that you no longer use?

Please contact Thunuja ph 8531 3644 if you can help.



BRIDGE KIDZ Junior Guides Training
Sunday 27th Feb 12noon, with lunch - gold coin donation in the Ed Cen.



To help comply with the Legal requirements of working with children we will be running a training day for all Junior Guides aged 14- 18 years. Other adults who may be interested in assisting with the Bridge Kidz ministry & have not yet completed their child safe training may also attend as an introduction to the child safe program. There will be full adult child safe courses available as the year progresses.

RSVP 25th Feb to Cheryl Doecke- 0427 804 663

All BRIDGE KIDZ Guides & Assistants – "Find out what's happening in Term 1"

Sunday 27th Feb 1.30 pm Ed Cen

Bridge Kidz will be commencing again on Friday 4th March, so everyone who is involved with the Bridge Kidz Ministry are urged to come along and be updated with the program & events for 2011.

We are in need of extra assistance on the fortnightly Friday nights, so if you are able to assist in any small way, even for a term or per session please come along.

OWL DRIVE STUDY GP

Monday 21st February at 9.00 am meet at the Village Centre we continue the study of "Growing as God's People - Created Male and Female (The Sixth Commandment)" You are welcome to join this discussion group

HOPE STUDY GP

Tuesday 22nd February at 7.00 pm meet at John and Val Spencer's home for the second study of "The Bible - Trusting in the Reliability of the Bible" Please feel free to come and join in this discussion group.

LUTHERAN MEDIA MINISTRY

Dr Douglas Rutt the Director of International Lutheran Hour Ministries will be guest preacher at the **65th Anniversary Service of Lutheran Media Ministry** (formerly Australian Lutheran Hour). It will be held at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Flinders St., Adelaide at 9am on Sunday 27th February, 2011.

A 65th Anniversary Display will be open at Bethlehem House, 12 Sudholz Place, Adelaide, South Australia on Sunday morning 25th February after the 9am Service and on Monday 28th, Tuesday 29th and Wednesday 30th February between 12 noon and 3pm. It will include historical as well as current information gathered from a number of sources. All welcome.

For more information about Dr Rutt go to www.lca.org.au

This Week

Mon	21st Feb	9am Owl Drive Study Gp—Village Centre 9:30am Cards, Coffee & Chat—Ed Cen 7pm Waterford F/Ship Gp—Gordon & Shirley's 7:30pm Admin Team - Ed Cen
Tue	22nd Feb	6pm <i>Barnabas F/Gp—Bruno & Yvonne Lablack's</i> 7pm HOPE Study Gp—John & Val Spencer's 7:30pm B Heinrich F/Gp—15 Silver Birch Dr
Wed	23rd Feb	7pm <i>Choir Practice—Church Building</i> 7pm Confirmation—Ed Cen
Thurs	24th Feb	9.30 am Bible Study Group—Ed Cen 10am Bulletin notice deadline 11:30am Staff Devotion 1:30pm Koinos F/Gp—21 Francis St
Fri	25th Feb	
Sat	26th Feb	
Sun	27th Feb	MONARTO 9am Morning Praise CHRIST CHURCH 9am Morning Praise CHRIST CHURCH 10:45 am Communion 12noon Bridge Kidz—Ed Cen

BEYOND KYAKING

For Dads Dad role models with children aged 4-12.
Monday nights at 5:30-7pm at Sturt Reserve.

Come & try some fun recreation with your children. Please bring hat, water, sunscreen & solid heel shoes (not thongs).

Bookings required—
call Lyall @ Centacare 8531 8888
This is a drug and alcohol free activity.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

When: Fri March 4th

Time: 7:30pm

Venue: Uniting Church,
Narooma Blvd

Speaker:

Claire Low
from Goolwa



CONNE X IONS

Lutheran Tertiary Ministry SA /NT

UNIVERSITY/ TAFE/ YOUNG PEOPLE IN ADELAIDE

Attention all congregation and family members! If you know of ANY young people or students who will be living or studying in Adelaide this year, could you please speak to Jan at the church office. Please ensure that these people will continue to receive pastoral care through the tertiary chaplains and Lutheran Students and Friends. Your prompt response will be of benefit to all.

COMMENCEMENT CAMP

All tertiary students are invited to a great start to the new year for a weekend at the Aldinga Beach March 18-20. Call or SMS Mike on 0409 725 573 or check the LSF website for further details and registration: www.lsf.org.au/sa

ACCOMMODATION FOR STUDENTS IN ADELAIDE

If you are looking for or offering to share accommodation in Adelaide please contact Pastor Mike Pietsch (8370 3615 or 0409 725 573 mike.pietsch@lca.org.au)

It is with regret that the **MINISTRY IN SCHOOLS TASK GROUP** has accepted the resignation of Dawn Button CPSW at Murray Bridge North Schools effective from the end of Term 1, 2011. Dawn has been an inspiration at the school for students and staff and has been an effective ambassador for Christ in all her dealings with the school. She will be sorely missed. **An information night on Being a Christian Pastoral Support Worker will be held at the Holy Cross Lutheran Church, crn Charles and Florence Streets, Murray Bridge on Monday March 7th at 7.00pm. This will be an opportunity to find out more about the Christian Pastoral Support program for anyone who may be interested in applying to become a CPSW but is unsure if the job is for them.**

Christian Greetings
Joyleen Kuchel
Chairperson Ministry in Schools Task Group



Cambodia Youth Outreach 2011

Does God want you to come on mission to Cambodia August 6-16th 2011? **Cost?** \$2,800.00 (approx): Including all airfares, travel insurance, internal transport, accommodation and meals (including stopover in Singapore). This approximate cost does not include personal items, Visa and Passport costs and required immunisations.

Want to know more? Contact Dean Eaton at Good Shepherd Lutheran Para Vista SA:
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Mob: 0412 222 036



Sharing

Share your highs and lows for the week.
What causes people to worry?

Reading:

Matthew 6:24-34

Read through using three symbols:

? = question.

☼ = sun for when the light comes on.

→ = arrow where Jesus is hitting the mark
in your heart calling you to action.

Talking it Over

What do you think; is there a difference
between worry and concern?

What area of your life are you tempted to
worry about? What is Jesus asking you to
do?

What do you think of the phrase; 'Don't
worry be happy'?

Is pretending something isn't important not
worrying? Do we not worry by neglecting?
What do you think?

What has faith got to do with not worrying?
Share your thoughts.

How do we 'Seek First Jesus' Kingdom'?
Is it more than attending a meeting once a
week listening to a service? How do you go
about seeking first Jesus kingdom?

We are also to seek the Father's
righteousness? What is it? How do you put
it first?

Praying

Ask Jesus to show you how to live as a
faithful citizen of heaven, as you seek to
live where he is blessing.

Pray about those areas of life where you are
tempted to worry?

Pray for those people you are worried
about.

Ask Jesus to grow your faith and ask him
to help you seek his kingdom first.

Verse for the Week

"But seek first his kingdom and his
righteousness, and all these things will be
given to you as well." Matthew 6:33

Character Conversation Questions

Have you been a witness to trusting Jesus
with all areas of life and not worrying?
Where have you been tempted to doubt
Jesus in sexual matters, thinking others
know better?

Have you been worrying financially? How
could you apply what Jesus says?

Have you been honouring, understanding
and generous in your important
relationships this week?

Have you damaged another person by your
words, either behind their back or face to
face?

Readings

Sunday 20 February

Leviticus 19:1,2,9-18

I Corinthians 3:10,11,16-23

Matthew 5:38-48

Monday	Mark 1
Tuesday	Mark 2
Wednesday	Mark 3
Thursday	Mark 4
Friday	Mark 5
Saturday	Mark 6/7

Sunday 27 February

Isaiah 49:8-16a

I Corinthians 4:1-5

Matthew 6:24-34

