

COMING EVENTS

March	4th	Lenten Service	7pm	
	4,5,6	Thrift Shop—JDHall		
	15th	Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle—JDH		
	15th	Christ Church AGM	1:30pm	
	18th	Lenten Service	7pm	
	20th	C.H.I.L (formerly Messy Church)—JDH		
	22nd	Church Picnic at Monarto	:10:30am	
April	1st	Maundy Thurs (Wed) at Monarto	7pm	
	2nd	Maundy Thurs -Christ Church	7pm	
	3rd	Good Friday	- 9am at Christ Church	
			- 10:30am at Monarto	
	5th	Easter Sunday	- 6:30am-Monarto	
		- 6:30am — River		
		- 9am -Christ Church		



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



1st Sunday in Lent
22nd February 2015



First
SUNDAY
IN
LENT

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

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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

Denise Lohmeyer's father passed away last week—our thoughts and prayers are with Denise, John & Michelle. May God comfort them at this time of grieving.



MUSICIANS NEEDED!

Looking for musicians to play at the second service on Sundays. Please contact Pastor Tim, Lyn Zadow or Kaye Rance.

THRIFT SHOP – JDH

Wed 4th Mar 9-4pm
Thurs 5th Mar 9-4pm
Fri 6th Mar 9-2:30pm

Helpers appreciated to set up 1:30 Tues 3rd Mar and pack away on Friday.

2015 YEARBOOKS

Available from Denise at the Bookshop. Cost \$20 each.

MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICE
Wednesday 25th February
at Holy Cross

F.Y.I. If you are not in a Friendship Group and would like to be, please contact Gloria or John Pohl. 8532 4376 or 0417 876 776

MOVIE MORNING

Thursday 26th February

“The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel” -comedy-meet at the Cameo at 10:20am

Lunch to follow at the Church of Christ –

ph Yolette 8532 2130 for bookings for lunch.



WANTED

Any cotton or similar material suitable for making toiletry/carry bags, please contact Margaret Kleemann (phone 85325944) & she can give you further information.

Please keep your old phone books – the smaller ones, not the thick ones. Contact Inez Schulte (phone 0407 517 550)

Thank you.

Fullarton ‘Freudentag’

Day of Joy

The Lutheran Women of SA will be holding their annual fundraising event on Saturday 14th March from 11.00 am until about 3.00 pm. at Fullarton Lutheran Homes, 14 Frew St. It will have a German theme this year.

There will be entertainment at 11.30am by the Kaffeeklatsch group & at 1.45pm Die Lustige Kapelle (German Fun Band) will be performing.

There will also be a German BBQ, German Cake, Barossa Rote Grutze (an old German favourite) stalls with craft, produce, plants and even a white elephant stall.

There will also be a monster raffle with an Easter theme.

LUTHERAN
community care



LENTEN APPEAL - HELP US LIGHT 1,500 CANDLES BEFORE EASTER

At Lutheran Community Care our staff walk daily with people through their dark times, reflecting the light of Christ and supporting them to one day be a

light for others.

As we enter the season of Lent we are asking our supporters, congregations and schools to help us reach our goal of lighting 1,500 candles to lighten the load of 1,500 people before Easter.

We invite you to think of ways you could help support the community work of LCC and ask that you join us in prayer during the 40 days of Lent. A daily prayer calendar is available to download on the LCC website www.lccare.org.au or follow us on Facebook at facebook.com/LutheranCommunityCare to receive the daily prayer requests in your News Feed.

You can help to light the darkness in someone's life and give them hope as they learn to be a light for others. Visit our website at www.lccare.org.au or telephone 08 8269 9333 to make a donation that will make a real difference.

~ 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 the additional opportunities to grow in faith during Lent.
- Please pray for the Holy Spirit to help us to be totally committed to loving God and loving the people he has made.
- Pray that we can bring light to one another in our community.
- Pray for those who find themselves on a path in their life that brings darkness. Ask that God intervene and show them the way to the light through Him.
- Ask for God's blessing on those who step into the lives of others and offer whatever they can no matter how little that may be—a listening ear, a warm hug, a place to stay.
- Pray for people to walk in the role they have been given and daily give obedience to God which is to share Jesus' love and reflect his light in all they say and do.

Prayer of the Day

Stretch out your mighty hand to defend us from all the evil we face. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

We ask for God's blessings for Murray Pope (Mary Potter Hospice), Joyleen Stiller, Jeanette Zanker, Lil Fiegert, John Lohmeyer, Brenton Mann, Mike Kluge, Trudy Weber, Roy & Gwen Traeger, Leo Schulz & also for their carers.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

23/02 Cheryl Miegel, Bradley Lienert, Ryan Mueller
25/02 Damien Doecke
28/02 Ashley Konitzka

Church Picnic at Monarto **Sunday March 22nd - 10:30**

am

Service at the Monarto Oval at
10:30 am

(The second service at CCL
will combined with Monarto at
the Oval.)

Combined (pooled) Lunch
around 12 noon. Please bring
a lunch & sweets to share.

Bring your own chairs or pic-
nic rug etc.

Afternoon Games for all the
family, sporting and novelty
items starting around 2 pm.

Tertiary Students and **Young Adults**

Friday Night Drinks
27 February at Australian
Lutheran College.

All welcome.

See Flyer in JDH
for details.

Any questions, Email or
ring Peter

peter.miller@sa.lca.org.au



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CHRISTMAS TREE **FESTIVAL**

To all ladies who
can stuff, tie, glue,
sew or have 2 hands, we have
tasks that you can do for us for
our Christmas Tree Festival in
November. For those willing &
interested, please speak to
either Jan, Heather or Coralie.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday March 6th at 7pm
Anglican Church.
Mannum Rd.



Coming Week ...

Readings : Genesis 9:8-17, 1 Peter 3:18-22, Mark 1 9-15

Mon	23rd Feb	9:30am 7:30pm	Cards & Coffee— Ed Cen Admin meet—Ed Cen
Tues	24th Feb	10:30am 6pm	English Lessons - Ed Cen Barnabas F/Gp— Labalck's
Wed	25th Feb	9:30am 7pm	<i>Organists meet— Ed Cen</i> Mid-Week Lent—Holy Cross
Thurs	26th Feb:	9.30am 10:20	Study Group— Ed Cen <i>Film & Lunch—meet Cameo</i>
Fri	27th Feb		
Sat	28th Feb	9am	Communion
Sun	1st March	10:45am	Worship at Christ Church
		10:30am	Worship in Hall at Monarto

SHED HAPPENS— MEN'S HEARTY DINNER

Attention all blokes!!

Saturday Feb 28th at 7pm at Verdun Memorial Hall (Onkaparinga Valley Rd, Verdun—opposite Primary School)

Cost \$ donation of your choice.

Enjoy a cooked meal and some fair-dinkum down to earth mateship. Bring a friend!!

Please RSVP for Catering by Feb 25th—0408 718 288 or email rhys@graphicalliance.com.au

Rosters

MONARTO
Wardens
Reader

1st March 10:30am
Haydn & Penne
Raelene Wegener

Wardens
Reader
Tea/Coffee

8th March 10:30am
Nathan & Jodie
Terry Franklin
Pam & Trevor Hilton

CHRIST CHURCH

1st March

9am

10:45

Elders
Wardens
Music
Reader
Greeters
Flowers
Data Projector
PA
Tea/Coffee
General Prayer
Offering Counter

Dawn Hampel
J & I Kuchel, V Spencer
Coralie/June
John Pohl
Joan Bahr, Helen Visser
Joan Kluge
Cheryl Doecke
David
J & J Stiller, G Jaeschke

Marcus Jaensch
D & J Lienert, Y Koch
Annette Korzeba
Darren & Tracy Piltz
Fiona Mann
Nathaneal
Pastor Tim
Yvonne Stiller

MID-WEEK LENT (4th March)

7pm

Wardens
Music
Reader
Greeters
Data Projector
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John & Gloria Pohl
Philip Hammond
Bruno & Yvonne Lablack
Jasmine Traeger
Andrew Grocke

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's Address
Activity Leader
Helper

1st Mar
Tamra Lees
Tamra Lees
Sarah Puust

8th Mar
Heather Courtney
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Dannielle Stiller

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FEATURE stories

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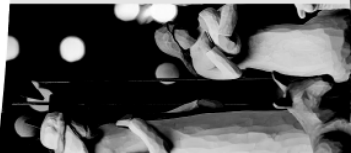
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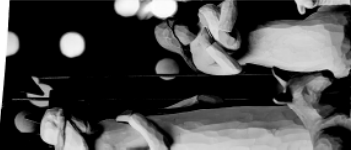
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WORSHIP AT 10:30 AM.

(Including a Prayer tent)

SHARED LUNCH AT 12 NOON.

(Please - no hot food)

Games and fun stuff for the whole family.

GAMES START AT 1:30 PM.

Afternoon tea at 3:30pm.

What to bring:-

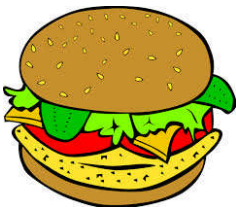
Chairs, bicycle (Optional), BYOG, lunch & afternoon tea to share.

We will provide coffee, tea, water etc

Paper plates and foam cups.

Games will vary from cricket, croquet, bocci, golf, water balloons, tug of war, kites to fly, scavenger hunts, and variety of novelty games.

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