

CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2011

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

- SEPTEMBER** 11th—Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle
14th - Collector's Display -Women's Guild—1:15pm.
18th - CLW Youth Service at Unity
30th—Church Camp at Mannum
- OCTOBER** 1-3rd - **Church Camp at Mannum**
9th—Trading Table and Sausage Sizzle
9th - Safe Place Refresher Course
15th - Men's Fellowship Breakfast - JDHall @ 7:30am
22nd - Church Dinner
29th— Garage Sale—JDHall
30th— Reformation Service at Unity College at 10am
Followed by lunch together
- NOVEMBER** 4th,5th,6th—"Little Women"
17th,18th,19th— Christmas Tree Festival
- DECEMBER** 4th Monarto Christmas Carols



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran
Monarto



Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost
4th September 2011



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

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A SAFE PLACE FOR ALL - Toll Free Number 1800 644 628

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-communing 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.

NEXT SUNDAY 11th Sept

TRADING TABLE & SAUSAGE SIZZLE

A great opportunity for



fellowship, good food and great bargains.

Bring your fresh veggies, fruit, eggs, jam, pickles, plants, cakes & yummy food

Come & Support the Trading

Table again in 2011 and join us for a lunch and fellowship.

REFORMATION SUNDAY

Sunday Oct 30th
Combined Service at 10am at
Unity College Steeple.

Followed by the “Longest Lutheran Lunch” BYO food to share and

Then More.

This will be an all day event.

KEEP THIS DATE FREE

REFORMATION SUNDAY CHOIR

If you are interested in singing in the choir for Reformation Sunday—practice will begin at Christ Church on Wednesday September 7th at 7pm.



To Pastor Edmund who is preaching at the 10:45am service today.

MONARTO

Wardens

Reader

Morning Cuppa

Sunday 11th Sep

9am

Frahn Family

Raelene Wegener

Maurice Wegener

Rosters

CHRIST CHURCH

Sunday 11th Sep

9am

10:45am

Elders

Dawn Hampel

David Doecke

Wardens

Brenton & Lorraine Doecke

Jim & Heather Courtney

Ian Pumpa

Jan Brodde

Music

Alison Grieger

Reader

Ramona Slow

Cheryl Miegel

Greeters

J Traeger, D Borchardt

John & Val Spencer

Flowers

Yvonne Kuchel

General Prayer

Dennis Pfeiffer

Tea/Coffee

James & Joyce Stiller, Glad Jaensch

Data Projector

Jasmine Traeger

Miegel Family

PA

David Pech

Nathaneal Mann

Ed Cen Clean

Annette Korzeba

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's Address

Jeanette Mann

Activity Leader

Jeanette Mann

Helpers

Deb Colley, Belinda Joppich

Celebrate Marriage Between a Man and a Woman

If you believe marriage is between a man and a woman exclusively, make a stand and be a voice.



Come to the rally
at SA Parliament House
2 pm, Saturday 10th September

~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"

- ♥ *Praise God for fathers and the positive role model they can be for families. Ask God to be with all fathers everywhere that they may be helped to see the value and importance of their roles as fathers. May they be blessed in a special way as they celebrate Father's day.*
- *Pray that God's Spirit would inspire and empower believers to pray specific blessings upon their neighbors and friends.*
- *Pray for the whole Christian church here on earth. Ask that every member of the Christian community have access to the body and blood of our Lord and that the church continues to proclaim God's greatness by the Holy Spirit in music, song and deed.*
- *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 particularly of David Lienert, Judy Franklin, John Mattner, Joan Kluge, Audrey Leske, Betty Rowland (home), John Lohmeyer, Bryan Lees, Keith May & Edgar Gerhardy .

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

5/09 Tracy Piltz, Kate Treloar, Tayla, Darryl & Stacey Kempe
 6/09 Ryan Hage, Craig Lienert
 8/09 Joel Gallasch
 9/09 Narelle Jaensch, Julie Weyland, Hannah Smith
 10/09 John Mattner, Bermie Freeth, Jackson Pilgrim
 11/09 Morris Frahm, Bruce Heinrich



ITEMS FOR SALE.

Following the kitchen refurbishment these items are available for a donation.

Kitchen Sink
 Oven and Hot Plates
 Microwave

Please contact Joyce Stiller ph 8532 1116 or Julie Mueller ph 8532 1489

WOMEN'S GUILD

Wednesday 14th September at 1:15pm in the JDHall.

Collector's Display.

Afternoon Tea

Devotion: Pastor

Offering: to be decided

Hostesses: Executive & Social Committees.

All Welcome



Youth Service

Sunday September 18th, at 10:45am—to be held in the Steeple at Unity College

Music will be led by the CLW Team (Christian Life Week)

Holy Communion will be celebrated

Sausage Sizzle Lunch to follow. Gold Coin Donation.

Drinks and Ice creams will be available for sale

Youth from previous CLW camps will be catching up

Hope you can join us for Worship and Friendship!

NO 10:45am SERVICE AT CHRIST CHURCH.

SINGLES AND SINGLE AGAIN

Sunday September 11th—meet at the Community Club at 12:30pm for lunch (11th Birthday celebration)
 Contact Fred ph 8532 6238

WATERFORD FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Our next gathering will be on Monday, 5th September @ 7.00 pm at the home of Joan Bahr. We will be listening to and discussing a CD called 'Antichrist and Armageddon' by Greg Laurie based on Rev. 6.

MANGOES 2011

Here is another opportunity for mango lovers.



Orders need to be in by Monday 26th September.

Please contact Jan at the church office if you wish to place an order ph 8532 6553.

Cost \$30 per box.

Delivery date to be confirmed.—co-ordinated by Unity College.

You must be available on the day of delivery with cash in hand (no cheques) to collect your order.

Part of the proceeds will be directed to a mission initiative.

LADIES FELLOWSHIP

Thursday Sept 15th—meet at Christ Church Ed Cen at 11am—to travel to Sandra Burgess's at 45 Kicks Rd, Jervois. Christmas Tree activities—please bring a ruler, scissors & a Stanley knife.

Dev: S Burgess. Come for an hour or stay longer. **Reminder Women's Guild invite Wed Sep 14th at 1:15pm in JDHall.**

This Week

Sun 4th Sept 9am – Hymns 502, 858, 331, 364, 361, 863
Readings– Exodus 12: 1-14; Romans 13: 8-14; Matthew 18: 15-20

Mon	5th Sep	9:30am	Cards, Coffee & Chat– Ed Cen
		9:30am	Organists meet—Ed Cen
		7pm	Waterford Fellowship Gp– Joan Bahr's
		7:30pm	Sower's F/Gp—Courtney's
		7:30pm	Worship Team (10:45) - Ed Cen
Tue	6th Sep	7pm	HOPE Study Gp– John & Val Spencer's
Wed	7th Sep	7pm	Choir practice—church building
		7pm	Confirmation
Thurs	8th Sep	9.30 am	Bible Study Group—Ed Cen
		10am	Bulletin Notice Deadline
		11:30am	Staff Devotion
		1:30pm	Koinos F/Gp—47 Verdun Rd
		3:30pm	Resthaven HC
Fri	9th Sep	10:30am	Lerwin HC
		4pm	Bridge Kidz—Unity Junior Campus
Sat	10th Sep		
Sun	11 Sep	MONARTO	9am
		CHRIST	9am
		CHURCH	10am
			10:45am
			12noon
			Worship
			Morning Praise
			Trading Table
			Communion
			Sausage Sizzle

DIFFERENT DREAMS

Sacred & Contemporary music for reflection—presented by :Illumina SA INC" - Adelaide Women's Choir at the Uniting Church Brougham Place, North Adelaide on Sunday September 25th at 2pm. Tickets \$15 available At the door.

We will be holding our annual **"HIRE A TRESTLE GARAGE SALE"** in the JDHall on Saturday Oct 29th (donation \$20 to the church). For more info and to book please ph the church office 8532 6553. More details later.



Christ Church Connections

Our next get together is at the
CONCORDIA KINDERGARTEN

To hear about the proposed changes being placed on this pre-school education facility.

Also to inspect what excites the children and staff in this surrounding

Join us on Tuesday **13th September at 2.00 pm**

Followed by a cuppa and chat
 You're invited to bring some nibbles to share

For those wishing to receive
Holy Communion
it will be offered from 1.30 pm at the Kindergarten

A collection will be taken during the afternoon for the kindergarten

HOPE Study Group

Tuesday (6th September) at 7.00 pm meet at John and Val Spencer's home to continue the study "One Minute Before You Die - What do believers experience when they die" You are welcome to come and discuss.

FRIENDLY STREET WRITER'S POETRY READING DAY

Sunday Sept 11th 2pm –5pm in the JDHall **Door charge \$5 covers afternoon tea.** *Bring your own poetry to read (3 minutes limit) if you wish.*

Leave two copies for consideration by the editors of Friendly Street's annual anthology #36



Sharing

Share your highs and lows for the week.
Share a story of where you have been loved

Reading:

Romans 13:8-14

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

Compare this saying with verse 8; 'You
have to earn respect'.

Why is love the summary of the
Commandments? What does that tell you
about the commandments.

'Love your neighbour as yourself'. How do
you love yourself? Why do we need Jesus
to love ourselves in a healthy manner?
Jesus new commandment is; "Love one
another. As I have loved you, so you must
love one another." (John 13:34)

In verse 11 Paul reminds us that the end is
closer now than when we first believed.
What's his point? Why is that important?
What is he hoping to see us do?

What are the deeds of darkness? If we are
to put them off what does that mean? Can
you think of other deeds of darkness that
tempt you; eg gossip, being judgmental?

How do you seek to clothe yourself in the
Lord Jesus? What do you focus your
thoughts on?

Praying

Invite the Holy Spirit to send workers out
into the harvest of souls. Pray to be filled
with Jesus love so that you might love
yourself as he does, and so be eager to love
others the same way. Pray for our
government, to follow Jesus' pattern for a
loving community. Pray for those people
you know who don't know Jesus yet.

Verse for the Week

"Let no debt remain outstanding, except the
continuing debt to love one another..."
Romans 13:8

Character Conversation Questions

Do I love myself as Jesus does?

Am I loving others as Jesus would?

How am I loving my spouse, parents,
family, friends?

What deeds of darkness tempt me? Who
am I partnering with to be a support for
each other?

What's driving my morality, Jesus or
something else?

What has filled my thoughts this week?

Where did you encounter Jesus this week?

Did you finish your reading and hear from
God? What are you going to do?

Have you been honest with yourself?

Readings

Sunday 4 September

Exodus 12:1-14

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 18:15-20

Monday Ezek 1-3

Tuesday Ezek 4-7

Wednesday Ezek 8-11

Thursday Ezek 12-14

Friday Ezek 15-17

Saturday Ezek 18-21

Sunday 11 September

Exodus 14:19-31

Romans 14:1-12

Matthew 18:21-35

NEW KITCHEN FOR OUR HALL—TAKE A LOOK!

The John Dohler Hall kitchen has had a total “make-over” this week. with new cupboards, benches and electrical appliances being fitted. This project has been kindly funded by the late Miss Hilda Schenscher, a past member of our congregation who bequeathed money to the congregation and the Service Guild has kindly purchased the new oven/cook top, range hood and microwave oven. We are very grateful for your support. Thank you to everyone who has been involved with this project.

