

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2013

November 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—Trading Table _ 10am—JDHall
1st—*Advent Tea*— JDHall—6pm
8th—*Carols by Candlelight - Racecourse*
15th— *Sausage Sizzle* —JDHall—12noon
15th—*Messy Church Christmas* — 4pm—JDHall
24th— *Christmas Eve Service*—7pm at Unity Stadium
- 7pm at Monarto
25th - *Christmas Day*—9am at Christ Church
- 9am ??—Monarto
31st—*New Year's Eve*— 7pm at Christ Church

Unfortunately **Lutheran Community Care** has had to cancel our **Sharing the Journey Walk/Ride** that was scheduled for this coming Sunday, 17 November at Bonython Park. We apologise for any inconvenience this has caused to your congregation and families. Anyone who purchased tickets to take part in the ride will be refunded. Please contact us at 08 8269 9333 if you have any questions.

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



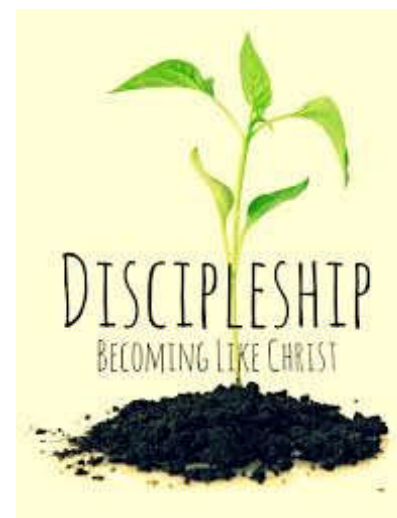
Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



26th Sunday after Pentecost
17th November 2013



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.

ADVENT EVENING

Sunday 1st December at 6pm
in JDHall



Please bring a savoury and a sweet for a pooled tea.

SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

needs your support for the coming

Carols by Candlelight at MB Racecourse on 8th of Dec. We need eggs for the BBQ and tins of fruit or fruit salad.

Leave at the Church office with Jan and I will make sure they are collected. Thanks.
Gerry Korzeba

NEXT

SUNDAY
24TH NOV

Please
Note

the 10:45am

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

This will be followed by a pooled lunch—please bring a savoury and a sweet to share.

THERE WILL BE NO
10:45AM SERVICE AT
CHRIST CHURCH

ALWS PHILIPPINES APPEAL

Your tax deductible donation is welcome at alws.org.au OR by ringing 1300 763 407 OR you can place a marked envelope in the offering plate.

~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 the people affected by the tragedy in the Philippines—those who have lost family members or their homes and for the safety & support of those who are seeking to assist in any way they can. May they feel the presence of God close to them.
- Pray for ALC Pastor and Teacher graduates as they prepare to enter into the service of the church.
- Give thanks to God for the wonderful gift of Jesus and all that He blesses us with. Ask Him to help us share our blessings with others, giving us opportunities to demonstrate His love.
- Pray for each of us to become disciples who make disciples - “teaching them to obey all that Jesus has taught us” - Matthew 28:20.

We ask for God’s blessings for Lil Fiegert (Tailem Bend Hosp for respite), Marilyn Schultz Elva Heinrich, Ev Kuchel, John Kuchel, John Lohmeyer, Gordon Schultz, Gwen Traeger, & also for their carers.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

18/11 Amanda Franke
20/11 Hedley Kluge, Paige Bonson
23/11 Rob Frahn

**If you make disciples,
you always get the
church. But if you
make a church, you
rarely get disciples.**

SPIN

(turning church upside down)

for children in years 4-7 in 2013.

A 4 day camp Jan 6-9th 2014 at Endeavour Conference Centre, Victor Harbour.

For more info and registration

[www.blueprintministries.org.au/
events/spin](http://www.blueprintministries.org.au/events/spin)

Rosters

MONARTO 24th Nov 9am
Wardens Tyson, Trevor & Joy
Reader Max Paech
Tea/Coffee Maxine & Max Paech

CHRIST CHURCH 24th Nov
 9am 10:45am at Town Hall

Elders	Warren Doecke	
Wardens	Allan & Dawn Hampel	
Music	Coralie Mattner	Ian Colley
Reader	Ben Traeger	Deb Colley
Greeters	Laurie & Audrey Leske	David & Ann Doecke
Flowers	Alison Grieger	
Data Projector	Coralie Mattner	
PA	David Pech	
Tea/Coffee	Irene Mann, Helen Schubert, Val Spencer	
General Prayer		Janet Emmins
DVD Videoing	Bruno Lablack	
DVD Copying	Reg Biar	
Offering Counter		Jan Brodde

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Children's Address
Activity Leader
Helpers

Town Hall

LLL CALENDARS
 Now available—
 catch up with Gary
 Beaglehall at church
 this Sunday.

INVIGOR8
CHILDREN & FAMILY
MINISTRY CONFERENCE
 Saturday 22nd February at
 Immanuel Lutheran School,
 Gawler.
 Registrations open 6th December.
[www.blueprintministries.org.au/
 events/invigo8-conference](http://www.blueprintministries.org.au/events/invigo8-conference)

LADIES FELLOWSHIP
 Please Note Change of Date
 Thursday 28th November at
 7:30pm in Ed Cen.
 AGM
 Review Christmas Tree
 Festival

CWCI CHRISTMAS
COFFEE & CRAFT
 Friday 22nd November at 9:30am
 at Uniting Church, Monash Terrace.
 Cost \$7 (includes
 morning tea and craft
 materials).
 Bring an old-fashioned tea cup (op
 shop) for the craft activity.
 Further info: Rose Simmons 8532
 6653; Pam Morgan 8577 2254 or
 email: corrine@hampel.com.au



CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Friday 22nd Nov
 - 9-5pm
 Saturday 23rd
 Nov - 9-5pm
 Sunday 24th Nov -9-3pm
 at the Town Hall, Bridge St



REMINDER
SENIOR'S LUNCH
 Tuesday 19th Nov at
 12noon in JDHall.
 Cost \$12
 payable at the lunch
 on the day.



*Lighten the load of someone this
 Christmas...*

This year Lutheran Community Care hopes
 to provide over 800 Christmas hampers to relieve the burdens that so
 many families face at this special time of year. The planning and work are well un-
 derway but with your help we can ensure that those who come to us do not have to
 choose between providing a special meal for their family on Christmas or paying
 their bills. If you have not already done so, could you help by making a donation to
 support families who do face this choice each year? A donation of \$50 can supply a
 hamper to a person on their own or a small family while \$100 can supply a hamper
 to a larger family. Your donation will also ensure that we can stock up for the in-
 crease of people who will access our services in the coming months. Visit the Lu-
 theran Community Care website www.lccare.org.au, telephone 08 8269 9333, or
 view the insert in the December issue of Together magazine to lighten the load of
 someone this Christmas.



This Week

Readings Isaiah 65:17-25, 2 Thess.2:1-5, 6-13; Luke 21:5-19
Hymns 530 AT93, *My Jesus I love Thee*, 373, 344, 345

Mon 18th Nov 9:30am Cards & Coffee—Ed Centre
7:30pm **Leadership Team—Ed Cen**

Tues 19th Nov 12noon **Senior's Lunch—JDHall**

Wed 20th Nov

Thurs 21st Nov 9:30am Bible Study—Ed Cen
10am *Bulletin Notice deadline*
2pm **Set Up Christmas Tree Fest—Town Hall**
2pm Koinos F/Gp— 21 Francis St

Fri 22nd Nov 9-5pm **Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall**
9:30am CWCI Christmas & Craft - Uniting Church
3:15pm- *Bridge Kidz—Unity Junior Campus*

Sat 23rd Nov 9-5pm **Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall**

Sun 24th Nov 9-3pm **Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall**
MONARTO 9am Morning Praise
CHRIST 9am Morning Praise
CHURCH 10:45am **Worship @ Town Hall**
followed by shared lunch

DISABILITY SERVICES INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTRE OUTREACH SERVICE

Will be in Murray Bridge at Sturt Reserve on Friday 29th November from 9am – 3pm.

The service provides FREE professional advice on techniques & equipment to assist with everyday activities. Service is available to all members of the public - bookings not required.

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.

Unity College Association Report November 5th, 2013.

Thank you for prayers & support from Christ Church congregation & the partnership with Unity College.

Ministry support through Bridge Kidz is thriving.

Trade Training Centre grant application was successful; construction will commence 2014 in preparation for opening at the start of 2015 academic year.

Student achievements for Senior School SACE year 12 student for 2012 with 5 students from Unity College with perfect score in one of their subjects, receiving their awards at a ceremony at Government House:
Sophie Stiller – Food & Hospitality
Celeste Benstead – Food & Hospitality
Elliott Lewis – Specialist Mathematics
Michelle Martin – Information Technology
Samuel Moffatt – English Communications

Unity College continues with a strong focus on Service Learning and the support for the Vetamorphis programme from Association congregations.

Teaching staff are provided with update professional development. Strengthening community relationships with families. Learning Vision for students “Bridge to Discovery”: *Aspire, Act, Achieve.*

Unity tours have been offered and interested families are welcomed to contact Unity College Ph 85 320 100 for all year levels. Unity College AGM Nov 5th 2013, Elections for 2014 : Chairman James Bormann (Mannum) , Vice Chair Adrian Puust (Christ Church Murray Bridge) Principal Ilene Thiel, Business Manager Phil Zanker.

Report Submitted: Rosie Roocke (Christ Church Rep for Unity Association)

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) if you plan to attend