

BEAUTIFUL

Outlaw

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The Theme for our services are being based on the Bible studies 'Beautiful Outlaw'. The Participant guides have been included with the bulletin weekly.

All groups, families, couples, friends, individuals are encouraged to use this bible study.

DVD's of the 'Beautiful Outlaw' by John Eldredge are available from the office along with the Leaders and participant guides. Denise will also have the book available to purchase.

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3rd Sunday of Easter
30th April 2017

Peter replied. "Each of you must repent of your sins and turn to God, and be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins."



Then you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. This promise is to you, and to your children, and even to the Gentiles all who have been called by the Lord our God."

Acts 2 v38-39

Reaching out with the Love of Jesus that All may Know, Worship & 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-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.

Special welcome to the **Salem** congregation who are worshipping with Monarto today.

Shalom Friendship Group

Tuesday 2nd May 7pm
1 Samuel 25
1 Rivergum Close

Singles Luncheon

7th May
Riverside Hotel, Tailem Bend
Meet at Hugo Stiller Building
at **12:15pm**
for Transport Arrangements

Can you Help?

We need volunteers to help to run the monthly sausage sizzles. If you can help please contact Yvonne in the office on 8532 6553.
Looking forward to hearing from you!



Thank you to everyone who donated money for Bibles for the Kindy children. There is still a shortfall of around \$500 to cover the costs.

If you would like to donate please place in a marked envelope with offerings or pass onto the office or the Kindy or Heather Courtney.

Thank You!



Rosters

♥ "COMMUNION"

		7th May	14th May	21st May	
Monarto	Service Time	10.30am ♥	9am	10.30am ♥	
	Wardens	Barolo Family	Haydn & Penne	Colin & Raelene	
	Readers	Terry F	Barolo	Rob T	
	Tea Coffee		Haydn & Penne		
Christ Church	9am	Elder/Assist	J.Pohl ♥	W. Doecke	I.Kluge ♥
		Wardens	V.Spencer I Kluge	A & D.Hampel	J & G.Pohl
		Readers	C.Coulter	C. Mattner	V. Spencer
		Greeters	C.Mattner J Rosenzweig	A & R Grieger	M. Warnest M. Jenke
		Organist	Joyce	June	Alison
		Flowers	C. Mattner	I. Schulte	T. Lees
		Tea/coffee/milk	M Warnest J Pope	J & D.Lienert Yolette	L. Penhall H. Schubert
		PA	David	David	David
		Data Projector	D Hampel	C.Doecke	C. Mattner
	10:45am	Elder/Assist	M. Jaensch	D.Pfeiffer ♥	
		Wardens	D & J Lienert Yolette	V & P. Jaensch	J. Brodde
		Readers	L Schiller	L Zadow	M Schultz
		Greeters	R. Schrapel	Miegel family	M & G.Schultz
		Music		Band	
		Prayers	K.Schrapel	Pastor Tim	D.Schiller
		PA	N. Mann	N.Mann	Roger
		Data Projector	T Piltz	K Rance	Y Stiller
		Counter	G Korzeba	D Schiller	V Jaensch
		Sunday School			
Leader					
Helper					
Grounds Roster	Yolette	Yolette	Yolette		
Water & Care	Yolette	Yolette	J.Schirmner		

Coming Week ...

Readings: Acts 2:14a,36-41 1 Peter 1:17-23 Luke 24:13-35

Mon	1st May	9:30am	Cards and Coffee
Tues	2nd May	4pm 7pm 7:30pm	English lessons Ed Cen Shalom Group, 1 Rivergum Close Worship Team, Ed Cen
Wed	3rd May	9:30am 10am 7pm	Service Guild Senior Care, Church of Christ Cafe Confirmation, Christ Church
Thurs	4th May	10am 10am	Bible Study Bulletin notices due
Sun	7th May	9am 10:15am 10:45am 10:30am	Christ Church Communion Time for Prayer - Cave Worship Monarto Communion

COMING EVENTS

May	12th	7pm Youth meet at JDHall
	15-18th	Red Cross - JDHall
	20th	LCA SA/NT District One Day Synod, Golden Grove
	20th	2017 LWSA/NT Convention, Hahndorf
	21st	Talent & Gifts Expo
	25-28th	Men's Bootcamp, Normanville
June	24th	10am Organists Meet & Swap, Mannum
July	1st	School Chaplaincy Trivia Night
	17-21st	CLW Camp, Karnkendi, Nelson
Dec	8-10th	Christmas Tree Festival



Coming soon!

Christian Life Week Camp
17-21st July

Karnkendi Camp, Nelson

Christian Life Week is a 5 day camp for youth in years 8-12 who are ready to have the time of their life. It's an accepting environment to learn more about yourself, others and God. It's an opportunity to take a step back from life and discover what really matters to you. You'll experience small group studies, worship times and speakers as well as epic games and challenges!

2017 Theme

"Stand Firm"

More details coming soon!

Can you help!

We are looking for a volunteer to be the Christ Church representative on the Murray Bridge Community Christmas Carols organising team. If you would like to be involved please contact the church office. Thank you!



Service Guild meeting
Wed 3rd May 9:30am
Ed Centre
Devotion: Julie Mueller

From the Leadership Team

Four week ago we received a letter from the executors of the estate of the late Mrs Joan Neumann advising us of bequests of \$80601.62 to Christ Church Lutheran and 80601.62 to the Lutheran Homes. The letter included that Christ Church donate a portion to Resthaven in appreciation of the care she received while there. Leadership will prayerfully consider how God is calling us to use this gift to Reach out with the love of Jesus that all may Know Worship and Grow in Christ. Leadership will keep the congregation informed of what we feel God has revealed to us.

Saturday 20th May

- ⇒ LCA SA/NT District one Day Synod, Golden Grove
- ⇒ 2017 LWSA/NT Convention, Hahndorf



Blended Not Shaken

Christian stepfamily Ministry

NEW Christian support group for single and step mums begins on

THURSDAY, MAY 18th from 10.30am-12noon
Location: 327 Coffee Shop at MB Church of Christ
32 Seventh Street. Contact Karina Hudson –
karina@blendednotshaken.com.au for more info.
Find out more about the ministry by visiting the
website www.blendednotshaken.com.au

CHANGE OF DATE



2017 "Organists Meet and Swap" will now be held on
SATURDAY JUNE 24TH at St
Martins Lutheran Church,
82 Cliff St., Mannum
10am to 3pm.

Optional extra River Paddle Boat Cruise
3:30pm to 5pm

Cost : \$12 students free (Cruise extra)
The superb PROGRAM is unchanged.

PLEASE REGISTER by WED JUNE 14TH
For PROGRAM, REGISTRATION FORMS in-
cluding Cruise information please contact Joy
Mildren - 0458 650 135 or 8367 9969, joymildren@hotmail.com or your check your church
noticeboard.

~ Confirmation ~

Next
Confirmation is
Wednesday
3rd May
7pm at
Christ Church



~ 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. 5:16-18

- Please pray for all the children, teachers, support workers and volunteers as school goes back tomorrow. Pray for the following Kindy students: Harper, Emily, Jake, Isaac & Kate..
- Dear Jesus, help me to quit waking up with a complaining spirit, an attitude and dwelling on yesterday's problems. Instead change my complaining to thanksgiving, my attitude to love and to turn my problems over to you.
- Dear Lord, Help me to face this world knowing this is not all there is, that this suffering will one day pass, knowing that you have written the story, that you are bringing me home, that Jesus came to bring me out of darkness. Lord, please write the story in me, always, until I see you face to face
- Lord God, We ask for God's blessings for Mary Schenscher (Home) Rita (Jallaharah Homes) & Keith (Hosp) Faehrmann both at Meningie, Chris Herbig, Sandra Thiele, Bruno Lablack, Henk Visser, Dawn Jaensch, Joyleen Stiller, Roy Traeger & 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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| 2/5 | Matthew Doecke, Sonia Hein |
| 4/5 | Margaret Warnest |
| 6/5 | Kate Frahn |





Each Sunday there will be an opportunity to get together between services for prayer in the cave at 10:15am.



Kairos Prison Ministry

17th - 20th October

Kairos is a community-based Christian ministry that reaches out to male and female inmates, saying "You have a choice." It operates in men's and women's correctional centres around Australia, and is based on a 3 to 5 day 'Short Course' run inside the centre by a team of highly trained volunteers. The inmates who take part in **Kairos** can choose whether they want to attend or not. The program is completely voluntary.

We are seeking

Billets - Can you provide a bed for the night for the Leaders and volunteers who will be involved in the Kairos Prison Ministry Short Course in October?

If you can help with this please contact

Pastor Tim or Christ Church office on 8532 6553.

NATIONAL DAY to REMEMBER



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Those who have died because of Domestic and Family Violence with a
Candle Lighting Ceremony

Wednesday 3rd May
4pm - 4.30pm

Between the Bunyip and Riverscape at Sturt Reserve, Murray Bridge

Sharing the News

If you have any items for the next Sharing the News please get them to me by Tues 2nd May. Many thanks.

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DVD'S

From the Hobby Expo and Easter Services are available. Please contact the office if you would like a copy

GIVING BLOOD FEELS GOOD

Every donation can save three lives.

The Blood Service Mobile Blood Donor Centre will be visiting:

Monday 15 May 1.00pm – 7.00pm
Tuesday 16 May 11.00am – 7.30pm
Wednesday 17 May 11.00am – 7.30pm

Make an appointment today
131495 or donateblood.com.au

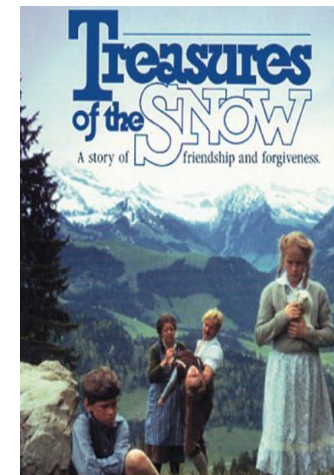
Holy Cross Movie Night

Friday 5th May
7pm in Concordia Hall, (cnr Florence & Charles Sts)
Entry gold coin donation - Light supper



Treasures of the Snow

13-year-old Lucien is traumatized and ostracized by causing his friend Danny to fall off a cliff. As he finds solitude in the nearby woods, Lucien comes across a woodcarver who helps him find the peace he was looking for.



All Welcome



YOUTH

Christ Church and Holy Cross Youth are invited to meet together on Friday May 12th 7pm in JDHall for fun, fellowship and pizza.

We will continue to meet every 2nd Friday and 4th Sunday of the month. Would you like to be involved in



The Leprosy Mission
Australia

invite you to a light lunch with
Dr Trevor & Heather Smith
Thailand - a current perspective
Tues 9th May 11:30am
Uniting Church Hall M/Bridge
RSVP 2nd May
See notice board for more info

Men's Retreat

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/>

REPENT AND BE
BAPTIZED

Women`s Guild Meeting
May 10th 1.15pm
Travel Talk by John Cockshell

Devotion: I Mann
Musician: J Ahrens
Hostesses: V Zerk, S Fiegert
Gift Table: C Schache
Offering: Convention

Bring seeds and small gardening tools to meeting

L W S A Convention at St Michael`s Hahndorf at 9.30am 20th May



See the notice board for this week's LCC bulletin news, for more information contact the church office

INVITATION

The Karoonda Lutheran Ladies Guild

invites

Murray Bridge Women`s Guild

Men Welcome

to our Luncheon on Tues 9th May

in the Karoonda Bowling Club
Railway Tce Karoonda

Time 12 noon - Admission \$12

Guest Speaker Catherine Peter

"A younger Women`s journey
with Breast cancer"

Trading Table

RSVP 1st May
to Eleanor Waldhuter 8531 0445

**Talent
and gifts
expo**

**will be held
on Sunday
May 21st**

**more
details to
come**

30 April 2017
 The risen Lord
 Jesus comes
 alongside us in our
 journeys of faith.



Growing FAITH at home

Third Sunday of Easter
 The colour of Easter is WHITE or GOLD for victory, glory and majesty.



creative response

A dramatic contrast occurs on Easter Day where the mood changes to one of festivity, flowers, greenery, additional candles and other decorations. This is the day that we joyfully celebrate Jesus' victory over death and the joy of the empty tomb.



share

Your highs and lows of the day, or respond to the following question:
Did you bring Christ to your community today? Did they bring Christ to you?



read

Daily Bible Readings

S	Luke 24:13-35	On the road to Emmaus
M	Genesis 18:1-14	Abraham & Sarah eat with God
T	Exodus 24:1-11	Moses eats with God
W	John 21:1-14	Jesus eats with his disciples
T	1 Corinthians 11:23-29	Recognising the Lord's body
F	John 5:24-26, 37-40	The Scriptures testify to Christ
S	Psalms 36:5-10	Feasting on God's riches
S	John 10:1-10	Christ the shepherd



talk

- What makes you sad? What cheers you up?
- The two men walking to Emmaus were feeling sad. What turned their sadness into joy?
- Have you experienced Jesus alongside you when times have been difficult? How has he supported you?



pray

The prayer for the week

Lord Jesus, please walk with us today. Give us the faith to see you beside us. Amen. (Luke 24:15, 30-31)

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 Lord walk with you today and always. Amen.

Jesus came alongside two of his followers in their sorrow and brought them joy.

Plan a visit to someone in your congregation or community who would appreciate some company. Prepare a plate of treats to take with you.

Go for a walk together as a household. As you walk, invite each person to share how and where they "see" Jesus in their lives.



verse for the week

Because of what Christ has done, you believe in God. It was God who raised him from the dead. And it was God who gave him glory. So your faith and hope are in God.

1 PETER 1:21

easter mealtime prayer

Come and stay with us, Lord Jesus. Be with us as we eat, share and serve. Amen.