#### **UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2014**

February

16th- Messy Church

16th—Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle

23rd Feb—Monarto AGM & Harvest Thanks

March

16th—Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle

16th—Messy Church

16th—Annual General Meeting –CC— 1:30pm

Hahndorf Founding Families Day Celebrating 175 years of Hahndorf

This is a special day of celebration for all those who descended from the families that settled in the Hahndorf area in the early years. Come dressed in periodic costume and bring along any items of interest for display. There will be guest speakers, games, raffles, stalls, music, face painting and more fun! **Dates and Times -** Sunday 23rd Feb at 12:30pm.

Further details from Ron Hall ph: 83887487 or email:secretary@gallasch.net.au

<u>Liebelt family day</u> to be held in conjunction with this event. Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> February, at Johnston Park, Hahndorf. I would appreciate it if anybody can supply updates of their line of the Liebelt family. For further information contact can be made with Neville Fishlock on 08 8388 1487 or by email <a href="mailto:neville.fishlock1@bigpond.com">neville.fishlock1@bigpond.com</a>

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# Christ Church Lutheran 31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

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427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto





5th Sunday after Epiphany 9th February 2014



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

**OFFICE HOURS** 9am –12 noon: Monday - 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.

<u>Visitors Cards</u> 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.

AGM date; 16th March Reports need to be into Church Office by next SUNDAY Feb 16th please.

Monarto AGM and Harvest Thanksgiving is Sunday 23rd Feb

#### **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.

## **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 35 (JDHall), 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.

## ARE YOU GOING TO ADELAIDE?

We are looking for someone to please take the Thanksgiving goods to North Adelaide (Australian Lutheran College). Contact: Joyce Stiller 8532 1116

## Lonely no longer

A seminar for youth and family workers, lay assistants, lders, congregational carers and visitors, and Parish/Pastoral Care Nurses.

**When:** 9.00am–4.30pm, 17 May 2014

Where: St John's Lutheran church, 15 Marlborough St, Malvern, SA.

**Program:** Bible study: *One another people*; Loneliness and the elderly ... youth ... immigrants ... carers; Advance Care Plan;. Lay ministry in the LCA. Presenters include Pastors Rob Schubert, Wing Tso, Peter Miller, Robert Wiebusch; Pastoral Care Nurses Angela Uhrhane, Lynette Wiebusch and Gayle Gerhardy; LCA Director of Lay Ministry, Nevin Nitschke, Edith Heinrich.

**Registration brochures:** available from your church, or from Lynette Wiebusch, LCA Parish Nursing Coordinator: **208.**8336.3936; lynette.wiebusch@lca.org.au

On behalf of **Bridge Kidz** I would like to thank everyone for their prayers and support over the last few years towards the Bridge Kidz program.

The program has been a great success, with many children growing in their knowledge of God's word, and then been able to go home and share what they have learnt with their families.

As you know, programmes like this cannot run without the committed work of volunteers. As most of our volunteers are also committed to work and other projects, we are finding it hard to increase our responsibilities to fill vacant roles as of last year.

Due to this, we have decided to put Bridge Kidz into recess for term 1 2014.

Unless we have some very committed persons from the Lutheran community to come onboard and help with the major running of the program, we regretfully will be closing the Bridge Kidz program.

We have discussed some other ministry opportunities for children, or ways to support programs already running like Messy Church, if this was to happen.

Please keep the Bridge Kidz program, and all the families involved in your prayers.

Please fill free to email me any thoughts/ concerns by 10<sup>th</sup> February, as we will be

holding a meeting shortly after that to make any final decisions.

I God Bless

Annette Thomson
Bridge Kidz Coordinator
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0439150015 (bk phone)



## ~ 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 the Kairos Team (prison ministry) as they begin their preparation for the next course 1st-4th April.
- Please prayerfully consider whether you can help out with Bridge Kidz Ministry - keep the families currently involved in your prayers.
- We ask for God's blessings for Joyleen Stiller, Rita Faehrmann, Lil Fiegert, John Kuchel, John Lohmeyer, Gwen Traeger, & also for their carers.

#### **SICK LIST**

Please include Vera Appleby in your prayers. She is recovering slowly from an acute illness & would appreciate a call from those who know her.

#### Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

12/2 Emma & Jacob Rance

14/2 Audrey Jaensch, Ben Traeger

15/2 Claire Richards

16/2 James Brodde, Raelene Barolo, Kym & Matt Richards

#### THE BONE DENSITOMETRY MOBILE SERVICE

The Royal Adelaide Hospital's bone densitometry caravan unit will be visiting Murray Bridge providing a service to the community and will be parked behind our JDHall from 10th –21st Feb. This gives people who are at risk a chance to have a bone density scan. It takes about 10 minutes and requires a referral from your doctor before making an appointment.

For bookings or more info contact 1800 724 319

## MESSY CHURCH



begins again on
Sunday Feb 16th.
4-6pm in JDHall
Theme: :Growing Up"

## **TODAY**

"THE BOOK THIEF"

at the Cameo at

4:35pm—meet in the

Foyer at 4:20pm.

(see note in JDHall)

## 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 and any surplus
salad/ fruit from the garden
please contact
Yolette ph 8532 2130
THANKS

#### LADIES FELLOWSHIP -

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Feb - 6:30pm at Courtney's - 57 McQuarrie St

Let's start the year with a meal together and a time of fellowship.



Bring some food to share, your favourite Bible Verse and your happiest memory. Bring photos too.

Come along and join our happy group of Christian ladies..
All welcome.

Let us know if you need transport. Heather 85 321 422 (h).

Also subs etc are due \$20 for the year. See Jan at the office or bring to the meeting.



NEXT SUNDAY 16th December

### 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.

## This week.

Readings Isaiah 58:1-9a; 1 Cor. 2:1-12; Matthew 5:13-20 **Hymns** 563, 565, 616, 566 Mon 10th Feb 9:30am Cards & Coffee—Ed Cen Waterford F/Gp- Centre 7pm 7:30pm Property Committee—Ed Cen Elders-meet Ed Cen 7:30pm **11th Feb** 7:30pm B Heinrich F/Gp- 13 Silver Birch Dr Tues **12th Feb** 1:30pm Wed Women's Guild- Conc Hall Barnabas F/Gp- Hampel's 6pm 13th Feb 9:30am Bible Study-Ed Cen Thurs 10am Bulletin Notice deadline 14th Feb Fri Sat 15th Feb Communion Sun 16th Feb MONARTO 10:30am CHRIST 9am Communion CHURCH 10am **Trading Table** 10:45am Worship Sausage Sizzle—JDHall 12noon Messy Church—JDHall 4-6pm

#### **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.

### **WOMEN'S GUILD**

Wednesday 12th February at 1:15pm in Concordia Hall.

## "Shells or Shell Ornament for Display."

What kitchen item did you receive at December meeting?

<u>Devotion:</u> L Rosenzweig Hosts: R Packer, J Kluge

Gift Table: L Frahn

Offering: Home of Praise Slums in Bangkok, New Guinea Scholarship

**MONARTO** 

Wardens Reader

Tea/Coffee

**Elders** 

16th February

Barolo Family Pam Hilton 10:30am



**CHRIST CHURCH** 16th February

9am 10:45am
John & Gloria Pohl David Doecke

Wardens John & Irene Kuchel

Music Alison Josh

**Reader** Gloria Pohl Merilyn Schultz

Greeters Laurie & Audrey Leske Gordon & Merilyn Schultz

Flowers Joyce Ahrns

Data ProjectorCheryl DoeckeFiona MannPADavidLees FamilyTea/CoffeeJames & Joyce Stiller, Glad Jaeschke

General Prayer Gerry Korzeba

**DVD Videoing** Damien Doecke

**DVD Copying** Basil Zadow

Offering Counter Jan Brodde

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** 

Children's Address Heather Courtney
Activity Leader Heather Courtney
Helpers Sophie Stiller, Belinda Joppich



Parish Choir Practice will commence on Wednesday February 19th @ 7.30pm at Holy Cross Church. More singers are welcome

Stan Peltz

## Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA).

You are all invited to the next (FoLA) meeting to be held on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February at Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, Adelaide, commencing at 7.30 pm. Supper. Gold coin donation.

The guest speaker will be Dr Erich Renner, reminiscing on events in his memory bank during his 70 years in the ministry.

# Crazy Love

What do you think would come out of your mouth the moment you first saw God? What would be the first words you would say?

When you pray how do you picture God?

Would you like to experience God's Crazy Love by joining a group to explore how you can grow through the book CRAZY LOVE by Francis Chan?

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