## **UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2014**

Oct 26th– Reformation –Longest Lutheran Lunch–Unity

Nov 4th-7th– Thrift Shop—JDHall 11th– Christmas Lunch—JDH 16th— Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle– JDHall 16th—Messy Church—JDHall 18th– 21st– Red Cross Blood Bank– JDHall 29th—Advent Evening—including a Cantata 30th– Confirmation Service –Unity College Steeple

Dec Christmas Eve—7pm at Christ Church - 7pm at Monarto Christmas Day—9am—Christ Church - 9am—Monarto

## Christ Church & Monarto Congregation Contacts

Monarto Elders Ha

**Monarto Chairman** 

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# Chríst Church Lutheran

31 Swanport Rd Murray Brídge

## Zíon Lutheran 427 Schenscher Rd. Monarto





19th Sunday after Pentecost 19th October 2014



Yvonne Kuchel, Lyn Zadow, Ron Jericho & Dennis Kuchel celebrating Dennis & Yvonne's 50th Wedding Anniversary on October 10th at Riverscape. (Lyn & Ron were in the wedding party).

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

<b>OFFICE HOURS</b>	9am –12 noon: M	onday - 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-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.

#### Welcome

We welcome all visitors & pray you are made to feel at home here in our congregation.



TODAY at the 10:45am service we celebrate God's presence through baptism.

Thomas William Riggs has been brought here today to be baptised. Please pray for her parents John & Jasmine & thank God for His gift of Baptism.

#### ALL SAINTS

Sunday November 2nd. Please bring in photos of those you wish to remember (together with brief details) to the church office by Monday October 27th.

You are invited to a **Christmas Lunch** in the John Dohler Hall on Tuesday November 11th at 12 noon Guest speaker **Trevor Hampel** (sharing his experiences whilst in Nepal) **RSVP to Dawn Hampel** (ph 8532 4138) before November 3rd (Please make her aware if you have any dietary needs) Cost \$12 per person - payable 1212121212121212121212 on the day of the lunch The Senior Care Team is organising this lunch

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LONGEST LUTHERAN LUNCH - REFORMATION TO EASTER!

## Next Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> October

commencing at 10 am at The Steeple Unity College Owl Dve.

Followed by the Longest Lutheran Lunch ....

Love Feast!!! On the Menu: Roast Beef, dessert, entertainment etc...

cost by donation.

#### YOUR LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER TO-DAY!!!

See Helen Visser or Jan Brodde



#### SEPTEMBER OFFERINGS

Offering plate	7,740.00
REG	 3,036.00
TOTAL	\$ 10,776.00

#### **OFFERINGS JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 2014**

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Budget to date</u>	<u>Shortfall</u>
Offering plate	73,102.75	77,749.00	-4,646.25
REG	28,164.00	33,750.00	-5,586.00
	\$ 101,266.75		-\$ 10,232.25

## ~ 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 committee and preparations for the Longest Lutheran Lunch.
- We thank you Lord for the families who choose Concordia to come to Playgroup and for the opportunity of sharing God's love with them. Pray for these Kindy children in particular Ava, Jessica, James, Nate, Lucy, Ella, Zara, Olivia & Max, that they will continue to enjoy learning at Kindy. Also pray for the staff at Concordia who are an amazing group of committed women sharing their love for Jesus with each child.
- We ask for God's blessings for Lil Fiegert (respite Mannum), Eileen Miegel, John Lohmeyer, Brenton Mann, Mike Kluge, Trudy Weber, Roy & Gwen Traeger, Leo Schulz, Joyleen Stiller, John Kuchel & also for their carers.

#### Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

20/10 Harry Schulte, Elise Altmann
21/10 Sienna Law
22/10 John Kuchel
23/10 Luke Courtney, Melanie Thiele
24/10 David Lienert, David Ratsch
25/10 Bradley Frahn

## Friends of Lutheran Ar-

chives (FoLA). You are all invited to attend the last FoLA gathering for 2014, on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October, when Pastor Lloyd John will explain to us the effects of WW1 on Hermannsburg, Central Australia. Bethlehem House, Flinders Street City, 7.00 pm for the FoLA AGM, followed by the talk. Supper, gold coin donation.

#### <u>CWCI AUSTRALIA DINNER INVITE</u> Wednesday October 22nd

Drinks & Nibbles at 6pm for 6:30 start

*"Living Life to the Full"with Marlene Hammersmith* at the Church of Christ, Seventh St

**Cost \$20 Conc \$18** (includes drinks, nibbles, three course meal tea & coffee)

<u>Girls 15 years and older are welcomenot suitable for younger children</u> Bookings & payment at the Church of Christ Bookshop ph 8532 4400 by Saturday 18th October.

#### CAN YOU ASSIST— MYANMAR FUNDRAISING

Next Sunday 26th October some of our members will be helping at the Callington Show selling tea, coffee, cakes, biscuits, scones and sandwiches to raise money for the Damadi (formerly Immanuel) Children's Home in Myanmar. We are seeking donations of cakes (we can supply the foil containers to cook them in so they are uniform); homemade biscuits including honey biscuits (no nuts); & slices which we ask you to leave in a slab (we will cut them up). Please provide a list of ingredients for anything you make (we will label them). Also please mark your containers with your name so we can return them. We would also appreciate monetary donations to offset expenses—may be given to Gloria Pohl, Jodie Wegener or Jan Brodde. Your goodies can be left with Jan at the church office by 11am on Friday 24th October. (biscuits can be left earlier).



TODAY 4– 6 pm John Dohler Hall

## CHRIST CHURCH ADVENT EVENING

Advent Evening, including the presentation of the cantata 'Night of Miracles' presented by the Lutheran Choristers, will be on Saturday, November 29<sup>th</sup>. The evening begins with a shared tea at 6pm in the JDHall—please bring food to share - for dessert please provide either cake, slice or fruit platter as we will have supper after the Cantata which begins at 7.30pm sharp in the church building. Please put this date in your diary.

# This week ...

Readings         Exodus 33:12-23; 1 Thess. 1:1-10; Matthew 22:15-22           Hymns         347, 346, 862, 328, 844				
Mon	20th Oct	9:30am <b>7:30pm</b>	Cards & Coffee– Ed Cen Leadership Team—Ed Cen	
Tues	21st Oct	7pm	B Heinrich's F/Gp- 120 Adelaide Rd	
Wed	22nd Oct	6pm	CWCI Dinner Invite—Church of Christ	
Thurs	23rd Oct	9:30am <b>10am</b>	Bible Study—Ed Cen Bulletin Notice deadline	
Fri	24th Oct			
Sat	25th Oct			
Sun	26th Oct	MONARTO & CHRIST CHURCH 10am at Unity College—Reformation followed by Longest Lutheran Lunch		

## Church Planting Initiative – Is this for YOU!

The LCA is taking the great commission to heart. They are looking at planting 30 new churches in the next 10yrs. There are two ways to be involved; apply to be one of the churches that plants a new church, or seek to be a supporting church. I'd encourage everyone to read what has been presented. The documents have been linked to our web page or you can get a copy from the office. Is Jesus calling us to look at planting a new church? It could be here in Murray Bridge, there are so many people who haven't heard of the Gospel in this town. It could be planting a church in Adelaide using our young people, many of who are now living in Adelaide. Please take the time to seek God's will about this important issue. Applications close 31 October, so we have a few weeks to still put in an application. Please talk with Pastor Tim or Adrian. You will find more info on our Church web page at <u>www.cclutheranmb.org.au</u> and it can be downloaded by clicking on "Download Booklet" link.

MONARTO 26th October 10am - Unity College Wardens Max & Maxine Reader Trevor Hilton Tea/Coffee 26th October - Unity College CHRIST CHURCH 10am Elders Rodney Zanker Wardens Merv & Dawn Schopp Music Josh Merle Herrmann Reader Gordon & Shirley Lutze Greeters Flowers **Offering Counter** Marie Mueller

"AGM Notice – Murray Bridge Lutheran Homes Inc

The Annual General Meeting of the Murray Bridge Lutheran Homes Inc. is to be held on **Sunday, the 9<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00pm at the Village Centre, 51 Owl Drive,** Murray Bridge. Members are invited to attend. (*Members are all voting members of the Murray Bridge Lutheran Congregations (known as Christ Church, Holy Cross & Zion Monarto) & Residents of Murray Bridge Lutheran* 

Homes.)

- A Book of Reports including the Agenda will be available at the Church Office from Today,
- 12<sup>th</sup> October 2014 for your information prior to the meeting."

AN INVITATION is extended from the residents of the Lutheran Homes, Owl Drive to a presentation of JAYDEE FASHIONS clothing & accessories on Tuesday Oct 28th at 10:30am. A welcome cuppa at 10am.

**100 children will graduate from** <u>Concordia Kindy in 9 weeks.</u> For the last 2 years we have presented each child graduating with a Children's Bible. If you would to make a donation towards the cost of a Bible you may place an envelope in the offering plate marked Kindy Bible or leave with Jan at the Church Office.