



CHRISTMAS 2008



Jesus is the Reason for the Season



WELCOME

to all worshipping with us today. We are pleased to have you join us and we trust you have felt welcomed. Please take some time to fill in the welcome sheets and hand in when advised.

REJOICE... *for our Saviour is born!*



Worship Opportunities

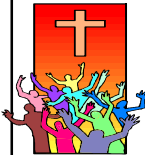
Christmas Eve	7.00 pm	Christmas Eve Drama "The Shoe Box"
Christmas Day	9.30 am	Christmas Day worship with Holy Communion
Sunday 28th Dec	9.30 am	Contemporary worship with HC
	6.30 pm	Salt Factory worship

Greetings and best wishes to everyone for a joyous and blessed Christmas
From Pastor Leon & Heidi



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 children's area in the church.

Activity sheets for young readers and writers—Families with children of all ages, please notice there are new activity sheets (e.g. word puzzles) available for various age groups. The sheets will be changed over periodically. Please help yourself - they can be found with the children's toys, pens and papers etc.

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!

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WORSHIP

Worship is a central feature in our congregation. We value casual, Christ centred worship where people are encouraged to use their gifts.

We offer three opportunities for worship each week: Sunday morning worship at 9.30 led by Pastor Leon with plenty of involvement from the congregation.

Salt Factory, Sunday 6.30pm: Youth led worship for the whole congregation. The message is given by Pastor Leon or a guest speaker.

Friday morning worship, 8.45 during school terms, school centred but open to all, led by the School or Pastor Leon.

We also have Family Services on a Sunday a number of times during the year, aimed at children.

Holy Communion is celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sundays at the Sunday morning worship, 1st and 3rd at Salt Factory and twice a year at the Friday morning worship. Holy Baptism is offered on request.

OUR SCHOOL

A vibrant and caring school that caters for children from Reception to Year Seven. We focus on the 'whole child' in a gospel centered, grace filled environment. The Arts, Sport and ICT are focus areas as well as firm and caring discipline and interpersonal relationships.

For more information: See Principal Daryl Trigg or contact Elaine: 82826000

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

We have many ways you can be involved in our ministry. These include:

- **Craft Group:** Having fellowship whilst doing your own craft. Contact Alison: 8395 9118
- **Men's Breakfast:** Saturday mornings once a quarter, guest speaker, donation for a cooked breakfast. (Ladies breakfast's twice a year.) Contact Ken: 0421 428 555
- **Sunday evening tea:** 5.45 (prior to Salt Factory worship) , in the Fellowship Centre for a gold coin donation.
- **Playgroup:** cuppa and a chat while you watch your children play. Contact Michelle: 82891967 or Anne: 82553508
- **Coffee Club:** Wednesday and Friday morning during school terms. Contact Anna: 83964365
- **Friends of Asaroka:** fostering the partnership we have with schools at Asaroka, PNG. Contact Pastor Len: 8289 4667
- **Studies:** "**Everybody Evangelism**": creating confidence in sharing the Christian faith; "**Network**"—discovering your spiritual gifts. Contact Pastor Leon.
- **The Library:** nearly 3000 books, tapes, DVD and resources. Open around worship times and on request. Contact Alison: 8395 9118
- **Know your Bible:** Bible study on Monday afternoon. Contact Chris: 8263 3613
- **Bread Ministry** (Contact Jenny: 82513448) providing bread.
- **Meal ministry** (Contact Leanne: 8289 2997) providing meals for those in need.
- **Music Ministry** (Bands) providing music for our worship services. Contact Jacquie: 8380 5818

WHAT GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP HAS TO OFFER YOU.

GOLDEN GROVE AMATEUR FISHING

Golden Grove Amateur Fishing (GGAF)'s mission is "Giving all people opportunities to fish in a Christ centred environment".

Our program is open to all people of all ages. Together we learn to fish, we crab, we fillet, we cook, we eat, we compete and we visit many interesting locations around South Australia. Our annual camp each year in October is a real highlight of the year.

Even if you don't like to fish, its also a great opportunity to relax by the side of the river or on a jetty or beach, read a book, observe, help or just socialize with a group of passionate, friendly Christians and non-Christians alike.

Join us on February 15th at 4.30pm in the Fellowship Centre for our AGM, sign up, and learn more about GGAF.

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Our wish is that all committed members belong to a Fellowship group. Being part of a Fellowship group is very much part of "caring for each other" in these trying times.

All groups are encouraged to have a healthy balance of Fun, Relaxation, Service & Study. Each group though is unique with the individuals that make up that group and the overall focus of that group.

Please contact Leanne & Jon: 8289 2997 to hear more.

YOUTH

There are a range of different youth activities to suit most ages. GGLF values the youth and believe it is important for them to feel welcome and involved within the congregation.

The different youth groups within GGLF are Children of Christ (**CCs**) (yr 3-6), **REV 320** (yr 7-9) and **Bakery** (age 15-20). This is a fun opportunity to meet other Christians the same age as yourself.

For more information on the events please call 0437 155 873.

PASTORAL CARE

Our wish is that all the members of GGLF will continue to care for each other. So 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,
- endeavour to integrate, disciple and challenge members and new contacts to the congregation,
- and encourage an atmosphere of care and inclusion in our congregation.

If you have any needs that you believe we could help you with please let us know : through the "**Welcome Sheets**" available each worship service, or email us on office@gglf.org.au or rosenberg.leon@goldengrove.sa.edu.au or phone us on:8282 6050 or 0432 224 721(Pastor's mobile)

Our pastor, Leon Rosenberg may be able to help or will direct you to someone who could help you.