

### UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2013

**September** 21st—Mandate –Christian Men's Ministry– JDHall  
29th—"GOING OUT" - Sturt Reserve  
30th –Oct 4th—Christian Life Week –Walker Flat

**October** 20th— Messy Church  
27th—**Reformation** –Sturt Reserve  
31st—Nov 3rd—production of "Annie"

**November** 3rd Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle  
14th & 15th– Red Cross Blood Bank  
17th—Messy Church—JDHall  
19th– **Senior's Christmas Lunch**—JDHall

#### Lutheran Media

presents *Face to Face*  
every Sunday  
at .45pm on 107.9

Life FM or 8.00am on 5RPH 1197  
22<sup>nd</sup> Sept Connected - John Henderson



### FREE ORANGES 29 Verdun Rd

**WANTED**  
2 litre and larger ice cream  
containers. Please leave at  
the church office.



*Christ Church Lutheran*  
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

### *Zion Lutheran*

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost  
15th September 2013



**FAITH CALLS YOU  
TO BE BOLD AND  
TAKE RISKS**

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

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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-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.

## REFORMATION

### SUNDAY

October 27th

**Combined Service with Holy Cross at 10am at Sturt Reserve followed by a BBQ lunch.**

*Please bring a salad to share, your own drinks, and a chair or blanket to sit on.*

**BRING A FRIEND**

## FUNERAL

The funeral of Harold Miegel who died last Tuesday will be held tomorrow (Monday) at 10:30am.

To Pastor Peter Welke preaching at Monarto today.



## FIRST COMMUNION

The following young people will be taking

first communion today at the 10:45am service.

Ethan & Morgan Klemm  
Bradley Klenke  
Brayden Martin  
Jemima Puust

Please pray for them as they continue their faith journey

## LADIES FELLOWSHIP

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September  
**PLEASE NOTE THIS WILL BE A TEA NOT A LUNCH.**

**Meet at 6pm at the JDHall.**

Hosted by the ladies from Waterford

(they will provide the meal) and look after the whole night.

## ~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.*

- We pray for Joan Miegel, Rosie Roocke & Yvonne Mitchell & their families & friends as they mourn the loss of Harold— may they know the comfort & strength of Jesus at this time of sorrow and may they feel his loving arms around them.
- Ask for people to be involved in providing a “Shoebbox of Love” for children all over the world.
- Ask for God's blessings for the Mandate Men's Ministry happening this coming Saturday—that it will be a time of encouragement and support.

We ask for God's blessings for Elva Heinrich, Dulcie Kube (Taillem Bend hosp), Ev Kuchel, John Kuchel, Gordon Kuchel, Bryan Lees, John Lohmeyer, Gordon Schultz, Gwen Traeger, & Nola Reed, & pray also for their carers.

## Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

16/9 Alison Grieger  
17/9 Tyson Paech,  
Joan Miegel  
18/9 Ivan Frahn  
20/9 Regan Jaensch  
21/9 Alan Jaensch

Thank you for your kindness in praying, sending cards, emails, visits etc. during Henk's illness. God does perform miracles and wonders today! Henk is doing really well and is eating a variety of foods again. Praise God for He is truly awesome.  
Helen & Henk Visser.

## CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBBOX GIFT

Share the love of Jesus with children all over the world.

Decorate and fill a shoebox with little gifts.

*(I have 10 shoeboxes in the office)*

**Bring your box to church on October 13th to be sent on with a blessing.**



# Rosters

**MONARTO** 22nd Sep 9am  
**Wardens** Haydn & Penne  
**Reader** Jodie Wegener  
**Tea/Coffee** Terry Franklin

**CHRIST CHURCH** 9am 10:45am  
**Elders** Rodney Zanker David Doecke  
**Wardens** Brenton & Lorraine Doecke Peter & Valerie Jaensch  
 Ian Pumpa  
**Music** Alison Grieger Ian Colley  
**Reader** Coralie Mattner Marlene Schubert  
**Greeters** Bruno & Yvonne Lablack Graham & Marlene Schubert  
**Flowers** Lois Piltz  
**Data Projector** Jasamine Traeger Fiona Mann  
**PA** David Pech Roger Hampel  
**Tea/Coffee** Irene Mann, Helen Schubert, Val Spencer  
**General Prayer** Janet Emmins  
**DVD Videoing** Scott Sickerdick  
**DVD Copying** Reg Biar  
**Offering Counter** Dawn Schopp

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
**Children's Address** Kevin Schrapel  
**Activity Leader** Kevin Schrapel  
**Helpers** Sarah Puust, Belinda Joppich

## GOING OUT

**Sunday 29th September**

As we seek to follow Jesus, as his disciples, we'll be practicing going out by going to Sturt Reserve for a sausage sizzle hosted by all of us.

This gives us the opportunity to invite another person; either prior or after service as we encounter people at Sturt Reserve, or on our walk down.

We will start with a COMBINED SERVICE at 9am. Gathering together in praise of God, and then together inviting people to Jesus' feast—Sausage Sizzle this time. We will have coffee and fellowship as usual after the service and aim to be at Sturt Reserve by 11:30am.

WHY? We're doing this as an act of discipleship. Jesus sent his disciples out to tell other people about him that they might come to know him. So we are using this time to practice going out, so as we go out each day of the week we are reminded to be ready to give a reason for the faith we each have in Jesus when asked.

This is an act of worship for here we are laying our lives down as we seek to do Jesus' will. Mission isn't our idea, it is Jesus'. A calling he received from Father and has wonderfully called us to join in with him. This is one way to help re-ignite our mission character that each of us has as Father's children.

I'd love to see everyone involved and supportive of this initiative as we seek to grow as Jesus' community of faith. Grow in following him, seeking and saving the lost. Other things can wait, people's lives are at stake.

Come and be part of the Combined Service, rejoicing in the people of faith you have the privilege to sit with. And then together step out and see who the Spirit leads you to, to share Jesus with.

This is a tool to help us as individuals and as a community to be going out as Jesus has called, empowered and authorised us to. LET'S GO!

PS-we have a combined service so there is no 10.45am service, but there is coffee before we head off to the reserve.

*Please bring your own drinks.*

### WOMEN'S GUILD INVITATION

Mannum Uniting Church  
 Adult Fellowship  
**Annual Luncheon**  
 Tuesday 17th Sep at 12noon at  
 the Uniting Church, Mannum.  
 Cost \$10  
Cars leave Holy Cross at  
11:15am

### Senior's Christmas Lunch

November 19th in the JDH  
 Carols & Guest Speaker

Mark the date on your calendar  
 &  
 watch the Bulletin for further  
 information

# This Week

**Readings** Jeremiah 4:11,12,22-28; 1 Tim.1:12-17; Luke 15:1-10  
**Hymns** 206AT, 349, 351, 356, 851, 352

<b>Mon</b>	<b>16th Sep</b>	9:30am	Cards & Coffee-Ed Centre	
		<b>7:30pm</b>	<b>Leadership Team—Ed Cen</b>	
<b>Tues</b>	<b>17th Sep</b>	12noon	Women's Guild Invite—Mannum	
		7:30pm	<i>B Heinrich F/Gp— 104 Christian Rd</i>	
<b>Wed</b>	<b>18th Sep</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Lutheran Homes Service— Owl Dr</b>	
		7:30pm	Choir Practice - Holy Cross	
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>19th Sep</b>	9:30am	Bible Study—Ed Cen	
		10am	<i>Bulletin Notice deadline</i>	
		2pm	<i>Koinos F/Gp— 21 Francis St</i>	
		<b>6pm</b>	<b>Ladies Fellowship— JDHall</b>	
<b>Fri</b>	<b>20th Sep</b>			
<b>Sat</b>	<b>21st Sep</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Mandate Ministry— JDHall</b>	
<b>Sun</b>	<b>22nd Sep</b>	<b>MONARTO</b>	9am	Worship
		<b>CHRIST</b>	9am	Worship
		<b>CHURCH</b>	10:45am	Communion

## CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

### Please Note

that the Christmas Tree Festival is still on 22nd, 23rd & 24th November. The Pageant is on the week before the 16th November. (we were unable to secure the Town Hall that weekend.)

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

## **WE NEED YOU!! GOD NEEDS YOU!!**

-if you're craft minded or creative  
-if you have a heart for family ministry  
-if you would like to help others grow in their relationship with Jesus.  
- if you like to have fun  
Please come along to our Messy Church Planning meetings on the first Thursday of the month, 7pm at the Ed Cen.

*Everyone Welcome*

**Please call or text Deb Colley  
0408 893 726 for more info.**

## LPH / Openbook Publishers 100 year Celebration 1913 – 2013

All former staff and families are invited to come together to celebrate & share stories!

When: Sunday 10 November 2013 12 – 4 pm

Where: Adelaide Lutheran Football Club - ALFC

South Parklands, Cnr South Tce & Goodwood Rd, Adelaide

go to: [www.alfc.com.au](http://www.alfc.com.au) (to see map)

What: BBQ lunch by Matty \$5.00pp or BYO

Tea/coffee & Bar facilities available

We have: clubrooms, chairs, toilets, oval for kids to run around - bring a ball

Reply: If you require a BBQ lunch please RSVP by 1 November - or for more info call or email Mike Grieger at Australian Church Resources (ACR)

p 08 8177 2113 m 0413 610 269 e [mikeg@acresources.com.au](mailto:mikeg@acresources.com.au)

Tell: Please pass this invitation on to your 'old' OBP workmates!

- go to: Openbook Publishers facebook page

## INVITATION TO LADIES EVENING F/SHIP

Tuesday 24th September at 1:30pm  
at the Uniting Church.

Guest Speaker: Alison Barr—  
Lecturer in English Language  
Services

Theme: Hospitality to Refugees  
Afternoon Tea available

**RSVP by Friday 20th Sep to Faye  
Menadue ph 8532 5148**

## REFORMATION CHOIR

**More singers needed,  
young & old and in  
between.**