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10th February 2008—1st Sunday in Lent

WELCOME to all worshipping with us today.

Greetings to any visitors here with us today. We are pleased to have you join us and we trust you have felt welcomed and pray the Holy Spirit may enlighten and empower us with the message shared with us today.

Tea & coffee is available in the Fellowship Centre following morning service and at 5.45 pm a light tea is available prior to the evening service at 6.30 pm.

Please feel welcome to join us.

TWO MINUTES

"But the gift is not like the trespass. For if the many died by the trespass of the one man, how much more did God's grace and that gift that came by the grace of one man, Jesus Christ, overflow to the many!" (Romans 5: 15).

Recently one evening I watched a scene unfold in a restaurant: a mother, tears streaming down her face, asked her teenage daughter why she hadn't phoned home to say she was going out with friends. The girl's father sat nearby with a grim expression on his face. The teen rolled her eyes and tried her best to look bored. I felt for the parents of that girl: how extremely difficult it must be to parent a teen. And oh the intensity of being a teen...

God designed humans with free will and the ability to make choices. With one man's trespass, life was indeed made hard. The girl's parents were duty bound to search for their daughter and to take her home. But if we go astray, choosing to be selfish or to hurt someone, God will not intervene: He will not take away the freedom He gave us by scooping us to safety.

God offers incredible gifts with this freedom: His guidance is there always, and He watches over us with forgiveness, compassion and love. He carries us, rejoicing, if we choose to lean on Him. He shows us the way through the darkness, if we allow Him to.

Lord, thank you for your amazing grace. Thank you for the freedom you have granted us, and please help us to make choices which are in accordance with your will for us. In Jesus' name, Amen"

Catharina Belgraver

Worship Opportunities



Readings for today
Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7
Romans 5:12-19
Matt. 4: 1-11

Readings for 17th Feb
Genesis 12:1-4
Romans 4:1-5, 13, 17
John 3:1-17

Today 10th Feb	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary Service with HC Salt Factory worship including Installation of Alyssa Wurst as our Youth Team Leader
Friday 15th Feb	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
Sunday 17th Feb	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
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Family Friendly Worship

At Golden Grove, we love **everybody** to be involved in worship.



Please encourage children and visitors to join in the singing and prayers, and to stand and sit at appropriate times when they are able. This is best done by leading by example!

For our 'little ones' - Quiet bags & busy books are available for worship time from the church foyer. Paper & pencils are available for children (and adults too if they would like to take notes of the message!!!)

It is not appropriate for unattended children to play in the foyer at any time during the service. Please ask an usher if you require assistance, or speak to a "Ministry Leader" if you would like to help young families during Worship times.

Thank you for worshipping with us!

Pastor's Corner



- Welcome to our worship today - especially to those who have joined us for **Chelsea Cohen-Bryan's baptism** (this morning) and for **Alyssa Wurst's** installation as Youth Team Leader (this evening). I'm sure we will have a wonderful time in worship.
- We are looking at the theme: "**Lord, teach us how to live**". Today we'll be looking at the second and third commandments. This morning's service will also feature a testimony of one of our member's on living these commandments.
- **This evening** we are also blessing the Pastoral Carers. For those who have been wondering about the task of Pastoral Carers, here is what I read out last week and will read out again this evening: *Our wish is that all the members of GGLF will continue to care for each other. But the Pastoral Carers have taken on the responsibility to care for people who are not already being cared for; be available to care at worship and fellowship events, will endeavour to integrate, disciple and challenge members and new contacts to the congregation, and encourage an atmosphere of care and inclusion in our congregation.*
- **In Confirmation today** we are starting our "tour of churches to discover the answer to the question: What is the Church?"
- **This week I have in my diary: Ministry team** (Monday), **Management team** (Tuesday) and **School's Ministry TTG** (Thursday). I hope if you are involved, they are in your diary too.
- **"THE GATHERING"** has arrived! After weeks of talking and planning and writing about this event, it is now upon us. I have invited every family in our congregation to "*The Gathering*", (That was the blue letter). *The Gathering* is our church's planning day. It's this Saturday, 9am-2pm at *Wirrimbirra* (Schmocker's block at the end of Grenfell Road): a time of worship, teaching, fellowship and prayer. But have you replied to the invitation? You were meant to advise Judith of you attendance (for catering purposes) by today. For more information have a look in your pigeon hole.
- Again a reminder about the short course: **What DO you believe?** This course will be looking at the Bible, prayer, worship and the Christian life (serving, giving and witnessing). It will be run on Thursday evenings in February (21st, 28th) and March (6th, 13th) from 7.30pm to 9pm as well as during the day (1.30pm-3pm) We would like to run a creche- thanks for those who are looking after it during the day, what about the evening. **Are you interested?** I expect we all could learn by having another look at these basics of our faith. We are planning that there is no cringe factor: people won't be expected to pray or to read out loud. There will be a lot of opportunity for open discussion. Why not invite a non church going friend?
- **I believe it is important to grow as Christians.** I have told you about many opportunities since I have arrived. Here is another one for leaders and I am very excited by it. MICHAEL FOSS of "Power Surge" – in our library - is coming to Adelaide. The Conference is called "**Get Real**" and it's on 18, 19 April. See brochures and poster. I'll let you know about this conference over the next few months (Early bird fee by 29/2/08).

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Baptism

Joining God's family & GGLF through the gift of Holy Baptism is

Chelsea Ebony Cohen-Bryan

We are delighted to share in the celebration of this special occasion with Chelsea, together with her family, sponsors and friends here with us today.

We pray Chelsea may continue to 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

Salt Factory Worship

Tonight: 6.30 pm service—Installation of our new Youth Team Leader Alyssa Wurst

Come from 5.45 pm onwards for food (gold coin donation) and drinks (\$1 cans).



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**THIS AFTERNOON, 4.30 pm
in Fellowship Centre**

Note: Membership fees can be paid and all GGAF dates for 2008 fishing trips and events will be available.

CRABBING AT WEBB BEACH

Saturday Feb 23

Meet at Webb Beach at 10.00am.

Maps available from Graeme Hoklas or Zimmo.

BYO chairs, lunch, drinks, hats, sunscreen, old shoes, crabbing rakes and tubs.

Enquiries to Zimmo (8289 1212) or Graeme Hoklas (8289 6803)

SMALL GROUP LEADERS MEETING

**Next Sunday 17th February
11am—12 pm in Fellowship Centre**

Bring ideas for names of your small groups and other fellowship group ideas

**Jon & Leanne Schiller—Small Group
Co-ordinators**

Pastor Leon's Message

is available in printed copy form each week immediately after the service from the Fellowship Centre. Please feel welcome to take a copy home.

Internet access to weekly GGLF bulletin, Pastor Leon's message, Life in the Vine, rosters and other info. You can get to it by going to www.gglf.org.au and then clicking Files.

ROSTERS

The worship service rosters for the period March—May are available from your pigeon holes. Please check for when you are rostered and if you need to make any swaps **please record those swaps on the master copy in the foyer next to the door.** Thanks!
Anna Watson

FAMILY WELLNESS A Positive Parenting Course

Six engaging sessions are being offered by Margaret and John Hunt, highly experienced parent educators, for Mums, Dads, Grandparents and Carers on Mondays from 7.30 to 9.30pm from 11th February to 17th March.

WHERE: Salisbury Lutheran Kindergarten,
10 Waterloo Corner Road, Salisbury

COST: \$5.00/family/session (concession available)
FREE CRECHE AVAILABLE

Enquiries & Registration Lyn Benger Tel 82812976

See Notice Board for further details

Wild at Heart

**A camp for men - Friday evening 28th March to
Sunday afternoon 30th March 2008 at Glenhaven,
Stockport**

The men and friends of the Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship community are invited to attend a weekend camp titled "Real Aussie Men - Wild, Courageous and Free".

The weekend of adventure will examine via video, small group discussion and initiative activities topics such as:

- The heart of a man
- The poser
- The wound
- Healing the wound
- An adventure to live
- A beauty to win
- A band of brothers

The aim of the weekend is to:

- Recapture your life for God
- Reinvigorate your life
- Develop a band of brothers who pray for each other, support each other and enjoy each other's company

Registration forms will be available in Church foyer. For further information please contact Wayne Evans (ph 83960083) or John Fielke (ph 8265 4950)

WILD AT HEART 28-30/3/08

Glen Haven Park, Stockport

I firmly endorse this ministry. It's about facing your fears, living the adventure, fighting the battle, winning the beauty... We ran a few of these "life changing" experiences in my last parish and those who went to them gained so, so much. Please take one of flyers in the foyer. This is the camp that John and Wayne have been promoting. Men, please plan to go.

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YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Forum – www.gglf.org.au/youth/forum

REV320 (yrs 7-9)

Friday 15th February, 7.00-10.00 pm— Valentine's Day Theme. Please bring some money for tea



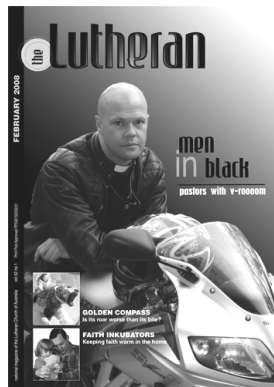
'CC' - Children of Christ (Yrs 3-6)

**Commences Friday 22nd February,
6.30-8.00 pm**

Parent helpers are needed to assist with the planning and running of CCs. Please contact Allyson Dutschke—8255 5570 or 0407392 256—urgently if you can assist.

Potential Sunday School

Thank you to the people who have expressed their desire to occasionally help with running a Sunday school at GGLF, and to the people who have expressed interest in sending their children. However, we don't have the right people-power or enough interested attendees to proceed at this stage. We really need to hear from someone who is either experienced or has the passion and skills to work with children in this way. There will be lots of support to prepare lessons and to help with craft activities, however, we need someone whose mission would be to mentor and lead the children in their Christian growth journey. Are you the person for this role? If so, please speak to Pastor Leon, Lesley Friedrich (8251 4021) or Catharina Belgraver (8395 7314)



PASTORS WITH V-ROOOOM

Remember the bad old days when we thought that pastors were too holy to be riding motorbikes? Thankfully, times have changed. Vanessa Gibson spoke to some of our pastors who deliver the gospel on two wheels

THE GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY

The children's film *The Golden Compass* created quite a stir over the school holidays, with many Christian leaders calling for parents to boycott it. But Larissa McKenzie argues that avoiding controversy does not help children learn how to sift wheat from chaff

SCHOOL DAZE

After the initial excitement of those first days at school or being back at school are over, what then? Mother-of-four Julie Hahn shares some hints for helping children adapt to school life

AUCKLAND IN LIVING COLOUR

With about 24 ethnic groups attending Sunday worship services regularly, any program or event Auckland's Mountainside Lutheran Church runs is guaranteed to be multicultural and full of colour

Don't miss the all-new bigger, brighter and bolder

"The Lutheran". February edition out now!

11 issues per year; \$34 Australia. See your group collector Judith Whites, or call LCA Subscriptions 08 8360 7270, email lutheran.subs@lca.org.au

Prayer Opportunities

A **prayer box** is available in the Church entrance for prayer requests (*either private or public*) on Sundays. If anyone has a prayer request we encourage you to fill out a prayer request form and place it in the right hand side of the box.

Prayer Chain: Means a lot of people praying about an urgent or special need. For urgent prayer requests during the week you are invited to contact one of following people and the prayer chain will be set in progress. (Chris Hahn, Jan Wegener, Pastor Len & Claire Tscharke, Catherine & Wim Belgraver, Anne Hanton, Joan Hochwald, Tanya Wilson, Judith Whaites.) All requests will be kept confidential. The prayer chain is available for everyone in both the church and school communities. Likewise if anybody feels they would like to be a part of the prayer chain we'd love you to join us.

Video Ministry

Each service is video taped, with copies available immediately after each service. Please see the library to loan a copy. Even if you can't make it to the service, you can still participate in worship.

Meals Ministry

(A practical way we can share & show God's love) **Families rostered to support Meals Ministry in February are: Schiller, Tilley & J Lawrence.** When donating meals for the freezer we ask that you please attach some details to the container, eg name of the meal, date meal was prepared, a list of main ingredients, and heating instructions. *Thank you.*

GGLF Attendance & Offerings

(Offerings do not include electronic giving amount of \$9327 per month from 38 contributors.)

	Attendance	Offerings
Sunday 3/2 9.30 am	91	\$658.75
6.30 pm	172	\$625.15

Book Launch: the Proeve Family History (1380-2007), written by Dr Henry Proeve.

At Trinity Lutheran Church, 1215 Grand Junction Rd, Hope Valley, on Sunday 10th February at 2pm. A remarkable story - not to be missed by anyone interested in family history. (A Friends of Lutheran Archives function)

Public Meeting on Human Cloning is planned for this Tues 12th February, 7.00 pm at Enfield Community Centre, 540 Regency Road, Enfield.

Special Guest Speaker: Dr David Van Gend. See noticeboard.

Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting - Mon 18 Feb at 7.30 pm

Topic: The Hitler Club. Speaker: Gary Gimpl (author of recently-published book). At Bethlehem House, Sudholz Pl, Adelaide. The intriguing story of Dr Becker and the Nazi Party in SA. How was the Lutheran church connected? Supper. Gold coin donation.

Library Update



Commencing from February, 2008 there is a new **self borrowing** folder on the library desk so that items can be borrowed from the library at any-time. The units in the foyer will be left unlocked - except for the unit with adult videos and DVD resources. Children borrowing from the library will need the supervision of an adult as the doors will need to be removed for access to the shelves. Please contact any of the library helpers listed if you need assistance.

Alison Ahrens	Dorothy Quick
Jenny Kupke	Judith Whaites
Ruth Zimmermann	Gaynor Gower
Rosalie Hoklas	Anna Watson
Fran Lindner	

Bible in 90 days – a program for people who would like to read the Bible from cover to cover. See noticeboard for further details.

GGLF EASTER SERVICE WORSHIP TIMES

20th March	Maundy Thursday	7.00 pm	Worship with HC
21st March	Good Friday	9.30 am	Worship
23rd March	Easter Sunday	6.00 am	Dawn Service at Schmocker's block followed by Hot Cross buns back at Fellowship Centre
		9.30 am	Worship with HC at GGLF

Please note there will be **NO Salt Factory service on Easter Sunday**



Don't forget the Library is open for browsing and borrowing

Christian greeting cards always for sale from the Mobile Unit in the Fellowship Centre —Cost \$2

POSITIONS VACANT

Office Administrator at St Stephen's Lutheran Church Office, Wakefield Street, Adelaide. 20 hours/week 9.30am to 2.30pm – Tues to Fri. Work specifications on application to Denis, phone 8337 5150 or email gregko@primus.com.au. Applications close Monday 18 February 2008.

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 **BIRTHDAY GREETINGS**

Tues	11 Feb	Mardi Kalika
Wed	13 Feb	Celia Bartel
		Luke Napier
		Ebony Young
Fri	15 Feb	Madison Mattiske
		David Phillips

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