

### UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2013

**November 8th– Bridge Kidz– Unity College Junior Campus**

14th & 15th– Red Cross Blood Bank

17th - Sausage Sizzle

17th—Messy Church—JDHall

**19th– Senior's Christmas Lunch—JDHall**

**22-24th– Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall**

**24th– 10:45am service in Town Hall**

**December 1st—Advent Tea– JDHall**

**24th– Christmas Eve Service—Unity College Gymnasium**

### POSITIONS AVAILABLE

at Lutheran Community Care in Adelaide.

See Notice Board in JDHall

### POSITION VACANT

Cleaner required for the Boarding Houses at Australian Lutheran College. 20 hrs per week (9.30am – 2pm)

Cleaning experience an advantage but not essential.

Must be prepared to work within and uphold the Christian ethos and values of Australian Lutheran College. Must have good communication skills and a good rapport with young people.

For further information and details contact Kristine Leonard (Boarding Manager) on Ph: 8267 7361 or 0417 601 123 between 8.30am – 12.30pm Tues-Fri.

Applications close Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November.

Starting date: Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November.

### **Christ Church & Monarto Congregation Contacts**

**Monarto Elders** Haydn Hein ph 8532 3176, Maurice Wegener ph 8531 1060

**Monarto Chairman** Trevor Hilton ph 0439 839 022

**Christ Church Elders** Dawn Hampel ph 8532 4138;  
John Lohmeyer ph 8531 0935;  
David Pech ph 0420 849 344,  
Janelle Traeger ph 8535 4290;

**Chairman** Adrian Puust ph 85310833  
**Cong. Secretary** Jan Brodde ph 0458 115 160, 85325050  
**Treasurer** Valerie Sickerdick 8532 4275  
**Admin Secretary** Jan Brodde ph 0458 115 160, 85325050  
**Prop. & Maint.** Darren Piltz Ph 0400 259 799

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



# Christ Church Lutheran

31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

# Zion Lutheran

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



## All Saints

3rd November 2013



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

**OFFICE HOURS** 9am –12 noon: Monday - Friday  
Ph 8532 6553

5 Marchand St, Murray Bridge SA 5253

email: christchurch.murraybridge.sa@lca.org.au

Website: www.cclutheranmb.org.au

**Pastor Tim Koch**

A/H: 85322130 Mob: 0427326553

Email: tim.koch@lca.org.au

## 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.

F.Y.I.

**Pastor Tim has declined the call to the Southern Flinders Parish.**

THANK YOU

To **Pastor Peter Welke** who is preaching at the 10:45am service today.

**DVD REFORMATION SERVICE**  
available from the Church Office

### REFORMATION SERVICE

The loose offering from the service last Sunday realised \$380.65 which has been allocated to Unity College to assist in completing the carpet to cover the remainder of the gymnasium. \$119.20 was realised towards the Syrian Refugee Appeal.

Please Note

### SUNDAY 24TH NOV

the 10:45am  
worship service

will be held at the Town Hall as part of the Christmas Tree Festival.

### ALWS GIFTS OF GRACE 2013

**Catalogue included with bulletin. A Christmas present with a difference.**

### 2014 ROTARY CALENDARS

for sale. Photos feature Australia through the eyes of Rotary Exchange Student, Ina Brunbauer. Cost \$20 with a chance to win a weekly prize \$100. Half proceeds of sales to Christ Church.

## ~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. 5:16-1.*

- Pray for members to have eyes to see people the way Jesus sees them and for courage to respond to their needs in the power of Jesus Christ
- *Pray for the Sudanese congregation who meet in the church on Sunday afternoons—that their worship times together may be uplifting*
- Father we ask you to bless all church leaders with a love for the Gospel. Be with Pastor Tim and his family. Give him the love and the strength to continue serving your Word and your people daily.

We ask for God's blessings for Marilyn Schultz Elva Heinrich, Ev Kuchel, John Kuchel, John Lohmeyer, Gordon Schultz, Gwen Traeger, & for their carers.

### Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

4/11 Lorraine Doecke  
5/11 Charelle Grocke  
7/11 Darren Piltz  
8/11 Delton Schiller  
10/11 Margaret Kleemann

You are invited to the

## **Seniors Christmas Lunch**

on November 19th at 12 noon

Guest Speaker **Rodney McCulloch**

(Rodney spent over a year working at Mawson Antarctic Base)

**As we need to know numbers for Catering purposes**

**Please RSVP to Dawn Hampel**

**(ph 8532 4138) before November 10th**

*Cost: \$12 per person - payable on the day of the lunch*

# Rosters

**MONARTO** 10th Nov 10:30am  
**Wardens** Haydn & Penne  
**Reader** Trevor Paech  
**Tea/Coffee** Helen Paech

**CHRIST CHURCH** 10th Nov  
**9am**

**Elders** Dawn Hampel  
**Wardens** John & Irene Kuchel  
**Music** Joyce Stiller  
**Reader** Alison Grieger  
**Greeters** Rob & Alison Grieger  
**Flowers** Audrey Leske  
**Data Projector** Kate Frahn  
**PA** David Pech  
**Tea/Coffee** Ross & Merle Herrmann  
**General Prayer**  
**DVD Videoing** Bruno Lablack  
**DVD Copying** Reg Biar  
**Offering Counter**

**10:45am**  
 Marcus Jaensch  
 David Doecke, Polly O'Connor  
 Josh Rance  
 Cheryl Miegel  
 Dennis & Helen Pfeiffer  
  
 Miegel Family  
 Nathaneal Mann  
  
 Pastor Tim  
  
 Dawn Schopp

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**Children's Address** Lynette Schiller  
**Activity Leader** Lynette Schiller  
**Helpers** Sophie, Dannielle & Belinda Stiller

**THANK YOU** To all who brought food & helped at the funerals. Much appreciated. Ladies, when you kindly bring your food for funerals **please** mark your plates, dishes etc or better still put the food in an ice cream container, as some ladies are not always getting back their plates **even when marked**. Thank you  
 Joyce Stiller.

**INVITATION FROM BIRDWOOD LUTHERAN CHURCH**

to their Christmas Tree Festival on Wednesday 20th November from 11am-4pm in the Hall

Light Lunch \$5  
 Stall & Gift Baskets

RSVP to Trudy Gogel by 10th November ph 8532 2847

**LMSE Catch Up and Sharing Service**

**Sunday November 17, 11am**  
 Keith Lutheran Church  
 CLW-led service, with CLW Band; and message by Pr Bruce Zagel  
 Shared lunch afterwards  
 We would absolutely love to see you there. Grab your friends and family, and carpool together. This is a great opportunity to share a little bit of what is experienced at CLW with you!

**LMSE CLWend! 2014**

Summer Camp is on again, and we have a wonderful weekend planned, just relaxing at the beach together as family.  
**January 4-6, 2014.** 3.30pm Saturday -3pm Monday.  
 Tarooki Campsite, Robe  
 For highschool teenagers  
 There is a possibility of a bus from Mt Gambier.  
 This is a great way to start the weekend with God, focussing on Him and consciously inviting Him to be Lord over your life as you start a new year. It's a lot more relaxed than The Week, and a time to build relationships, and simply 'be' with God and each other.

**"THE BIBLE" DVD SERIES**

(as shown recently on TV) can be borrowed from the Church Office.

Contact Jan. ph 8532 6553

**A BIG THANKYOU**

to all who assisted in any way with the stall at the Callington Show last Sunday. The weather was kind and we had a nice relaxing day selling nearly all we had and also having a chance to talk with people. We appreciated your help in making goodies, donating money for ingredients etc, wrapping beforehand, setting up, packing up and manning the stall. Thanks again for helping with this outreach opportunity.



# This Week

**Readings** Habakkuk 1:1-4,2:1-4;2 Thess.1:1-4.11,12;Luke 19:1-10  
**Hymns** 397, 369, 394, 854, 837, 865

<b>Mon</b>	<b>4th Nov</b>	9:30am	Cards & Coffee-Ed Centre
<b>Tues</b>	<b>5th Nov</b>	11am 6pm	<b>Resthaven Service</b> Barnabas F/Gp - @ Zanker's
<b>Wed</b>	<b>6th Nov</b>	9:30am 7:30pm	<b>Senior Care &amp; Visiting Team—Ed Cen</b> Choir Practice—Holy Cross (for Holy Cross & Christ Church Singers)
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>7th Nov</b>	9:30am 10am 10:30am 7:30pm	Bible Study—Ed Cen <i>Bulletin Notice deadline</i> <b>Lerwin Service</b> <b>Messy Church Planning—Ed Cen</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>8th Nov</b>	10:30am 3:15pm	Lerwin HC <b>Bridge Kidz—Unity Junior Campus</b>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>9th Nov</b>		
<b>Sun</b>	<b>10th Nov</b>		<b>MONARTO</b> 9am Worship <b>CHRIST</b> 9am Worship <b>CHURCH</b> 10:45am Communion <b>11:30am SINGLES—meet Ed Cen</b> 7pm—AGM Lutheran Homes

## STAMPS FOR MISSION

Don't forget to leave your used stamps in the box on entering the church. A big thankyou to James Stiller and Ann & David Ratsch for the wonderful job of cleaning & collating the stamps we receive. WELL DONE!!

**Australian Lutheran College's Valedictory & Conferral Ceremony**  
*on Friday, 29 November at 7.30pm at St Paul Lutheran Church, 44 Audrey Avenue, Blair Athol SA. All are welcome to attend and are invited to stay on for supper at the conclusion of proceedings. For catering purposes, please advise the college (8267 7400 or email [alc@alc.edu.au](mailto:alc@alc.edu.au)) if you plan to attend*

## CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL



22<sup>ND</sup>—24<sup>TH</sup> November

Time is moving on and we are now seeking donations & helpers for the Christmas Tree Festival.

We are seeking donations for

Morning & Afternoon Tea – we need

6lt milk, 2 x 600ml cream, & honey biscuits.

These can be delivered to the office by Sunday Nov 17<sup>th</sup>.

Contact Jan Brodde ph 8532 5050 or 85326553 for more details.

Biscuits for the Gift Table – eg honey

biscuits, anzacs, shortbread or whatever you choose. We need to package & label the biscuits so please bring in bulk (ice cream container) together with the names & ingredients for the biscuits. **Please deliver to the church office by Next Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Nov.**

Contact Coralie Mattner ph 8532 3064 for more details.

**The Courtney's, Jaensch's, Korzeba's and Martin's have booked in to Victor Harbor Beachfront Holiday Park for the Long Weekend in January. If you would like to join us for a relaxing weekend and enjoy the company of other Christians, Contact Jim C on 85 321422.**



**Friday,  
8<sup>th</sup> Nov**

a children's ministry program  
 For Children in grades R - 5  
 Unity College Junior School  
 Campus

**Arriving from 3.15pm  
 Child to be picked up  
 @ 5.30pm**

Contact : Annette  
 Thomson

Bridge Kidz Coordinator  
[bridgekdz@gmail.com](mailto:bridgekdz@gmail.com)  
 0439150015 (bk phone)  
 0447011989 (my phone)

## WOMEN'S GUILD AGM

Wed Nov 13th at 1:15pm in Conc Hall. Dev: M Warnest  
 Offering: Bethany Home for children, Adults with severe disabilities & Amandus.

Hosts: M Smith, J Walker  
 Gift Table: V Zerk

Honey biscuits for Adelaide Christmas cheer. (NO 100's & 1000's)

**INVITATION** to Birdwood Christmas Tree Festival Wed

Nov 20th 11-4pm.  
 Light Luncheon \$5

from the audience, then the cast of 5 lovely young people acted out those feelings and stories with astonishing empathy and insight. Very "wow"; and moving, too.

Lunchtime - great food, more fellowship and plenty of time for reflection of the morning's lessons.

For the afternoon we spread out for our choice of 2 of 14 electives on offer with another food and drink break between. The sessions I attended were on Increasing years - quite a few laughs as most of us were the subjects for discussion, and the second, Godly Play, which, while aiming at similar results as Messy Church is in methodology poles apart from it. I found both electives useful and interesting.

Ron attended Church and Community in partnership with Steen Olsen, where concern was mentioned at the lack of response he was receiving from Pastors and Congregations in regard to their concerns with the District. Ron also attended The New Evangelism segment.

Marlene also attended the elective on Increasing Years and Responding to those going through difficult times. Graham also attended Church and Community and Growing to Serve. Ian & Dianne Kluge both attended Refugees & Asylum Seekers and Ian attended Shalom: Where love comes to life and Dianne attended Hand in Hand -understanding & Serving in Aboriginal Ministry.

At the closing devotion we were treated to songs from the Central Australia Aboriginal Women's choir who then joined us for an early light tea.

I am grateful for all the work and planning by the District and by everyone involved in bringing us this thoroughly enjoyable and full day.

Submitted by Sabine.

## 2013 DISTRICT MISSION CONFERENCE

### *Love Comes to Life In Serving Our Community*



Last Saturday 6 of us represented Christ Church congregation at this conference at Concordia College; Marlene and Graham Schubert, Ron and Sabine Jericho and Dianne and Ian Kluge.

As usual it was great to catch up with many of the regular Synod attendees and renew old friendships over a welcome "hello" cuppa. After checking out many displays showcasing Lutherans in a variety of vital, loving, giving services, the programme commenced with a worship service in the lovely College Chapel.

The theme "Just Walking By" Moments for Good Samaritans gave much food for thought and a resolve to do better in future encounters.

Bishop David Altus facilitated in his lovely calm, sincere, informal manner.

We experienced visually as a "cloth of compassion" was unfurled from the cross on the altar. We were encouraged to take a stone or a dry leaf from a basket and place it on the cloth, thinking of "neighbours" who need compassion and care. They were then gently covered by the cloth for healing love. At the end of the service we picked up a piece of the cloth to symbolically carry healing and love home with us to remember not to be "just walking by" but to pass it on.

Dr. Lynn Arnold was our inspiring keynote speaker and told us of many caring, helping agencies available. The one note I wrote down from his address is "Don't outsource your compassion" - as we are all tempted to pass people with needs on to someone else "better qualified" than us. The familiar story of the Good Samaritan was brought home to us in a very personal way.

We were treated to a substantial morning tea enjoying more fellowship in the green, leafy, sunny grounds.

In the next session we were surprised by a talented group presenting "Play Back Theatre". The leader solicited words, feelings and stories