

**UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2014**

**March** 30th - Bridge Kidz—Unity College  
 30th—Monarto at Rollo Hein's  
**April** 5th—Youth Gathering—Ed Cen  
 6th—Monarto at Taillem Bend  
**May** 6th –9th—Red Cross Blood Bank—JDHall  
 17th—Men's Mandate Ministry—JDHall  
 18th—Sausage Sizzle—JDHall—12noon  
 18th - Messy Church—JDHall—4pm

**EASTER SERVICES**

**CHRIST CHURCH**

**MONARTO**

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

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**Christ Church Lutheran**  
 31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

**Zion Lutheran**

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



Third Sunday in Lent  
 23rd March 2014



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.



## NEXT SUNDAY MARCH 30TH

### PLEASE NOTE

**Our second service will be held  
at Unity College  
Performing Arts Centre.**

This is an exciting mission opportunity for us all meeting people where they are at. Together with Bridge Kidz we are seeking to bring people to know God—taking a bold step in faith.

**We meet at 10:15am for coffee—  
the worship time is 10:30.**

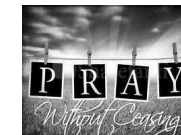
**Please note this is for all ages ( as any time of worship is), but  
this time using a format that is child friendly.**

Come and be Christ's presence to the people you meet.  
Take this opportunity to give yourself away that others  
may come and know Jesus—  
I can't you think of a better act of worship.

*“The Jesus said ..... go and make disciples of all nations”  
- Matthew 28:19*

# Kairos Prison Ministry

Tues 1st April—Friday 4th April



- Prayer Vigil—½ hr slots between 12md Tues & 8pm

- Register online [www.3dayol.org/vigil](http://www.3dayol.org/vigil)

- Biscuits & Slices - homemade (may be iced but not sprinkled with icing sugar). Slices must not need to be refrigerated. Please pack in ice cream container with no & variety on lid.



- Posters & Placemats—A4 size (we can laminate them for you if you so desire). Express the love and hope to be found in Christ.
- Financial support—donations are tax deductible. (may be put in an envelope & placed on the offering plate or sent to Kairos Prison Ministry, PO Box 242, Highgate.SA 5063.

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



Lutheran Media presents  
**Face to Face**  
every Sunday at  
8.00am on 5RPH 1197  
or 6.45pm on 107.9 Life  
FM

**or 7.00pm on 97.7 Flow FM (Local  
channel)  
30th March Adam—Interview**

### **WHAT IS A DISCIPLE?**

Discipleship is not simply Bible Study—although that is part of it.

It is not praying—although that too is part of it.

It is not church attendance— although once again that is an important part of following Jesus.

Rather Discipleship is about a fundamental shift in how we look at the world and our place in it. For Discipleship to be real, it must involve every aspect of our behaviour and personality.

Jesus makes it clear that to be a Disciple is involving God with all our heart, mind, soul and strength. - Malcolm Duncan - “Risk Takers”

*Submitted by Graham Schubert from a book he is reading.*

## ~ 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.*

- Thank God for additional opportunities to grow in Lent.
- *Pray for God's continued blessing for Bridge Kidz and thank Him for the support of helpers - ask for many more people to be enthused to assist with this outreach ministry.*
- Thank God for those people who stood up and accepted positions or new ministry roles at last week's AGM.
- *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.*
- 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

25/3 David Miegel  
26/3 Vera Appleby, Karl Krueger  
27/3 Doreen Borchardt, Daniel Doecke, Dulcie Kube  
29/3 Liam Wegener  
30/3 Roy Traeger, Keith Faehrmann

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**CONVERGE—FOR YOUNG ADULTS**  
Sunday April 6th at 6pm at St Stephen's Lutheran Church, Adelaide. This monthly event is aimed at young adults who are seeking to hear a message and enjoy music which speaks to them in their circumstances, where they can bring friends and acquaintances to introduce them to the Gospel in a non-confronting, low-key environment. **Speaker** is Matt Anderson a Uniting Church pastor who has considerable experience with young adults and has been involved with World Vision.

## Crazy Love

### Chapter 7

Assess your earning, saving and spending habits in terms of whole hearted devotion to God. Which of these habits might be foolish in the light of eternity? How so?

Do you have any possessions or resources that God might be calling you to give way to someone who is in need? What and why?

### **MANY THANKS**

to the "Biscuit" ladies. We raised \$350 for that (great variety) Also we did a small function at the Town Hall and raised \$380. Containers up at office.



### **MID-WEEK LENTEN**

#### **SERVICES—7pm**

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

### **Are you interested in organising the next Longest Lutheran Lunch?**

It is hoped to make this a community outreach, separated from the Reformation service & co-organised between Holy Cross, Christ Church & Monarto. **Please contact Joyleen Kuchel 8532 5353 for further information.**

### **MONARTO NEWS**

**On Sunday March 30th at 10:30am the Monarto congregation will be joining in the worship service at "Rollo's Joint", Pallamana Rd, Pallamana.** This service presented by the Rockleigh Uniting Church & the Rockleigh CFS is in acknowledgement & appreciation of the Emergency Service Personnel & Volunteers who assisted in any way with the recent Rockleigh fires. A Sausage Sizzle lunch will follow the service. *BYO chair. Tea & coffee provided.*

**For catering purposes contact 0448 725 624 if you plan to attend.**

**"ZION MONARTO" is visiting "TRINITY" Taillem Bend on April 6th.** Pre-arrival tea/coffee at 10:30am with the **Worship service at 11am.** Fellowship afternoon to follow.

# This week ...

**Readings** Exodus 17:1-7; Romans 5:1-11; John 4:5-42  
**Hymns** 469, 53, 851, 397

<b>Mon</b>	<b>24th Mar</b>	9:30am 7:30pm	Cards & Coffee—Ed Cen <b>Admin Team—Ed Cen</b>
<b>Tues</b>	<b>25th Mar</b>	6pm	Barnabas F/Gp— at Schubert's
<b>Wed</b>	<b>26th Mar</b>	7pm	<b>Lenten Service—Christ Church</b>
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>27th Mar</b>	9:30am 10am	Bible Study—Ed Cen <i>Bulletin Notice deadline</i>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>28th Mar</b>		
<b>Sat</b>	<b>29th Mar</b>		
<b>Sun</b>	<b>30th Mar</b>		<b>MONARTO 10:30am at Rollo's Joint</b> <b>CHRIST 9am Communion</b> <b>CHURCH 10:30am Service at Unity</b> <b>College (Note Time)</b>

## COURAGEOUS MEN MT GAMBIER

25-27 April at the Glenburnie Racecourse, Mt Gambier.

"Become the man God intended you to be!

**Guest Speaker:** Peter Steicke

Call Gary 0478 048 278

**or check the website**

[www.courageousmenmtgambier.com](http://www.courageousmenmtgambier.com)

for registration details, discounts & event info

## SOMEONE IS STILL COUNTING ON YOU FOR A BIBLE

61 million bibles have been distributed in China but they still need more—for the Guo family of eight who share 2 bibles or Ding Jujin whose old bible is falling apart for example. The Bible Society would like to provide 50,000 in 2014 and give literacy lessons for 55,000. *There are forms available from the church office if you would like to send a donation or you can place your donation in the offering plate in an envelope marked the Bible Society—Bibles for China.*

**MONARTO** 30th March  
**Join Worship service at "Rollo's Joint" at 10:30am**

**Rosters**

### CHRIST CHURCH

### Lenten Service 26th Mar 7pm

**Wardens**  
**Music**  
**Reader**  
**Greeters**  
**Data Projector**  
**PA**

Brenton & Lorraine Doecke, Ian Pumpa  
 Alison Grieger  
 Heather Courtney  
 Grace Hill, June Walker  
 Bruno Lablack  
 Andrew Grocke

### CHRIST CHURCH

### 30th March 9am

**Elders**  
**Wardens**

Warren Doecke  
 Merv & Dawn Schopp

**Music**  
**Reader**  
**Greeters**  
**Flowers**  
**General Prayer**  
**Data Projector**  
**PA**  
**Tea/Coffee**  
**DVD Videoing**  
**DVD Copying**

Coralie Mattner  
 Coral Coulter  
 Joan Bahr, Barbara Noble  
 Bev Frahn  
 Chris Beauglehall  
 David Pech  
 Joan Kluge, Janelle Traeger  
 Ron Jericho  
 Bruno Lablack

## **YOUTH GATHERING - CALLING ALL YOUTH**

If you're year 10 and up, come along to a Movie Night at the Ed Centre. You'll need to bring movie nibbles, and something comfortable to sit on, eg. beanbag, pillow. After there'll be supper (bring something to share) and a discussion about what we can put on the calendar to do at a monthly meet-up.

**7pm - Saturday 5th, April - Ed Centre Meeting Room**

RSVP's to Simone Lees on 0497 935 402 or email [brytam6@gmail.com](mailto:brytam6@gmail.com)

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