

Worship
Under the stars

At Mannum
Mary Ann Reserve
Sunday
February 26 2017
7pm-9pm

Sausage Sizzle + Bring a Chair
Please note the area is a dry zone

Men's Bootcamp

Men growing to be the man Jesus gave up His life for.

Made for More is a men's event designed to help men discover the true treasure of the Gospel in the hope to transform their lives.

Date: Thursday 25th May 4.30pm to Sunday 28th May 12noon.

Venue: Dzintari Camp, Normanville, South Australia

For further information and pre-registration go to:

<http://www.thegoalislife.com/product/made-for-more-may-2017/>



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran

427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



Seventh Sunday after Epiphany
19th February 2017

Matthew 5:44-45 ————— *But I say to you,*

LOVE YOUR ENEMIES

AND PRAY FOR THOSE WHO PERSECUTE YOU,
SO THAT YOU MAY BE SONS OF YOUR FATHER WHO IS IN HEAVEN.

FOR HE MAKES HIS SUN RISE
— *on the evil and on the good* —
AND SENDS RAIN ON THE JUST AND ON THE UNJUST.

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

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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.

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.



CHRIST CHURCH AGM

MONDAY 6TH MARCH

5:30-6pm pooled tea
7pm AGM meeting

NOMINATIONS

Where can you help.
Please pray about how you can help your church family in 2017
Janelle Traeger 8535 4290
Allan Hampel 85324138
Ron Jericho 0407 970 326
or Pastor Tim



Invitation to attend events at Australian Lutheran College

Worship & Lecture to mark the beginning of a new academic year
Monday 27th Feb from 9am or lecture will be live-streamed via the ALC website: www.alc.edu.au

See noticeboard in JDH for more details



Children and Family Ministry Conference

Saturday 25th Feb 2017

Visit www.blueprintministries.org.au for more details.

Rosters

		26-Feb	Ash Wed 1-Mar	5-Mar	
Monarto	Service Time	No Service	7pm at Christ Church	10:30am ♥	
	Wardens			Tyson/Trevor/Joy	
	Readers			Barolo	
	Tea Coffee				
Christ Church	9am	Elder/Assist		R Zanker	G Beauglehall ♥
		Wardens	M & D Schopp	B&L Doecke I Pumpa	M & D Schopp
		Readers		H Courtney	C Coulter
		Greeters	L & A Leske	R&M Herrmann	B&Y Lablack
		Organist	Coralie	June	Glynniss
		Flowers	J Kluge		Tanya Klemm
		Tea/coffee/milk	L Penhall H Schubert		J Kluge J Traeger
		PA		David	David
		Data Projector		C Beauglehall	J Irvine
	10:45am	Elder/Assist	G Korzeba ♥		M Jaensch
		Wardens	D Doecke P O'Connor		D & J Lienert & Y Koch
		Readers			S Kuchel
		Greeters	D&T Piltz		D&L Schiller
Music					
Prayers				D Schiller	
PA		Lees		Lees	
Data Projector		Y Stiller		Miegel family	
Counter		D Schiller		J Brodde	
Sunday School					
Leader	Belinda J		Belinda J		
Helper	Belinda S		Sarah		
Grounds Roster			J Pphl		
Water & Care	Y Koch		R Herrmann		

Coming Week ...

Readings: Leviticus 19:1-2,9-18 1 Cor. 3:10,11,16-23 Matthew 5:38-48

Mon	20th Feb	9.30am 7:30pm	Cards and Coffee Leadership, Ed Cen
Tues	21st Feb	4pm 6pm 7pm 7:30pm	English lessons Ed Centre Barnabas Group @ Schuberts Shalom Group - 1 Rivergum Close Music meeting Ed Cen
Wed	22nd Feb	7.20pm	Confirmation CC/HC @ Christ Church
Thurs	23rd Feb	10am 10am	Bible Study Bulletin notices due
Fri	24th	4pm	Unity Food Festival, Unity College
Sat	25th Feb		Invorgor8 Conference
Sun	26th Feb		Combined Christ Church & Monarto Service with the Sudanese
		10am	at Christ Church Followed with Shared lunch

COMING EVENTS

March	3rd	10am	World Day of Prayer - Salvation Army
	4-5th		Hobby Expo - JDH
	6th		Christ Church AGM: 5:30-6pm pooled tea followed 7pm AGM
	12th		Monarto AGM after service
	18th		Professional Standards Training - Mannum
May	25-28th		Men's Bootcamp, Normanville



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER PHILIPPINES

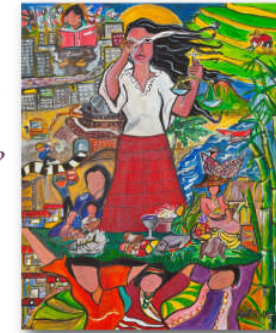
Am I being unfair to you?

Everyone Welcome

Friday 3rd March

10am

Salvation Army, 4th Street



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Monarto AGM
Sunday 12th March
after the service



Shalom Friendship Group
Tuesday 21st Feb 7pm
1 Rivergum Close, MB



House sitter
required from
26th April - 26th May

If you can help
please contact the church
office for more details

The next
**Sharing
The News**
is out, available from
church foyer of office

Barnabas Friendship Group
Tue 21st Feb-6pm @Schubert's
Study:
Taking Faith Home Feb 12th
**God's way is the
Best way to live**



Thank-you to Kevin Schrapel
who is leading the
second service today.



Work has started on the tennis
courts and should be completed
by end of February.

A big **THANK YOU** to Ken
Zadow for making this happen

~ 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 the Kindy teachers, workers, volunteers, children and for the office bearers elected at this weeks AGM that Jesus is always present in their hearts.
- Heavenly Father bless all Leaders of the church. Help us all to listen to you for direction, doing Your will not ours. We ask that you bring forth people to fill roles at our upcoming AGMs so that we can Reach out with Your Love that All may Know, Worship & Grow in You.
- We thank you for the safe return of our members who were in Myanmar/Thailand.
- Lord God, We ask for God's blessings for Henk Visser, Dawn Jaensch, Joyleen Stiller, Roy Traeger, Dawn Hampel & also for their carers.

*If you have any prayer requests or would like to
be included in this list please contact Yvonne in the office*

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

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| 19/2 | Steven Herbig, Heather Schirmer |  |
| 20/2 | Dawn Jaensch | |
| 21/2 | Grantley Klenke | |
| 22/2 | Heather Courtney, Matthew Ferreira | |
| 23/2 | Lucy Hampel, Bradley Lienert, Cheryl Miegel, Ryan Mueller | |
| 25/2 | Damien Doecke | |



Reminder

Music group meets on
Tuesday 21st Feb 7:30pm
at the Ed Centre

Employment Opportunities

Please see notice in JDH

Adelaide: Foster Care Information Session

If you've thought about fostering come
along to this information evening!
Wednesday 22 Feb, 6:30 – 8:30pm.
Endeavour Luther College, 85 Mawson
Lakes Blvd, Mawson Lakes.

Please RSVP by phone 08 8337 8787
or email fostercare@lccare.org.au

If you would like more information
please phone LCC Foster Care Services
on 08 8337 8787
www.fostercare.lccare.org.au



~ Confirmation ~

Wednesday,
12nd February 2017



7.20 – 8:20pm at
Christ Church

Sunday 26 February

Combined Service

at

Christ Church

with **Monarto** and our

Sudanese Community

(no service at Monarto)

Service starts at 10am

followed by a
pooled lunch

so, bring along something yummy
to share for mains & dessert and
join in the fun!

Hobby Expo

4th & 5th March

Volunteers need to
man trading table on
Saturday & Sunday.
Please let Jan Brodde
know 8532 5050

LCA 2017 YEARBOOKS

Have your got one? Do you
need one? Available from
Denise in the Bookshop
Cost \$20 each



**Wed 22nd
February**

**Congratulations to
Bob & Joan Martin
who celebrate 25 years**

Thank You!

Our sincere
THANKS to
Peter Heintze
for delivering the Thanksgiving
goods to the A.L.C.



**Sausage
Sizzles**

There will be **NO sausage
sizzle on Today**

However, there will be a
Pooled lunch on
Sunday 26th Feb
following the combined
service with the Sudanese

and a sausage sizzle on
Sunday 5th March
in conjunction with



Our Hobby
Expo.
There will
also be a

trading table
at the Hobby Expo.

Cakes, biscuits, any craft or
Hobby items welcome.
Also anyone who is willing to
bake scones or biscuits for
morning / afternoon tea please
let Gloria know (0417876776)

Future sausage sizzles will be in
March and June. If you can
help with any other months
please contact Yvonne in the
office.



TOURS FOR THE MURRAY HEIGHTS LUTHERAN VILLAGE

MONDAY March 6th 2017

Bus Departing MH Village Centre 8:30am

Tour takes approx. 90 minutes

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Cost of the tour alone is \$20 per person, lunch at own cost at the Tea Tree Gully pub.

Please be aware - Additional cost the bus yet to be advised.

Contact Village office for more details 8532 4260
no later than Friday 24th February



If these walls could talk

The stories that have unfolded inside Adelaide Gaol are a fascinating insight into the city's history.




Concordia Kindergarten are inviting members of our Lutheran congregations to consider donating a bible to a child at Concordia Kindergarten.

This year 106 new children have started. Each of these children will be presented with a bible in early March.

Bibles have been purchased for \$15 each. Any donations would be gratefully received. Donors will be invited to participate in giving out the bibles to the children.

Friends of Lutheran Archives


Those were the days . . .
What memories those camps invoke in us! Did you meet your spouse at a Youth Camp?

Pastor David Eckermann will be the guest speaker at the FOLA gathering on Monday 27th February 7.30 pm at Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place in the city.

David has been involved in Youth, singles and camp ministry for many years & has a wealth of knowledge about those camps. All welcome & gold coin donation

Lutheran ARCHIVES
Preserving our story

Rosters



From April on a new system will be trialled. We are asking you to put down your name on the roster list on the dates you wish to fill.

You are able to let Yvonne know in the office and she can put your name down or the list will be available in the church foyer on Sunday mornings.

Any feedback please pass onto Yvonne.
Thank you!

19 February 2017

show love to those who are unkind to you and pray for them.



Growing FAITH at home

Seventh Sunday after Epiphany
WHITE is the colour of purity, light and completeness.

White is used in all festivals of our Lord, (The Baptism of Jesus, Epiphany, Trinity etc) and this represents the purity, majesty and splendor of God.

FAITH 5

creative response

verse for the week
'You have heard people say, 'Love your neighbours and hate your enemies.' But I tell you to love your enemies and pray for anyone who mistreats you.'
MATTHEW 5:43-44

epiphany
mealtIME prayer
Gracious Father, be with us as we share this meal.
Amen.



share

Your highs and lows of the day, or respond to the following question:
How were you drawn to God today? Through a friend, an event, a book, the beauty of nature?



read

Daily Bible Readings

S	Matthew 5:38-48	Jesus teaches about love
M	Exodus 22:21-27	Compassion for neighbours
T	Proverbs 3:27-35	Showing good to neighbours
W	Matthew 7:1-5,9-12	The Golden Rule
T	Luke 6:27-36	Be merciful as God is merciful
F	Romans 12:9-21	Caring for the enemy
S	Proverbs 16:1-8	Living God's way
S	Matthew 17:1-9	Jesus shines on a mountain



talk

- When do you find it easy to show love? When is it hard to show love?
- Jesus tells us that we should not only love those who love us, but love those who treat us badly and pray for them. How can we show love to people who hurt us?
- Why do some people dislike Christians?



pray

The prayer for the week

Spirit of God, come and dwell in our home and in our hearts. Give us love for God and others. Amen. (Matthew 5:43-46)

And for your highs and lows, for your family and for the world.



bleSS

Share this week's blessing (below) or make up your own.

May the Spirit of God live in you and fill you with God's love and wisdom. Amen.

Jesus tells us to love one another, and we shouldn't hurt those who hurt us. Instead he tells us to love them and pray for them.

Think about someone who disagrees with you, ask God to bless them with good things and give them a new heart and new spirit. Ask God to help you see them through his eyes, and to teach you how to love them.

Some ways that you could show God's love:

Write a letter or card to someone who has hurt you.

Do something kind for someone who has been unkind to you.

So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God..

1 CORINTHIANS 10:31(NIV)

**Christ Church Lutheran
and Zion Monarto**

2017

Hobby Expo

9AM-5PM
SATURDAY 4TH MARCH &
10AM-3PM
SUNDAY 5TH MARCH

**John Dohler Hall
Swanport Road, Murray Bridge**

**Entry: Gold Coin Donation
Proceeds to Teen Challenge**

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE PHONE:
GLORIA POHL: 0417 876 776
DENISE LOHMEYER: 0488 310 277
BELINDA JOPPICH: 0402 311 273

What is this **Hobby Expo** all about?

Photography - Telescopic / Digital. See how easy it is to Photoshop your digital prints and publish them in an Album.

See how **Old Work Tools** can be restored

What can be done with **Old Farmyard Junk**?

Interested in researching your **Family history** on **Ancestry.com**?

See a collection of Family History Books.

See a **Collection** of all things old and new.

Why do we save used **Postage Stamps**?

Restored Classic Cars—read their history.

Remember the old craft of **Spinning and Weaving**?

Watch how it is done.

Artistry Signature Bears—come find out more!

Model Trains, Sewing, Knitting, Tatting, Embroidery Wooden Toys & more.

Children's Activities

Card Making —small cost

Be **entertained** with Workshops, Demonstrations, Music and Singing. Come join us for a Devonshire morning tea, Light Lunch or afternoon tea.