

## UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2014

Dec 21st—Messy Christmas—JDHall

Christmas Eve—7pm at Christ Church

- 7pm at Monarto

Christmas Day—9am—Christ Church

- 9am—Monarto



There are no services at Christ Church on  
New Year's Eve or New Year's Day.  
You are welcome to join with Holy Cross  
on New Year's Eve at 7pm



*Christ Church Lutheran*  
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

*Zion Lutheran*

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



3rd Sunday of Advent  
14th December 2014

### **Christ Church & Monarto Congregation Contacts**

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### Lunch at Sturt Reserve

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

#### OFFICE HOURS

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

## 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.

### PLEASE NOTE

**TEENCHALLENGE** was broken into during the week. Subsequently the locks have been changed on the Ed Centre Meeting Room. If you require access to this room at any time please see Jan at the Church Office. Please bring in the old keys with you to swap.

### CAN YOU HELP??

We are seeking donations of honey biscuits (star shaped would be good) & child friendly lollies (not the coconut Christmas lollies) to be given out at the Christmas Eve Services at Christ Church and Monarto. These and/or monetary donations can be left at the Church Office by Wed 17th December. Thank you for your help.

*We are planning to pack the lollies into bags on Thursday 18th December at 12noon - if you can assist that would be appreciated.*



### PRACTICE FOR CHRISTMAS EVE

Wednesday 17th December at 7:30pm in the Church.

Singers and Musicians from the 10:45am service please come along.



### 40 YEARS IN THE MINISTRY

Pastor Vince Gerhardy born into Christ Church congregation was ordained on the 29th December 1974. Congratulations and God's blessings from your former home.

### ALWS ACTION APPEAL

Envelopes available from the wardens. Please note that this Christmas ALWS can link your donation with an Australian Government grant to increase your impact three times.

**Blueprint**  
ministries

*presents an event  
'not to be missed'*

## **LYSA Reunion Weekend**

Celebrating the rich history of the Lutheran Youth of South Australia.

**June 13-14 2015**  
**Barossa Valley**

See and hear how young lives are still being impacted by the great things God is doing through Blueprint Ministries.

Look out for more info in the New Year.





# This week ...

**Readings** Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11; ! Thess. 5:16-24; John 1:6-8, 19-28  
**Hymns** 501, AT93, 377, AT83

<b>Mon</b>	<b>15th Dec</b>		
<b>Tues</b>	<b>16th Dec</b>	9:30am	Organists meet—Ed Cen
<b>Wed</b>	<b>17th Dec</b>	<b>7:30pm</b>	<b>Christmas Eve Practice—Church</b>
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>18th Dec</b>	9:30am <b>10am</b> 12noon	Bible Study—Ed Cen <b>Bulletin Notice deadline</b> <i>Packing Lollies –Ed Cen</i>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>19th Dec</b>		
<b>Sat</b>	<b>20th Dec</b>		
<b>Sun</b>	<b>21st Dec</b>	<b>MONARTO 10:30am</b> <b>CHRIST 9am</b> <b>CHURCH 10am</b> <b>CHURCH 10:45am</b> 2pm 4pm	Communion Communion <b>Trading Table—JDHall</b> Worship <i>Sudanese—Worship Service</i> <b>Messy Church—JDHall</b>

## Rosters

**MONARTO** 21st December 10:30am  
**Wardens** Haydn & Penne  
**Reader** Terry Franklin  
**Tea/Coffee**

**CHRIST CHURCH** 21st December

<b>9am</b>	<b>10:45</b>
<b>Elders</b> Warren Doecke	Marcus Jaensch
<b>Wardens</b> Merv & Dawn Schopp	David Doecke
	Polly O'Connor
	Josh
<b>Music</b> Coralie Mattner	Cheryl Miegel
<b>Reader</b> Ben Traeger	Audrey Jaensch
<b>Greeters</b> Rodney & Jeanette Zanker	Yolette Koch
<b>Flowers</b> Cheryl Miegel	
<b>Data Projector</b> Cheryl Doecke	Piltz Family
<b>PA</b> David Pech	Lees Family
<b>Tea/Coffee</b> Irene Mann, Helen Schubert	
<b>General Prayer</b>	Graham Schubert
<b>Offering Counter</b>	Dawn Schopp
<b>DVD Videoing</b> Ron Jericho	
<b>DVD copying</b> Bruno Lablack	
<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>	
<b>Children's Address</b>	Sarah Puust
<b>Activity Leader</b>	Sarah Puust
<b>Helpers</b>	Danielle Stiller

### LADIES FELLOWSHIP

Subscriptions and fees now due.

Cost \$20 OR \$10 if you are not receiving a copy of the Lutheran Women. Please see Jan at the Christ Church Office.

### LLL INTEREST RATE CHANGE

Please note that the interest rate on LLL interest bearing Savings Accounts will be 3.25% from 1st December 2014. This notice has been placed on the church notice board for your information.

“ LLL Calendars, LLL publication “Together in Mission”, and LLL Financial Report will be available between the 2 services TODAY. See the Beaglehall Family for yours.”

### OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2015

Now available in the foyer of the church or from the wardens.