



GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH



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8am to 1pm**

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11th April 2021—Second Sunday of Easter

Please join us this Sunday at our 9.30am or 6.30pm services or in our livestreamed Service—9.30am

May we all be encouraged and strengthened in our faith through the Word of God.

Café Connect will be open following both services. ALL WELCOME!!



Being Generous

‘All the believers were one in heart and mind. No one claimed that any of their possessions was their own, but they shared everything they had. Acts 4:32

Australians are known for their generosity. Whenever there is a crisis or disaster, most people will donate to assist those affected if not roll up their sleeves and provide physical help. Being part of the ‘lucky country’ means that most people have been blessed sufficiently to share a little with those who are doing it tough. Many of the things that are cherished in Australia, such as Medicare, seek to provide equality of

outcome in important areas of life.

The community of the disciples after the resurrection was the epitome of generosity. For the followers of Jesus, all things were gifts from God to be used for his purpose and the welfare of others. Private property wasn’t hoarded or even desired, rather mission, faith and love were sought. This type of generosity is unusual as it means that each person needs to trust others completely and trust the providence of God. What we see in the early church is the generosity and sacrifice of the disciples bearing much fruit and the kingdom of God thriving.

It is hard to imagine any group of believers living together and sharing all their possessions these days. But we can be inspired by the faith and obedience of the first disciples and learn from their willingness to trust one another and to trust God. Being generous is a testament to God’s generosity.

Pastor Greg



Readings This Week:

**Acts 4:32-35
1 John 1:1-2:2
John 20:19-31**

DOWNLOAD WEEKLY READINGS HERE



Kids at Heart

During the service this week, we will be looking at the theme

“The Disciple’s Joy”

Remember to continue to send in your weekly artwork submissions. Visit www.gglc.org.au or click link

CLICK HERE

Do you have a prayer request???

Email to:

prayer_request@gglc.org.au



E-Mail

Worship Opportunities

Sunday 11th April	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Worship Salt Factory Service with HC
Sunday 18th April	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Worship with HC Salt Factory Discussion Sunday



Livestreaming Sunday Service—9.30am

Please visit the church website



<https://www.gglc.org.au> for links of our YouTube channel or Facebook page. We encourage you to share our links/information to those who can’t make it to our services or are homebound!

Salt Factory 6.30 pm

Pray Healing Service

Please Note: There is No Meal beforehand this Week

What's Happening In Our Community



Joining God's family & GGLC through the gift of

Holy Baptism

this Sunday is

Riley Finn Hall

We are delighted to celebrate this special occasion with parents Mark Hall & Lauren Neumann and sponsors, Nathan Neumann and Elise Sudholz.

We also extend a warm welcome to all other family and friends here with us today.

We pray Isla & Miles may grow in the love & strength of God.



Baptism, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

GGLC Day Connect Group

***Thursday 15th April** in the church meeting room from 10am- 11:30am.

Topic: Resurrection Eggs – Reflecting on the resurrection of Jesus and the events of Holy Week.

There will be fellowship with a cuppa, a study and prayer time. Love to see you there. All welcome.

Contact Rosalie Hoklas on 0475 434 407 or the church office for more information.

*** Thursday 29th April @ 10-11:30am** meet at Jack & Judy Ross for an informal catch up, cuppa, prayer and devotion.

If you are unwell please do not attend.

Looking forward to our time together, as we delve into God's word and get to know each other a little more.

All Welcome - Rosalie Hoklas (Leader)

OFFICE HOURS



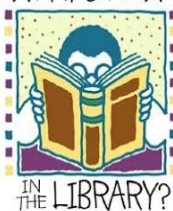
Notice: The church office will be closed next week—13th to 16th April. Open from Tuesday 20th April. If there is any pastoral needs please call Pastor Greg Fowler on 0413 075 665 or office number 7200 0090 and leave message.

Updated library display in the café!!

NEW EASTER DISPLAY

Make sure you check out the Easter Story
Cookie Recipe

WHAT'S NEW



Also many Easter DVD's available to borrow.



Salt Factory Prayer Healing Service

April 11
Service 6.30pm
Meal 5.45pm (Gold Coin)

With Pastor Greg

I have come that they may have life,
and that they may have it more abundantly.
John 10 : 10 (NKJV)



CAR WASH FUNDRAISER

Sunday May 2

Golden Grove Lutheran Primary School Oval

\$10 a car

9.30am - 11am (Those at the morning service)

11am - 2pm (The general public)

Sausage Sizzle, Cafe Connect open

Funds raised go towards the Metro CLW camp and GGLC Youth

If you would like to assist washing cars, moving cars or cook the BBQ contact

Joel Schiller on 0411 084 071

GGLC
Youth



Confirmation Classes



Pastor Greg is starting a new confirmation class mid next term. Confirmation is a wonderful time for young people to grow in their faith and develop their understanding of who they are in Christ. This class will run until the end of 2022, meeting fortnightly in term time. Please see Pastor Greg to enroll.

RosTers for Sunday 18th April

	PA	Power Point	9.30 am Livestreaming 6.30 pm Leader	Music Group	Greeters	Assistants with HC	9.30 am Café Salt Factory Café	9.30 am Reader Flowers	9.30am Prayers Devotion	Church Cleaning Salt Factory Catering
Sunday 9.30am Service	Schutz	Robert Mills	Geordie Mills	Allyson Dutschke	Denise Kloeden & Judith Whaites	Daniel Dutschke & Allen Kupke	Kloeden & Judith Whaites	Schutz	Pastor	Jodie Davidson Tracey Dabinet
6.30pm Salt Factory	Ivan Schmocker	Kendall Kahl	Pastor Greg	--	Leanne Schiller	--	Ivan Schmocker	Jenny Canavese	Pastor	--

Dear Clients & Customers,

Sorry, Cafe Connect is closing..*

*school holiday period (12-23 April)



..But GREAT NEWS!!!

We are opening in the afternoons beginning April 27th

Monday to Friday (school term days)

Morning - 8am to 11am

Afternoon - 2.30pm to 4pm

To celebrate come on in

*and enjoy a free drink on us!**

*One Free Drink Per Person During 1st Week

Coffee, tea, milkshakes, toasted sandwiches & snacks

Take away & EFTPOS available

Wednesday Playgroup & Friday Mainly Music Returning Next Term!

Wednesday Playgroup - 28th April
Friday Mainly Music - 30th April

Music, Dance, Activities & Playtime
Bring Your Own Snack
\$3 per child, \$6 for two or more or term fee \$25 per child, \$50 for two or more
EFTPOS Available
Contact Church Office for more details
Bookings not required!!
Everyone Welcomed!!

Golden Grove Lutheran Community

Picnic & Prayers In The Park

Sunday, 23rd May 2021
9.00am to 1.00pm
Harry Bowey Reserve - Riversdale Drive, Salisbury Park

- **Worship Service**
- **Sausage Sizzle**
- **Fun Games for All Ages**
- **BYO Chairs & Drinks**

HE IS NOT HERE: FOR HE IS RISEN AS HE SAID. COME, SEE THE PLACE WHERE THE LORD LAY.
MATTHEW 28:6

WALK MY WAY SATURDAY 1ST MAY 2021 BAROSSA VALLEY

Golden Grove Lutheran Community Team

How can you get involved?

Join our team! Walk part of the way (5 or 13 Klm) or the full 26klm
JoinDonate! Sponsor our team in this challenge
Volunteer! Help out on the day

For donations please visit
<https://barossa.walkmyway.org.au/page/GoldenGroveLutheranCommunity>

For more information on Walk My Way, please visit www.walkmyway.org.au

Thank you so much for taking action to bring love to life for refugee kids, and supporting us in the Walk My Way challenge!

We're stepping out to bring love to life through Walk My Way! We're walking in recognition of the long dangerous journey refugees must take to find safety - and to raise money to help send a refugee child to school at the same time. It's only \$26 to help provide a teacher, textbook and table for one pre-school child living in a refugee camp in East Africa.



Bishop's Easter Message

LCANZ Bishop John Henderson urges members of the church to take our 'anxiety and fear to the foot of the cross', whenever we face struggles in the world and within the church. His words of reassurance that our Saviour, Jesus Christ, 'takes that load for us', are part of a *Heartland eNews* message of encouragement to the LCA for Holy Week and Easter. [Read more](https://www.lca.org.au/holy-week-and-easter/) <https://www.lca.org.au/holy-week-and-easter/>

Support for the work and ministry of Lutheran Community Care is ongoing and encouraged.

Each day LCC work with people who have faced a major crisis, such as the loss of a job, which in turn means they cannot afford food for the night or the upcoming weekend. Through Emergency Relief they provide people with emergency supplies of food and support them with referrals to financial counselling, support groups, personal counselling or services with other providers. The donation of food items is greatly appreciated and allows them to offer a more diverse range of support services to the community.

During April, we are collecting donations of **Spreads, Tuna (small tins), Soap & Toothbrushes**



Boxes are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!

Thank You For Your Generous Support!!

This week GGLC celebrate birthdays with

**Sue Fielke
Isaac Jaeschke**

*We hope your special day is blessed with
God's love & grace!*



Youtube & Facebook



Please check out our [Youtube](#) and [Facebook](#) pages and subscribe!!

Videos of Pastor Greg's messages can be viewed on our website or YouTube, and announcements are made on Facebook as soon as new items become available.

If you choose to give the video posts a Like/Share on Facebook, you're helping to increase the number of people that might see our posts. A seemingly trivial click - it may be the easiest act of ministry you ever do!

YouTube: www.youtube.com/ggic_youtube

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ggic.lca/>

Friends of Lutheran Archives

An outdoor gathering at Ebenezer SA, 21 March 1921: a milestone in the story of Lutherans in Australia.

Battered by years of oppression, Lutherans in Australia emerged from World War I feeling discredited, defenceless and disunited, but also with the conviction that God had been with them in their adversity and was now calling them to overcome their internal differences and seek to become one church under the Southern Cross, united in faith and life and mission. This presentation explores the story of the formation of the United Evangelical Lutheran Church in Australia 100 hundred years ago, focussing in particular on major factors leading to the union of 1921 that was a major milestone on the long path to the eventual union of almost all Australian Lutherans in one church body in 1966. Dr Dean Zweck will be the guest speaker at **Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA)** Monday 19th April, 7.30 pm at Bethlehem House in the city. All welcome, gold coin donation.

Holding Cross

A holding cross is also sometimes called a pocket cross, comfort cross, or caring cross. These small crosses are designed to fit comfortably into the palm of your hand as a tactile aid to prayer. Use it as a spiritual companion for easing children's fears, to comfort worries and stresses of adults and to focus the prayer of the sick and elderly. When we literally or figuratively hold on to the cross of Jesus, we trust that he hears us and will be with us. Sometimes it is enough to hold the cross silently—this is itself prayer. Trusting in the cross and what it means—forgiveness and life forever with Jesus—we can sincerely pray, both for ourselves and others.

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