

Have you heard about the other Kavel's?

Monday 28th Aug
7:30pm

John Schubert, a Kavel descendant, will share his story about 'other' members of the Kavel family & also the family of August Kavel's wife, the Pennyfeathers. Come along to the Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA) meeting, Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place in the city, Supper & gold coin donation. All welcome.

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Preserving our story



Please continue to bring in items of food to support Teen Challenge. Leave in box in church or bring into the office or to Teen Challenge direct.

Teen Challenge Thanks you for your generous giving.



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran

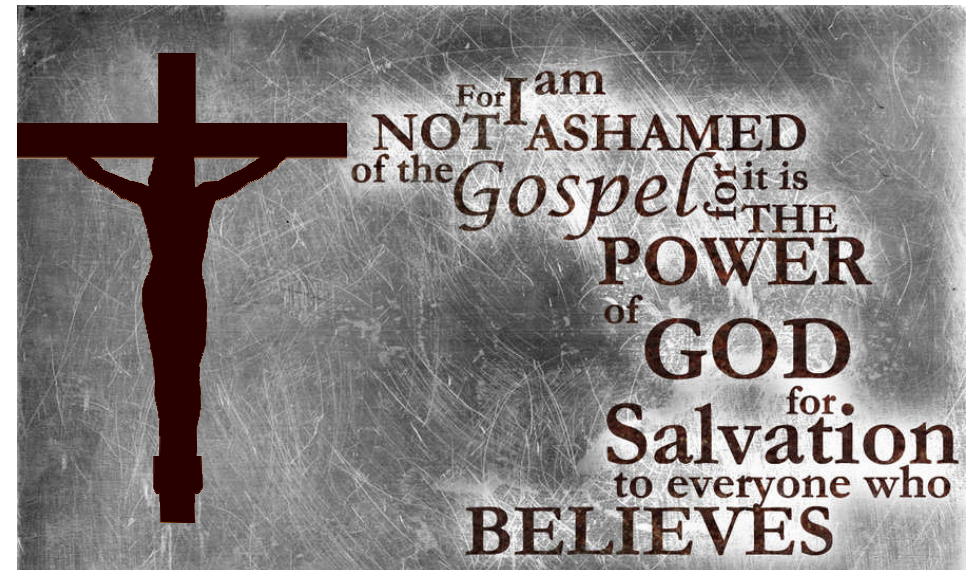
427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



11th Sunday after Pentecost
20th August 2017

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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.

THANK YOU



Thank you to
**Gerry Korzeba
& Graham Schubert**
who are leading the 2nd service at Christ Church today.

**Thank
you!**

Joyce Stiller would sincerely like to thank everybody for their phone calls and best wishes for her 80th birthday

Communion-Cuppa-Chat



The Senior Care Team are organising a Communion, Cuppa & Chat get-together on Wednesday August 23rd at 2pm in the Owl Drive Lutheran Homes Village Centre.

We are especially inviting those who receive Home Communion & welcome anyone else who would care to join us.

This is to give those who commune in isolation an opportunity to celebrate the Lord's Supper together as a Church family.

If you have queries talk to Dawn Hampel or a Senior Care Team member.

If you need transport please let Dawn (ph 8532 4138) know by Monday August 21st.

This is not replacing regular home Communion.

Rosters

♥ "COMMUNION"

		27-Aug	3-Sep	10-Sep
Monarto	Service Time	9:00 AM	10.30am ♥	9:00 AM
	Wardens	Max & Maxine	Tyson Trevor Joy	Rob & Liz
	Readers	Trevor Hilton	Haydn Hein	Pam Hilton
	Tea Coffee	T Franklin		P&T Hilton
9am	Elder/Assist	J Pohl	I Kluge ♥	D Hampel
	Wardens	V Spencer I Kluge	J&G Pohl	M&D Schopp
	Readers	A Grieger	B Traeger	B Lablack
	Greeters	A&R Grieger	J Bahr H Visser	J Walker J Pope
	Organist	June	Alison	Glynniss
	Flowers	F Hampel	J Zanker	J Ahrns
	Tea/coffee/milk	B & L Doecke	D Borchartd B Zadow	J Kluge S Fiegert
	PA	Wes	David	David
	Data Projector	D Hampel	C Beaglehall	B Frahn
	Christ Church	Elder/Assist	G Schubert ♥	G Schubert
Wardens		D Doecke Polly	D&J Lienert Yolette	P&V Jaensch
Readers		T Piltz	M Schultz	S Kuchel
Greeters		D&H Pfeiffer	B&J Martin	S Kuchel R Schrapel
Music				
Prayers		D Pfeiffer	K Schrapel	G Schubert
PA		Y Stiller	Nathaneal	Nathaneal
Data Projector		J Brodde	J Martin	J Hage
Counter		D Schiller	J Brodde	V Jaensch
Sunday School				
Leader	Annette	Adrian	Belinda J	
Helper	Belinda J/Sophie	Belinda J&S	Jemima/Liam	
Grounds Roster	M Schopp	M Stiller	M Stiller	
Water & Care	Yolette	Yolette	J Schirmer	

Coming Week ...

Readings: Genesis 45:1-15 Romans 11:1,2a,29-32 Matthew 15:10-28

Mon	21st Aug	9:30am 10:30am 7:30pm	Cards and Coffee at Yolette's Operation Christmas Child, Ed Cen Leadership, Ed Cen
Tues	22nd Aug	4pm	English Lessons
Wed	23rd Aug	7pm 2pm	Confirmation, Christ Church Communion-Coffee-Chat, Owl Dr
Thurs	24th Aug	10am 10am	Bible Study Bulletin notices due
Sat	26th	4pm 6pm	Pastor August Fricke, Asia Focus JDH Chaplaincy Dinner, Church of Christ
Sun	27th Aug		Christ Church
		9am	Worship
		10:15	Time of prayer in Cave
		10:45am	Communion
			Monarto
		10.30am	Worship
		2pm	Walk-a-thon, starts Sturt Reserve

COMING EVENTS

Aug	30th-1st Sep	Thrift Shop
Oct	13-14th	SENT 2017 Conference
	22nd	Reformation Sunday, Unity College
Nov	28th	Senior Care Christmas Lunch JD Hall
Dec	8-10th	Christmas Tree Festival
2018	6-12th Jan	LCA Young Adults National Retreat, Victor Harbor
	4-6th May	SA-NT District Convention of Synod



We will be following the series
'Moving Mountains'
an 8 session study by John
Eldredge from the 10th Sept.

If you would like to purchase
the book **'Moving Mountains'**
please see Denise in the book
shop - available for \$20.

Barnabas Friendship Group
Tue 22nd Aug-6pm @Schubert's
Study: **Moving Mountains**
Session 3

Congratulations to
Gordon Schultz
who celebrates his
HAPPY 70TH BIRTHDAY
70th Birthday
on Saturday 26th Aug

AND
Ron Jericho
who celebrates
his 80th on
Tuesday 22nd Aug

Congratulations to
Trent and Emily Mueller on the
safe arrival of their daughter
Rena Alma Mueller
on 13th Aug



Thank-you to the Monarto
Congregation for the great job
in running the Men's
Gathering on Sunday.



**Lutheran Men of
Australia**
Aug - Oct
NEWSLETTER
is available. Please
contact the office if
you want a copy.



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



LLL are slowly amending account numbers to remove the alpha value. Christ Churches BSB and account number will be: 704942 100311504 Please update your REG payment details by the end of the year. Thank You!



The Bible Society will be at both services at Christ Church today Sunday 20th Aug We will have a retiring offering for them on the day. They will be at Monarto on Sunday 1st October

Confirmation Class

23rd Aug
7pm
Christ Church



The next Thrift Shop is on

Wed 30th Aug
If you have any items for the thrift shop please hold onto it until then as we have no room left to store anything, Thanks



Expressions of Interest

We have had enquiries as to whether we are holding another "GARAGE SALE" in the JDH. If you are interested please contact Yolette 8532 2130 to leave your name. (No date has been set as yet)

~ 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 the following Kindy students: Lachlan, Jake, Malachi, Kaden, Kate, Elijah & Tejas.
- Father, make me so certain of salvation that I, too, will want to share it with whoever you place in my mission field. Amen.
- Please pray for Pastor James San Aung - Mission Director of Myanmar Lutheran Church. James is very sick once again and is suffering with a high fever, headache and a deep cough and he is unable to do much of his work. Pray for his recovery and that God's hand of healing rests on him. His immune system is struggling after getting tuberculosis earlier this year.
- Lord God, We ask for God's blessings for Dawn Hampel (Hosp), Grace Hill (Lerwin), Chris Herbig (Lerwin), Darryl Klose (Lerwin), Murray Piltz, Audrey Jaensch, Lores Frahn, Margaret Jenke, Sandra Thiele, Irene Kuchel, Sandra Healey, Joyleen Stiller & 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

- 20/8 Alistair Mann
- 21/8 Elsie Andriske, Darryl Klose
- 23/8 Brendan Grocke
- 24/8 Mavis Goedecke, Coralie Mattner
- 26/8 Gary Beauglehall, Joshua Kirpensteyn



**Parents of children 11 years and older
who would like to be admitted to
Holy Communion:**

*The program will run at 7:00pm on
Wednesdays 18th and 25th October and 1st November.*
Please contact Pastor Tim or Pastor Greg if your child
would like to be part of the program.



WALK-A-THON



Fundraising walk for Refugees.

**Starting at Sturt Reserve; Along part of the Lavender Federa-
tion Trail and Jail Break Trail and finishing at the Murray
Heights Lutheran Homes with a BBQ tea.**

Sunday 27th August

Sponsorship forms available from the church office

Walk all of it or part of it

More details available from Christ Church office 8532 6553

***If you can help with transport on the day please
contact the church office 8532 6553***

All money raised goes to ALWS



**Australian
Lutheran
World Service**

YOUTH

Christ Church and Holy Cross
Youth are invited to meet
together for **fun and fellowship**

Next meeting:
Sunday 27th Aug

WALK-A-THON



Would you like to be involved in
any way? Please contact the
church office.

Operation Christmas Child

Morning Tea
You are invited!

Mon 21 Aug
10:30-12pm

Christ Church Lutheran
Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Special Guest: Heather Jesshope
OCC State Manager SA&NT

Light refreshments provided

Enquiries 1800 684 300

MONDAY

Thankyou and Can you Help?

Many thanks to Glo-
ria Pohl for volun-
teering to help on
Wed mornings at
Concordia Playgroup. What a
blessing she is to the families at
Playgroup. Thanks too to Col-
leen from Lerwin who also vol-
unteered to help. Colleen will be
praying for the kindy children
and staff.

I am sure that Gloria would wel-
come any helpers in the next 4
weeks - Playgroup is lots of fun -
not too strenuous, so just come
along for an hour or two 9-11am
23rd & 30th August
6th & 13th September
*Jim and I will enjoy our holiday,
Heather Courtney*



Packing Prayers And Love Into Shoeboxes



Have you started to get items
ready for your shoebox - if you
need ideas please contact the
church office
we have shoeboxes available

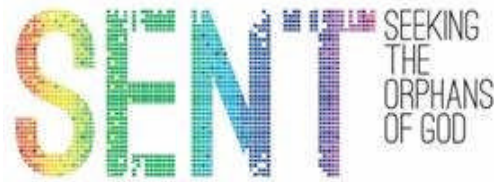
From the Leadership Team

**We are in desperate
need of wardens for
the second service.**

If you can light candles and
lock doors we need you
now!

If you can help please
contact the office.

Congregation Meeting
on 13th August agreed we
donate \$10,000 to
Asia Focus to help the
people in South Sudan



SENT 2017 CONFERENCE Adelaide – 13 & 14 Oct 2017

Register: www.lca.org.au/sent
Friday 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm
Saturday 9.00 am – 4.00 pm

Registration: \$65 (lunch included)

**{ Christ Church will pay \$50
towards any members
wishing to attend! }**

Come and see, hear, imagine, dream
and be refreshed with an ever
growing network of people engaged
in local mission and church planting
at **SENT 2017**.

Men - Created for Adventure

5 nights left to explore God's script when he created you as man
STORY ADVENTURE COMMUNICATION
BATTLE RESTORATION WOMAN

Wed nights 7:30-9:30pm

Aug 23 30 Sep 6

St Michael's, 3 Balhannah Rd Hahndorf

**Need a ride? Contact Delton Schiller, he is going each
week leaving around 6:30pm (0418 896 803)**



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**Tuesday
September 26th
at 1:30pm**

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ROBYN'S FASHIONS

Murray Heights Village Centre

Friday 1st September @2pm

All Very Welcome

~ Gold coin donation ~

Small plate of afternoon tea to share would be appreciated

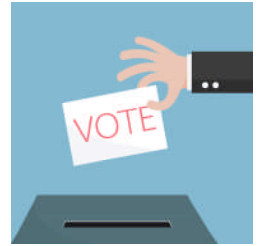


Sizes Available 8 to 26



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Jesus.

We face a challenge with the Plebiscite on legalising same sex marriage. I'd encourage you to vote and not assume your vote doesn't count. As a follower of Jesus, I trust his view because I know not only that he loves me, and would never lie to me, but he's also God. I think that he knows what he's talking about.



By the way, please don't miss that part of the agenda here is asking the question; who's God. Of course the devil will have a field day whispering in people's ears that God can't be trusted. The devil is still using the same technique he used with Adam and Eve and in his temptation of Jesus.

What does Jesus say about marriage: "But God made them male and female from the beginning of creation. This explains why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife and the two are united into one. Since they are no longer two but one, let no one split apart what God has joined together." (Mark 10:6-9) Notice that this is not a message of hate, but Jesus pointing people to the life his Father gives.

Jesus calls us to follow him, trusting him with our lives, letting him determine our sexuality; not just our sex but how we give expression to our sexuality.

I invite you to be praying to Jesus for his wisdom, love and courage as you consider this decision.

Jesus has come to seek and save the lost, the devil comes to steal and kill and destroy. Jesus comes that we might have life to the full in him.

Pastor Tim

This Saturday

Introduction Pastor August Fricke - Asia Focus Australia
Saturday 26th August at 4.00 p.m.
JD Hall Christ Church, Murray Bridge

Pastor August Fricke, the CEO of Asia Focus who is going to do a presentation on the amazing mission work of Asia Focus Australia in SE Asia and other parts of the world, including Sudan.

After the presentation there will be a bring and share tea put on by Christ Church members.

Visitors from outside MB please contact Yvonne at Christ Church office to advise your attendance. 8532 6553.


For further information contact Dianne & Ian Kluge
0427 313 537 or 8531 3449 Home.

<p>See the notice board for this week's LCC bulletin news, for more information contact the church office</p>	<p>LCC Winter Appeal envelopes are in the church foyer</p>  <p>LUTHERAN community care</p>
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You're Invited. Thursday 4pm Unit 22, 7 Duldig Rd (at Marcus Jaensch's unit)

Pastor Tim, Graham Schubert and Marcus Jaensch would like to invite you to join them on the SOAP adventure. We'd love to have you join us as we seek to draw close to God through his word, sharing with each other what we feel the Spirit has impressed on us through our reading and reflection.

SOAP is a tool designed to help with regular reading of the bible, so that you might be open to the Spirit's guiding in your life. S = Scripture. O = Observe. A = Application. P = Prayer.




The goal is to be open to hear and follow Jesus letting him shape our lives. The goal is to support and encourage each other.

If you're interested grab a SOAP reading guide. Read what you can; if you miss a day, just pick up and reflect on the reading for the day. Read, reflect and jot down your thoughts. When we get together we reflect on what we have heard through the reading.

If you'd like to find out more or ask a few questions just grab one of us, we'd love to share with you.

Murray Bridge Inter-Church Council
Ministry In Schools Task Group



Chaplaincy Dinner

Supporting Ministry in Schools
Proceeds to support young people in our school community

Guest Speaker: Mr Paul Hodgson
Regional Coordinator Schools Ministry Group

Special Event: Our PS Workers (Chaplains) will share what's happening in their schools

Tickets: \$25

**Available from Church of Christ Bookshop,
Uniting Church Office, Christchurch Lutheran
Church Office**


Includes a three course meal

**Date: Saturday August 26th
6pm for a 6:30pm start**

**Venue: Murray Bridge Church of Christ
32 Seventh Street Murray Bridge**

Coming events from other locations

Reformation 500 Concert,
Tanunda Sat 28th Oct 2pm -
more info at
www.barossaconvention.org
Bookings on 8561 4299



This will be Marie's last newsletter so if you are interested in taking over then please talk to Marie or see Yvonne in the Office.

20 August 2017

Faith in Jesus
is always
rewarded.



Growing FAITH at home

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost
The colour of the season is GREEN to remind us of growth, life and hope.

Sunday's after Pentecost represent 'time of the church' – During the season between Christmas and Lent, we focus on the work of the Church in the world, Jesus' message to us, and our growth in Christ.



creative response

The prophet Isaiah declared God's intention to make his house a "house of prayer for all nations" (Isaiah 56:7).

Use this creative prayer idea to make your home a "house of prayer" for others. Pass around a bag or bowl of M&Ms (or equivalent sweet) when your household gathers for prayer. Let each person take a handful, but don't let anyone eat them yet. Explain that the colour of the M&Ms will indicate the direction of your prayers.

Lead your household in prayer using this guide:

For every red M&M, pray for a member of your family by name.

For every green M&M, pray for a friend or neighbour.

For every orange M&M, pray for a teacher in your life.

For every yellow M&M, pray for someone in need.

For every brown M&M, pray for a leader in your life.

For every blue M&M, pray for Christians in other places.

For any other colour, offer a prayer of your choice!

verse for the week

The Lord says, "Hold on to what is right and fair. Do what is right and good. My saving power will soon come."

ISAIAH 56:1

mealtime prayer

Lord, we give you praise and gratitude, for food and drink and family too. And also for a roof above, but most of all for your great love. Amen.



share

Your highs and lows of the day, or respond to the following question:
Did you meet God today? In your fears, joys, work, school, misunderstandings, suffering?



read

Daily Bible Readings

S	Matthew 15:21-28	A woman's faith
M	2 Kings 5:1-14	The foreigner Naaman is healed
T	Matthew 8:1-13	Jesus heals many people
W	Acts 14:19-28	God opens the door to Gentiles
T	Acts 15:1-21	Believing Jews accept the Gentiles
F	Romans 11:13-27	God saves Jews and Gentiles
S	Psalms 87	Foreigners praise God in Zion
S	Matthew 16:13-20	Peter's confession of Christ



talk

- Share about a time when you trusted someone to help you. Was your trust rewarded?
- Jesus said that the Canaanite woman who came to him had "great faith" (read Matthew 15:21-28). How did she show her faith? How was her faith rewarded?
- Finish this sentence: "I am placing my trust in Jesus to ..."



pray

The prayer for the week

Lord Jesus, help us to show great faith in you. Thank you for hearing us and helping us. Amen. (Matthew 15:25,28)

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 God show loving kindness towards you and bring good to you. May he make his face shine upon you. Amen.

Holy Cross Lutheran Church *presents*



SUNDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER

LUNCH AND CONCERT

\$20 PER PERSON

Lunch 12 pm for 12.15 start

LUNCH ONLY

\$10 per person

CONCERT ONLY

\$10 per person

Concert commences at 2 pm

Includes afternoon tea

Tickets available from Annette Pearce 0419 812 976 AH

Roy and Velma Zerk 8532 5611

or at the door



NEXT MEN'S GATHERING

FRIDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER

6:30-9PM AT MATT WOIDT'S

61 CARTER RD, SWANPORT RD

Come along for a burger, fire and a chinwag with other men from our area

All welcome - bring a mate, Fathers bring your sons

Ian Kluge, (member at Christ church) Local Footy umpire extraordinaire and recently retired police officer will share his stories of being a Christian in the force and his journey of faith

Please RSVP to Matt Woidt 0419 033 859

or Christ Church office 8532 6553

Coming Up:

Oct 18th "Men's" Breakfast with presentation by Jeremy Hawkes, Bowhill Engineering

Nov 24th tea at JDH

