

COMING EVENTS

Aug	16th	Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle—JDHall
	17th-20th	Red Cross Blood Bank—JDHall
	21st	C.H.I.L—JDHall
	22nd	Movie Night—JDHall
Sep	2nd-4th	Thrift Shop— JDHall
	18th	C.H.I.L—JDHall
	20th	Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle—JDHall
Nov	20th-22nd	Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



Tenth Sunday after Pentecost
2nd August 2015

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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-communicating 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

Pastor Tim will be on Recuperative Leave (Long Service Leave) from Sunday 6th September until Sunday 29th November.

LONGEST LUTHERAN LUNCH????

If interested in co-ordinating or helping out please contact Pastor Greg Page at the Holy Cross office. ph 85324577

MEN

Movie Night—
Saturday 8th Aug
Meet in the
JDHall at 6pm for
a shared meal.
Please bring your
favourite food.

Congratulations and God's Blessings to

Bruce Heinrich who is

*Happy
Birthday!*

celebrating his
birthday
TODAY. Our
prayers &
thoughts are with you.



www.lca.org.au

SUNDAY, 2 AUGUST 2015

This week in your LCA

A CENTURY, NOT OUT

God willing, Pastor Bill Stolz will turn 100 on 15 September. His beloved Melva has been by his side for 70 years. Together they are a living storybook of a colourful century of Australian Lutheran life, of mission and ministry adventures great and small, of faith and faithfulness in all circumstances—and of sparkly ever-youthful love. Read their story in the August edition of *The Lutheran* or on your LCA website www.lca.org.au



SUSANNAH'S MIRACLE PART 2



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SUSANNAH'S MIRACLE (PART 2)

Susannah wasn't meant to survive her birth because part of her brain was missing. Listen to this story (or read the transcript) of God defying the odds—on your LCA website www.lca.org.au

THIS WEEK:
Freewheeling with God

NEXT WEEK:
Lost and found

Visit www.facetoface.org.au to listen to or read transcripts.



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ORDINATION *We're listening.*



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(1) Dialogue booklet
(2) DVD dialogue guide

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download the booklet from
owl.lca.org.au

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Convention of
Synod

Registrations open!

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but you must register.

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SUBSCRIBE TO LCA eNews for fortnightly email updates: www.lca.org.au/enews

~ 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 Heather Courtney in her role as Kindy Liaison—for God to continue to bless her in that role and for the congregation to continue to support her role in the kindy and also financially.
- Pray for the residents of **Lerwin** – Gordon Kuchel, Gert Fiegert, Stewart Jaensch, Maureen Kuchel.
- Pray for the residents of **Resthaven** – Kevin Thiele, Barbara Noble, Dulcie Kube, Eric Scheer, Rita Bretag, Joan Neumann, Dot Noller, Jenny Mueller, also for Rita Schiller, Dawn Jaensch, Trudy Weber & Laurel Geisler (Mannum)
- We ask for God's blessings for Merle Herrmann who has had non-malignant bowel surgery, Quentin Barolo, Anthony Leske, Darren Piltz, Trevor Paech, Joyleen Stiller, Jeanette Zanker, Lil Fiegert, John Lohmeyer, Mike Kluge, Roy & Gwen Traeger, & also for their carers.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

4/08	Alicia Crase, Joel Eckermann
5/08	Lesley Zadow, Chace Fiegert
6/08	Dawn Hampel, Caitlin Crase
7/08	Marie Mueller, Michelle Martin
8/08	Bradley Kirpensteyn

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Nov 20th-22nd.

LUCKY DIPS!! Can you Help?

We are seeking

children's gifts we can use in lucky dips for both girls & boys. Suggestions include matchbox cars, books, small teddies, pencils, colouring in books, jewellery etc. **(Please do not offer lollies or chocolates or anything perishable.)** These can be left with Jan at the office.



CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK (CLW)

Christian Life Week is a youth camp run by a group of volunteer young adults who are passionate about the youth of our zone. It's a five day camp for kids in years 8 to 12 packed with games, speakers, bible study, fellowship and laughter. It's a great opportunity for these high schoolers to form lifelong, sustaining relationships with their peers and with God.

Monday Sept 28th -Friday Oct 2nd to be held at Walker Flat.

"Anthology" - The Bible is an anthology, a collection of stories.

We are going to delve into the many stories of God's relationship with His people.

Cost \$175

Details & registration email. LMSECLW2015.EVENTZILLA.NET

Contact: Kate McLaughlin ph 0437 173 995

WOMEN'S GUILD

Wednesday August 12th at
9:30am at Conc Hall.

MORNING MEETING

Devotion: E Wegener

Offering: Deaf Ministry,
Scholarships for overseas
students to study through
ALC.

**Followed by Luncheon
at Tailem Bend.
Leave from Holy Cross
at 11am.**

SERVICE GUILD

Meet Wed 5th August at
9:30am in Ed Cen. Dev:
H Schubert.

MINISTRY IN SCHOOLS FUNDRAISING DINNER

Saturday 29th August at 6pm at the
Church of Christ, 32 Seventh St.

Guest Speaker: Angela Jolly
(Executive Director Schools Minis-
try Group)

Tickets FREE - but you must
pick up a ticket from the Church of
Christ Bookshop for the caterers.
(Includes a 3 course meal- **cost -
donation**).

Coming Week ...

Readings: 2 Samuel 11:26-12:13a; Ephesians 4:1-16; John 6:24-35
Hymns: 621, 341, AT62, AT69, AT31,784

Mon	3rd Aug	9:30am	Cards & Coffee— Ed Cen
Tues	4th Aug	10:30am	English Lessons—Ed Cen
Wed	5th Aug	9:30am 10am	Service Guild—Ed Cen Senior Care Team—Church of Christ Cafe
		7:30pm	Confirmation—Holy Cross
Thurs	6th Aug	9:30am	Bible Study—Ed Cen
Fri	7th Aug		
Sat	8th Aug	6pm	MEN— Movie Night—meet JDHall
Sun	9th Aug	9am 10:45am	Worship Communion at Christ Church
		9am	All In Worship at Monarto

KEEP THIS DATE FREE

Thursday November 12th

The Senior Care Team have set this date for our pre Christmas Luncheon.

The friends of Tailem Bend Hospital will be catering **and** a 15 member ensemble from the Band of the South Australian Police will entertain us.

More details later.

P.S. You don't need to be a Senior to attend.

Rosters

MONARTO August 9th 9am
Wardens Tyson, Trevor, Joy
Reader Pam Hilton
Tea/Coffee Terry Franklin

CHRIST CHURCH 9th August

	9am	10:45
Elders	Gary Beauglehall	David Doecke
Wardens	J & I Kuchel, V Spencer	D & J Lienert
Music	Coralie	Josh
Reader	Alison Grieger	David Doecke
Greeters	Ross & Merle Herrmann	S Kuchel, R Schrapel
Flowers	Audrey Jaensch	
Data Projector	Cheryl Doecke	Fiona Mann
PA	David	Lees Family
Tea/Coffee	J Kluge, J Traeger	
General Prayer		Dennis Pfeiffer
Offering Counter		Gerry Korzeba
DVD Recording	Cheryl Doecke	
DVD Copying		

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9th August Leader Sarah Puust
 Helper Sophie Stiller

Grassroots Training Workshops – August 2015

Grassroots Training are excited to be heading to Salisbury to run two of our engaging and interactive workshops in August.



1. Equipping for Leadership – 3-4 August

2. Building Healthy Relationships – 17-18 August

Both of these workshops are being hosted by Salisbury Lutheran Church (10 Waterloo Corner Road, Salisbury).

Registrations for these workshops are now open!

www.grassroots.edu.au/workshops



TAKING FAITH home

2 August 2015
PENTECOST 10B

THIS WEEK'S THEME:

Jesus is the bread of life

mealtime prayer

Jesus, bread of life, feed us, body and soul. Jesus, bread from heaven, come and make us whole. Amen.

verse for the week

Then Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. No one who comes to me will ever go hungry. And no one who believes in me will ever be thirsty."
JOHN 6:35

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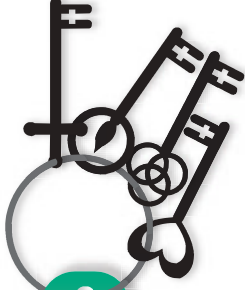
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- In what ways does Jesus feed you?



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3. service

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INSTRUCTIONS

To the hot milk add sugar, margarine and salt. Let cool. In a small bowl mix the warm water and yeast. Set aside until bubbly (about 5 min.). To the milk mixture add 1 cup of flour and mix well. Add one slightly beaten egg and yeast mixture. Mix with a wire whisk. Next add approximately 3 more cups of flour (use wooden spoon). Knead, then place in greased bowl for first rise. Punch down or knead, place in two greased bread pans, cover with a damp cloth and let rise again. Bake at 180°C for 20 minutes.

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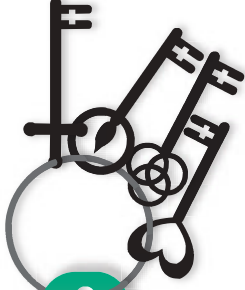


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