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# **SERVICES**

### Sunday 25th June

9am Holy Cross HC *morning tea and trading table after service* 10.30am Christ Church Family Church *Hall) morning tea from 10am, soup after service* 

10.30am Monarto HC

# Sunday 2nd July

9am Monarto HC *Morning tea after service* 9am Christ Church HC (Church) *Cuppa from 10am* 

10.30am Christ Church HC (Hall)

10.30am Holy Cross LR Morning tea from 9.45am

July ~ Retiring offering for Myanmar Mission at all services

<u>REG:</u> Christ Church	Holy Cross	Music Ministry
BSB 704942	BSB 704942	BSB 704942
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If you would like to be included in our Prayers or have your Birthday, Anniversary or any other special occasion announced in the fortnightly Newsletter, please email or call either church office.



# Murray Valley Lutheran Community

# Friday 23rd June 2023

**Christ Church** 31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge Holy Cross 31 Florence St Murray Bridge **Zion Monarto** 427 Schenscher Rd Monarto

Welcome to all worshipping with us today

#### Augsburg on 25 June 1530.

This Sunday we recognise our foundational confession: The Augsburg Confession.

This confession was drafted by Luther and others and finally collated and delivered to the Roman Emperor, Charles V, at the Diet of Augsburg, A.D. 1530, by Phillip Melanchthon. The Augsburg Confession was intended to be a unifying confession of faith between Roman Catholics and Lutherans in the face of the imminent threat of the Ottoman Empire (Islam). There are 28 articles stating very clearly the Lutheran position on all matters of faith. Eg: Article IV: *Justification: We teach that people cannot be justified before God by their own strength, merits or works, but are freely justified for Christ's sake through faith, when they believe that they are received into favour and that their sins are forgiven for Christ's sake, who by His death has made satisfaction for our sins. This faith God accounts as righteousness in His sight. Rom. 3 and 4.* 

# PRAYER:

- ✤ Pray for the homeless in Murray Bridge and surrounding areas, that they may find shelter, have warmth and food during this cold period.
- Pray for those who have financial issues, or no work and finding it difficult to face everyday issues.
- Pray for those living close to the sea in Myanmar and for the Lutheran Church and the people in Rakhine state (Myanmar) and Bangladesh, who have been affected by the Cyclone Mocha, through loss of home, work, clothing, food and safety.

All Welcome – come along and join in the fellowship of these groups Cut off for notices sent to either Office is Wednesday 10am for the Newsletter and midday on Thursdays for the Bulletin.

#### Weekly:

- Mon: 9:30am ~ Cards and Coffee, Ed Centre, Christ Church 1:30pm ~ Bible Study, Holy Cross
- Wed: 9am ~ Holy Cross Paper shed open
  9:30am ~ Crafty Capers, Holy Cross
  4pm ~ MVLC Prayer Time, Christ Church (in the church)
  Fri: 10am ~ Time Out at 10 ~ July: JD Hall ; August: Concordia Hall
- Sat 1.30pm ~ Cards at Concordia Hall

#### **ROSTERS**

#### **MONARTO**

25th June:Warden: J&H Courtney2nd July:Warden: Haydn & PenneCuppa: Jan & Klaus Brodde

Reader: R Wegener Reader: T Franklin

	Sunday 25 June 9am H/Cross	Sunday 25 June 10.30am C/Church	Sunday 2 July 9am C/Church	Sunday 2 July 10.30am C/Church	Sunday 2 July 10.30am H/Cross
PA/Servers/	L	J Traeger	J Traeger	G Schubert	N/A
Altar Guild	Rosenzweig				
Greeters	A Pearce M Woidt	C Coulter J Herrmann	D Schmerl C Coulter	M & R Herrmann	A Pearce
Wardens	Joanne	G Pohl	J & G Pohl	I Kluge	K Lienert
/Ushers	Pfeiffer	D Doecke		H Delany	M Woidt
	G Herrmann			-	
Readers	A Pearce	J Traeger	J Pohl	L Zadow	A Pearce
PA / Data	L & J Wiencke	Tamra Chris B	Gary B Volunteer	T Lees	B Kuchel
Video	T Hanckel	Ron			N/A
Musician	J Kuchel		C Mattner		H Carroll
Bell	B Kuchel				B Kuchel
Morning	V Zerk	M&R	D Kluge M S		M Steinert
Теа	R Packer	Herrmann	C Be	auglehall	C Schache
Counter		Gary	Gary B	Delton	
Flowers	A Pearce		J	Mann	K Pfeiffer
Water &		J&H	Т	Koch	
Care		Schirmer			
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#### **Diary Dates:**

- 24th 5-6pm ~ Music Ministry & Murray Bridge Children's Choir @ The Steeple, Unity College
- 29th 10.30am ~ Lerwin Ecumenical Service
- 30th 1pm ~ Holy Cross Service Guild meeting @ HC meeting room

#### July

- 1st 8am ~ 5G Mens Bible Study @ Longriders
- 4th 11am ~ Resthaven Ecumenical Service (please note change of date)

2pm ~ Romani Ecumenical Service led by Church of Christ

- 4pm ~ Holy Cross Pastoral Care Team meet
- 7th 6pm ~ Youth @ The Cave, JD Hall
- 8th 4-6.30pm ~ DanceSA @ Concordia Hall

#### 25th June Readings

Holy Cross and Monarto: Psalm 138; Isaiah 55: 6-11; 1 Timothy 6: 11-16; Matthew 10: 26-33 Christ Church: Romans 6: 1-11

# **Baptismal Birthday Celebrations**

	Lorna Hein Joyce Herrmann Luke Kirpensteyn	-	Ashton Schubert Bruno Lablack
	Bruce Kuchel Shirley Schubert		Pastor Andy Gierus Merrilyn Smith
28th	Daisy Patritti Stefan Franklin	2nd	Isla White Nicholas Law

#### Pray for

- \* Kath McAlister as she settles into Romani Residential Aged Care
- ✤ Bob Gerlach as he celebrates his 80th birthday on 25th June
- For the five people and their families that died in the submersible near the Titanic wreck; that they feel God's grace peace that only God can give. For those who were engaged in the rescue efforts, for their safety and courage.