COMING EVENTS					
Sep	26th	Movie Night—JDHall			
Oct	10th 16th 17th 18th 25th	Men's Breakfast C.H.I.L. – JDHall Movie Night—JDHall Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle Reformation Service– Unity College			
Nov	8th 12th 15th 20th 20th-22	Lutheran Homes AGM—Owl Dr Village Cen Senior's Christmas Luncheon—JDHall Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle Men's Style C.H.I.L—JDHall and Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall			

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

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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.

Thank you

at Christ Church

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TODAY at the 10:45am service



we celebrate God's presence through baptism.

Chloe & Abbey Thompson have been brought here today to be baptised. Please pray for their parents Reece & Rhiannon & thank God for His gift of Baptism.



at the 9am service at Christ

Church and also at Monarto AND

preaching at the 10:45am service

to Pastor Peter Welke who is

To Pastor

David Christian

who is preaching

On Sunday 15th November Monarto members will be visiting the Springton Congregation.

Service is at 11am followed by lunch which is provided. Then there will be a visit to the Church's museum.

MAKE FRIENDSHIPS & CHARACTER A PRIORITY

We live in a community that loves to grow. We want to expand our wealth, our families, our travel, and our possessions. There is nothing wrong with growth but the problem is that we often choose the wrong areas to grow.

Can I encourage you to consider your choices in 4 areas?

Firstly grow your friendships not your diaries. Life is not just about being busy, but having others to share it with.

Secondly, grow your character not your experiences. Those activities done for the buzz they deliver may be just self-indulgence.

Thirdly, grow your discipline not your options. Discipline is about choosing between the good and the best, not just multiplying options.

Fourthly, grow your discipleship not your scholarship. Discipleship is living in a way that pleases God. Scholarship can simply be finding our about God. Christian faith is not just about what you know but rather how you live.

<u>"AGM Notice - Murray</u> <u>Bridge Lutheran Homes Inc"</u>

The Annual General Meeting of the Murray Bridge Lutheran Homes Inc. is to be held on Sunday, the 8th 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 the 12th October 2015 for your information prior to the meeting."

"If you can't sleep, don't count sheep—talk to the Shepherd"

~ <u>Prayer Corner</u> ~



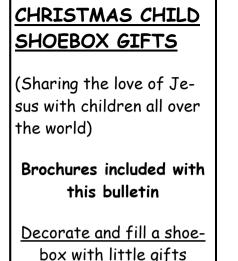
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"Always be joyful and never stop praying. Whatever happens, keep thanking God because of Jesus Christ. This is what God wants you to do" -1 Thess. 5:16-1.

- Pray for Graham Schubert as he travels (with Marlene) to attend the General Convention of the LCA as Delegate for Christ Church/Monarto. The Convention will be held at Our Saviour Lutheran Church Rochedale Queensland 29th September to 4th October. Many important decisions will be made— some that will affect the future direction our church will be taking in the future.
- Dear Lord, , protect and strengthen your church, so that your word and sacraments may nurture faith in you and love to all people. Be with all who spread the light of your truth throughout the world. Protect our pastors, and keep them faithful to you and the charge which you have given them. Be with all lay workers and all who serve in the body of Christ that by our common witness the light of Christ will shine brightly for the world. Delegates will soon be meeting at Convention. Grant us peace and confidence that they will make their decisions according to your good grace and direction.
- Pray for the Concordia Kindy children, Lillian, Lucy, Mackai, Madison & Sumner.
- We ask for God's blessings for Adut Chol (Liver Transplant), Rita Faehrmann, Darren Piltz, Joyleen Stiller, Jeanette Zanker, Lil Fiegert, Mike Kluge, Roy & Gwen Traeger, & also for their carers.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

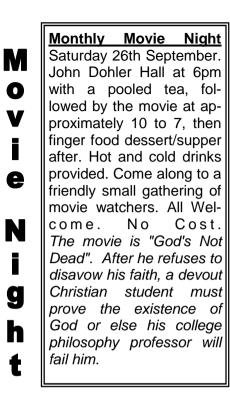
17/09 Tyson Paech, Karen Kirpensteyn23/09 Jeanette Zanker25/09 Michael Jaensch



Bring your box to church on Sunday 18th October to be sent on with a blessing.

Myanmar Flood Appeal - Asia Focus

. Donations can be made by cheque payable to 'Asia Mission and Relief Fund' and earmarked for the "Myanmar Flood Appeal' on a short note and posted up. Alternatively you can send and EFT direct debit transfer: Suncorp Bank - BSB : 484799. Account No. 05388275 - in the description marking Myanmar Flood Appeal. Christchurch Lutheran Church is in mission with Myanmar and any help we can provide for this situation shows our love and compassion. I am available to give donations to and will give you a receipt and arrange for the money to be sent up to Asia Focus. Ian Kluge. Tf 85313449 Home email i.kluge@bigpond.com





WANTED Does anyone have a marquee (6 x 3 metres) that we can borrow to use at the Callington Show. Some of our members will be running an outreach stall.

Coming Week ...

Readings: Proverbs 31:10-31; James 3:13-4:3,7,8a; Mark 9:30-37 Hymns: 807, My Jesus I Love Thee, 797, 286, 330, 408					
Mon	21st Sep	9:30am	Cards & Coffee- Ed Cen		
Tues	22nd Sep	7pm	English Lessons—Ed Cen Shalom F/Gp-Owl Drive Centre Leadership Team– Ed Cen		
Wed	23rd Sep	7:30pm	Confirmation—Holy Cross		
Thurs	24th Sep	9:30am	Bible Study—Ed Cen		
Fri	25th Sep				
Sat	26th Sep	6pm	Movie Night—JDHall		
Sun	27th Sep	9am 10:45am	Worship Communion at Christ Church		
		9am	Worship at Monarto		

CALLING ALL MOTOR BIKE ENTHUSIASTS

On Saturday 31st October the Teen Challenge Ride for Rehab will be terminating in Murray Bridge.

Riding from Lobethal they will be in Murray Bridge at lunch time. The local Christian Churches will be providing a BBQ at the Sound Shell in Edwards Square. If you would like to register for the ride please contact 8431 9847.

Our congregation has been asked to assist in a small way. Please contact Phil Miegel if you can help?

<u>MONARTO</u> Wardens Reader Tea/Coffee	Sep 27th9amTyson, Trevor & JoyJodie WegenerMaxine & Max Paech	Rosters
CHRIST CHUR	CH 27th September	r
	9am	10:45
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'Lighting of the Christmas Tree' on November 20th

We would love to hear from anyone who is willing to have input into the 'Lighting of the Christmas Tree' on November 20th At this stage we need to 'brainstorm' ideas to see how we can serve our community in this event.

Please give this some prayerful thought & see where God is leading us.

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