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**GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH**



**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2021—12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

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

**Current COVID conditions**

This week, we welcome bands back however every one will be required to wear masks whilst singing. Please bring along a spare mask in plastic bag to change the mask when it becomes damp. Holy Communion will be practiced with members seated for consumption. Cafe Connect will be open for seated consumption. For Salt Factory, there will be a meal beforehand and Discussion Sunday service. We will live-stream the 9.30 service and this is a wonderful option for those who want to worship but wish to exercise caution at this time.



**Making Wise Choices**

*Now, Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of my father David. But I am only a little child and do not know how to carry out my duties. Your servant is here among the people you have chosen, a great people, too numerous to count or number. So give your servant a discerning heart to govern your people and to distinguish between right and wrong. For who is able to govern this great people of yours?*  
 1 Kings 3:7-9

When Solomon ascended to the throne of Israel he knew that his main job was to make wise choices. Everyone would look to him to make decisions that would impact an individual right through to the whole nation. Solomon understood that the impact of any decision could be far-reaching and may well have unintended consequences. When he asked for wisdom above all else, God was so pleased he blessed him with fame and success as well as wisdom.

We too are called to make choices all the time. Some of them don't really make that much difference. 'what are we having for dinner?' is a different question to 'will this action strengthen my faith?'. Some of our decisions have ongoing impacts in our life. In one way or another, we prioritise things through our choices all the time. Who we associate with, what interests take our time and how we serve in our vocation can define us. When we decide to allow God to guide our choices and invite him to be an active part of our life, we live as God's children, active in his family.

It's not easy to make the right choices all the time. May we, like Solomon, ask for God's wisdom to guide us.

Pastor Greg



**Readings This Week:**

**1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14**  
**Ephesians 5:15-20**  
**John 6:51-58**



DOWNLOAD WEEKLY READINGS HERE

**Kids at Heart**

During the service this week, we will be looking at the theme "Making Wise Choices" based on 1 Kings 3:3-14

For craft this week, please visit <https://www.gglc.org.au/church/index.php/ministries/childrens-ministry> to view example and download template sheet

Remember to continue to send in your weekly artwork submissions. Visit

[www.gglc.org.au](http://www.gglc.org.au) or click link



Worship Opportunities		
<b>Sunday 15th August</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Worship with Holy Communion Salt Factory Discussion Sunday
<b>Sunday 22nd August</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Worship Salt Factory with Holy Communion



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**  
**Discussion Sunday Service**

Come at 5.45 pm for food and fellowship before the service (Gold coin donation)

**ALL WELCOMED**

# What's Happening In Our Community

**Dwelling in the Word**

**THIS THURSDAY**  
**AUGUST 19**  
**5.30 TO 8.00PM**

**Not Too Late To Join In!**

**REGISTER NOW!**

Session 3 Focus: John 15:9-17  
(vv1-8 gives the context)

Admission is \$5 per person per session (includes meal)  
*Registration is required before*  
Tuesday 17th Aug. to assist with catering  
Please visit [bit.ly/dwellGGLC](http://bit.ly/dwellGGLC) to register

**Schedule:**  
5:30PM - Check in  
6:00PM - Worship  
6:15PM - Ruth Olsen Presentation  
6:50PM - Tea  
7:20PM - Small group discussion  
8:00PM - Finish with Prayer

**Asaroka Update**  
*Here is more news from Asaroka. Please continue to pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ as they transition with the change of Principal for Asaroka Lutheran Secondary School.*




Above—New principal Mr Jim Juzumo



Right—The old and new principal greeting each other

Below—The handover/takeover of the principals.



**ABCDs of Parenting**

**Tools for raising great kids**

This workshop for parents and care-givers aims to provide an understanding of your child's development and tools to raise great kids. In this workshop you'll discover:

- A – ATMOSPHERE**  
Creating your home's atmosphere
- B – BOUNDARIES**  
Creating shifting boundaries as your children grow older
- C – COMMUNICATION AND CONNECTION**  
Discover the elements of communication and connection
- D – DISCIPLINE AND DELIGHT**  
Discover how when the ABCs are in place, the Ds come more naturally.

This workshop will be facilitated by Mary Raschella, Family and Schools Counsellor, Lutheran Care.

**When:**  
Thursday 26 August 2021  
9 am - Morning tea,  
Workshop - 9.30-11.30 am.

**Where:**  
Golden Grove Lutheran Church, Richardson Drive, Wynn Vale.

**Cost: Free.**

**Bookings for workshop and crèche are essential. Book through the website.**

[www.goldengrove.sa.edu.au](http://www.goldengrove.sa.edu.au)

For any queries, please call 8282 6000

**Connected SCHOOLS**  
A Christ-Centred Community of K-12 Lutheran Schools

**LUTHERAN CARE**

**Connecting virtually with Hanna Schulz**  
*as she responds to what God is doing as it unfolds and changes*

**Sunday, 22 August 2021**  
**7.30pm Papua New Guinea and AEST time**

- Hear an overview of the different things Hanna and the team are doing in PNG
- Learn about why Hanna is serving in PNG
- Find out how to pray for Hanna

Hanna Schulz is serving as a linguist and Bible translation advisor in Papua New Guinea.

**To register, contact Erin Kerber:**  
[lcaim@lca.org.au](mailto:lcaim@lca.org.au) or 08 8267 7317

**Wycliffe Bible Translators**

**CALLING ALL CRAFTERS**  
**ART EXHIBITION AT THE GGLC FETE**

Would you like to exhibit your arts and crafts at this year's fete?  
Or do you know of talented people whose work could be displayed?

Everyone is welcomed to enter their art for display. Your art doesn't just have to be a painting. It can be a cross stitch, diamond painting, woodwork, lego display, etc.

Please contact Kate Hampel  
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or GGLC Office with expressions of interest.

**RosTers for Sunday 22nd August**

	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
<b>Sunday 9.30am Service</b>	Robert Mills	Schutz	Mark Rawolle	Allyson Dutschke	Elizabeth Mills & Judith Whaites	--	Kloeden & Judith Whaites	Kloeden	Margey Knapp	Jodie Davidson Tracey Dabinet
<b>6.30pm Salt Factory</b>	Nathan Grenfell	Joel Schiller	Lauren Kahl	--	Jodie Davidson	Joel Schiller	Nathan Grenfell	Denise Kloeden	Margey Knapp	Schmocker