

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2014

March

- 16th—Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle
- 16th—Messy Church
- 16th—Annual General Meeting –CC– 1pm**
- 19-21st—Thrift Shop—JDHall



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



EASTER SERVICES

CHRIST CHURCH

MONARTO

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| Maundy Thursday | 7pm | Wed at 7pm |
| Good Friday | 9am | 10:30am |
| Easter Sunday | 6:30am | 6:30am |
| (Dawn Service at Sturt Reserve) | | (followed by Easter Breakfast) |
| Easter Breakfast at 7:30am | | |
| Service at 9am | | |



First Sunday in Lent
9th March 2014

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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.

**Christ Church AGM
date; next Sunday
16th March at 1pm
in JDHall.**

MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICES—7pm

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| Wed 12th Mar | Christ Church |
| Wed 19th Mar | Holy Cross |
| Wed 26th Mar | Christ Church |
| Wed 2nd April | Holy Cross |
| Wed 9th April | Christ Church |

DOES ANYONE REMEMBER??

Pastor Tim giving them a set of keys and instructions for opening the Stadium at Unity College for the Christmas Eve Service?
If so, please see Pastor Tim.

SINGING PRACTICE FOR EASTER SERVICES

Meet on Thursday 13th March at 7pm at Christ Church. Even if you can only make it for one of the services you are very welcome, but you need to come to practices. Please see Pastor Tim or Coralie Mattner if you can join us.

**REMINDER
EASTER SUNDAY
Please bring flowers to
place on the cross**

ROSTERS—WE NEED YOU!!

We are seeking people to fill:

- 1 Grounds roster
(May, Oct & Dec)
- 2 Usher/wardens for
10:45am service.

KEYS MISSING

It has come to our notice that there are a number of keys missing from the key safe in the church office -

**no 49 (mower shed), nos 14, 16,
& 17 (all Ed Cen Meeting room).**

None have been recorded in the book.

**PLEASE RETURN TO
THE CHURCH OFFICE**

If you require a key for any reason please see

Jan at the church office.

HOLY CROSS 2014 COACH TRIP

BROKEN HILL 5 days—4 nights
Monday 27th Oct—Friday 31st Oct



Book early—limited seats

Cost \$1050 per person twin share

\$1250 per person single

Deposit \$50 by April 30th

Balance to be paid by July 31st

**Contact Alan Packer 8532 2876,
Terry Little 8532 4029, Holy Cross
Church Office 8532 4577**

LOWER MURRAY LADIES ZONE RALLY

Thursday 13th March at Holy Cross.
“Theme: Walking with God”
Commencing with a cuppa at 9:30am.
Opening Devotion at 10am.
Please bring a lap lunch.
All welcome.

THRIFT SHOP—JDH

Wed 19th Mar 9-4

Thurs 20th Mar 9-4

Fri 21st Mar 9-2:30

(note early closing)

**Helpers appreciated to
set up Tues 18th Mar
at 1:30pm.**

WOMEN'S GUILD

Wed March 12th at 1:15pm in Conc Hall. Swap a cutting or pot plant.

Dev: R Neindorf

Hosts: L Rosenzweig,
R Neindorf

Gift Table: J Ahrens

Offering: Aboriginal Missions,
New Guinea Medical

All welcome

LADIES FELLOWSHIP

When: Thurs March 20th

Time: 7:30pm

Where: Conc Hall, Holy Cross

Guest Speakers: Pastor Greg &
Trish Rohrlach

Topic: Kairos Catch-up

Devotion: Coralie Mattner

Supper: Trudy Gogel

All Welcome

~ 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.

- During this Lenten season pray for people to focus on growing their relationship with Jesus—reflecting on how they can reach others with the message of salvation.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to help us be totally committed to loving God and loving the people He has made.
- "Lord Jesus renew your church—begin with me"
- We ask for God's blessings for Joyleen Stiller, Rita Faehrmann, Lil Fiegert, John Kuchel, John Lohmeyer, Gwen Traeger, & also for their carers.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

11/3 Peter Jaensch, Helen Pfeiffer
12/3 Bradley Klenke
15/3 Edgar Gerhardy, Adrian Miegel, Cameron Eckermann
16/3 Vern Graetz

RETIRING OFFERING

after both services today for the mission in Myanmar. In particular to support the Myanmar Lutheran Church to pay for the medical costs of surgery for Pastor James San Aung – Mission Director & Principal of their Bible Theological College. James church is bringing many people to Christ from the Burmese community in the Yangon (Rangoon) area of Myanmar. He is a key person of the church and his training here in Australia and other places. James has an infectious faith and his personal story is so compelling. He is only a young man of 32 years and required surgery to remove a growth on his palate last week. We remember him in our prayers."

"Dianne and Ian Kluge leave for their mission trip to Myanmar on Friday 14-3-14 and will be away for about three weeks. Please remember them in your prayers as they go to encourage and support our brothers & sisters in Christ in Myanmar. In particular the two Lutheran churches where Pastors Martin and James are the mission director's. They will also be able to see the building progress of the new Immanuel Children's home which has been supported by the Christchurch community in a significant way. During our services this morning they will give a brief outline of what they are hoping to achieve whilst in Myanmar."

FUNDRAISER/ CATERING FUNCTION



22nd & 23rd March

We have been asked to once again cater for SA Ambulance.

If you are able to help out with donations of slices, sandwiches, quiches, toasties & any surplus salad/ fruit from the garden

please contact Yolette

ph 8532 2130

THANKS

NEXT SUNDAY



TRADING TABLE

Bring your fresh veggies, fruit, eggs, jam, pickles, plants, cakes etc .

SAUSAGE SIZZLE

12noon following 10:45am service. Join us for fellowship and yummy food.



Crazy Love

Chapter 5

Jot down your initial thoughts!

As you think back do you have any doubts about your salvation or your relationship with God? Be very honest here!

Whether or not you have decided that you're living the "lukewarm life" write down some thoughts about the solution to lukewarmness. How do you overcome apathy and increase your love for God?

**150th Anniversary of the
Carlsruhe Lutheran church** on Sunday (Palm Sunday), 13th April.

Preacher is Bishop David Altus.
Morning tea from 9.30am.
Pooled lunch & fellowship to follow service.

For more details contact Kelvin Schwartz on 8848 4225.

This week ...

Readings Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7; Romans 5:12-19; Matt 4:1-11
Hymns 331, 336, 342, 377

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| Mon | 10th Mar | PUBLIC HOLIDAY—OFFICE CLOSED | |
| | | 9:30am | NO Cards & Coffee—Ed Cen |
| | | 7:30pm | Property Committee—Ed Cen |
| Tues | 11th Mar | 6pm | Barnabas F/Gp- @Schubert's |
| Wed | 12th Mar | 1:15pm | Women's Guild—Conc Hall |
| | | 7pm | Lenten Service—Christ Church |
| | | | Parish Choir—Holy Cross (following service) |
| Thurs | 13th Mar | 9:30am | Lower Murray Zone Rally—Holy Cross |
| | | 9:30am | Bible Study—Ed Cen |
| | | 10am | Bulletin Notice deadline |
| | | 3:30pm | Resthaven HC |
| | | 7pm | Easter Services Singing Practice— Church |
| Fri | 14th Mar | 10:30am | Lerwin HC |
| Sat | 15th Mar | | |
| Sun | 16th Mar | | |

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| MONARTO | 10:30am | Communion in Lent |
| CHRIST | 9am | Communion in Lent |
| CHURCH | 10am | Trading Table—JDHall |
| | 10:45am | Worship |
| | 12noon— | Sausage Sizzle |
| | 1pm | AGM—JDHall |
| | 4pm | Messy Church—JDHall |

KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY

The team is seeking volunteers to host members for 1st—4th April. It is preferred that they do not share a room. If you can assist please contact Jan at the Church Office.

This week Communion Services will be held on **Thursday** at **3:30pm at Resthaven** & at **Lerwin on Friday** at **10:30am**. Residents appreciate members of the congregation joining them for these times of worship. Please, come along if you can.

MONARTO
Wardens
Reader
Tea/Coffee

16th Mar 10:30am
 Rob & Liz
 Rob Thiele

Rosters

CHRIST CHURCH

Lenten Service 12th Mar 7pm

Wardens
Music
Reader
Greeters
Data Projector
PA

John & Gloria Pohl
 Merle Herrmann
 Ross & Merle Herrmann
 Dawn Hampel
 Andrew Grocke

CHRIST CHURCH

16th Mar

Elders
Wardens
Music
Reader
Greeters
Flowers
Data Projector
PA
Tea/Coffee

9am
 John & Gloria Pohl
 Allan & Dawn Hampel
 Val Spencer
 Mike & Joan Kluge
 Heather Schirmer
 Coralie Mattner
 David Pech
 Brenton & Lorraine Doecke
 Joan Bahr

10:45am
 Janet Emmins
 Josh Rance
 Lynette Schiller
 Darren & Tracy Piltz
 Fiona Mann
 Roger Hampel
 Janet Emmins
 Dawn Schopp

General Prayer
DVD Videoing
DVD Copying
Offering Counter

Ron Jericho
 Bruno Lablack

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Children's Address
Activity Leader
Helpers

Gloria Pohl
 Gloria Pohl
 Hayley Pohl, Jan Brodde