



Our mission:
**KNOWING
CHRIST AND
MAKING HIM
KNOWN**

GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

www.gglc.org.au

Our goal:
**Care, Communicate,
Connect so that people
may know CHRIST.**

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26th February 2017—8th Sunday after Epiphany

WELCOME to worship today as we celebrate
Harvest Festival !

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



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

Please feel welcome to join one another. ALL WELCOME

Before worship

Jesus answered, 'How unbelieving and wrong you people are! How long must I stay with you? How long do I have to put up with you? Bring the boy here to me!' Jesus gave a command to the demon, and it went out of the boy, and at that very moment he was healed. (Matt. 17 verses 17,18)

Jesus could also say of people in our society today, 'How unbelieving and wrong you people are!' Even as Christians we struggle to trust God at all times and in all situations. Sometimes it can even be difficult for us to keep believing in God when faced with a particular struggle. The busyness of life can weaken our faith and take our focus from God.

How fortunate we are to have a Saviour who remains faithful even with our weak and wobbly faith. How fortunate we are to have a Holy Spirit who points us back to Christ, the Saviour who kept going to the bitter end, his death. He is the same Saviour who is with us and in us now, even when our faith is grossly inadequate.

Heavenly Father, thank you for sending your Son to die for me so that I can be forgiven and live with you in heaven. Let your Spirit strengthen my faith in you and always point me to you. Amen.

(adapted by Lutheran Media, from a devotion written by Sonia Siebenhausen in the LCA book "Refreshment for each day".



**Readings for today: Deut. 8:7-18
Matt. 17:1-21**

Salt Factory Tonight 6.30 pm

**Come at 5.45 pm for food
and fellowship before the
service commences. Gold
coin donation.**

Look forward to seeing you
there!

Worship Opportunities

Today 26th Feb	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship celebrating Harvest Thanksgiving Salt Factory worship
Wed 1st March	7.00 pm	Ash Wednesday worship with HC
Friday 3rd March	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community and followed by tea/coffee & chat
Sunday 26th Feb	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship

Invitation to Prayer Time

Pastor Greg holds prayer time at 9.15 am before worship on Sunday mornings.

Anyone is welcome to come and join Pastor Greg.

It is held in the Youth room of the Fellowship Centre.

Kids at Heart

Children are very welcome to join Kids at Heart children's ministry time during the morning worship service.

This Sunday's BibleSong topic is 'Friends and enemies'.

The Kids at Heart BibleSong program operates under the ChildSafe LCA program which is a safety and risk management system with a focus on keeping children and young people safe in their programs and activities.

Volunteers needed please

On **Shrove Tuesday 28th February** GGLC will be providing pancakes to GGLPS students at recess time.



We are seeking volunteers to come **tomorrow evening 27th February at 7.00 pm** to the school for a cooking session to cook the pancakes and also volunteers on **Tuesday 28th February at recess time 10.45am** to help distribute the pancakes to the children. *Looking forward to your support.*



This year we plan to have a drama on Good Friday and so we are looking to recruit 4 women and 3 men for speaking parts.

It is monologue style, very reflective, no lines to remember in conflict with others, just speaking on your own, not too many words only a couple of minutes each. Practices could be after the morning services on some Sunday's through Lent.

If you are planning to worship here for Good Friday and would like to be involved, a script is available for you to look at. Please see Margey Knapp or phone 82895443 for a copy.



To all those who have donated goods for our Harvest Festival service today as we thank God for all he has given us – 'The Harvest'.



All goods will be donated between ALC pastors-in-training and Lutheran Community Care.

GGLC YOUTH

GGLC Youth Bible Study is on THIS Friday night!

The theme for this week is following on from a fortnight ago which was on 'Bullying'. Pastor Greg is going to lead us, and we're going to be acting out some scenarios that you could or have come across at school. We look forward to seeing you there! 😊

7:15-9:45pm

in the GGLC Youth Room
\$2 per night, \$1 cans!

Website: <http://www.gglc.org.au>
Facebook/Instagram: gglcyouth

Prayer Healing Night

OPEN HOUSE -

Monday 27th February - 7.30pm at Schiller's (Wynn Vale)

Bible study teaching God's word with the opportunity for a "personal breakthrough" in prayer & healing for anything people have needs in, mental, physical, spiritual, employment, family issues - anything at all. Learning also to be disciples of Jesus.

Bible study using "Dr Jim Richards" Ministries Material then this is then followed by healing/prayer.

Contact Jon: 0424 186 149
Paul: 0413 604 000

RosTers for Next Sunday : 5th March

PA + Opening/Closing up	Power-point	Music Group	Greeters / Ushers	Readers	Children's Address ----- Kid's Craft	Devotion for Bulletin ----- Prayers	Assistants with HC	Flowers	Church Cleaning	Salt Factory catering
Jon Schutz	Jeremy Lindner	Jacque Schutz	Natasha / Kids @ Heart	Natasha Jaeschke	A Dutschke ----- N Jaeschke	M Knapp ----- Ps Greg	C Hersevoort J Rawolle	Chris Thiel	Rawolle	
Joel Schiller										



An Ash Wednesday worship service with Holy Communion will be held at GGLC this Wednesday 1st March at 7.00 pm

**Next Sunday 5th March
6.30 pm Healing Service**

Paul Napier will be sharing the message.
Light meal at 5.45pm followed by the service at 6.30.
May be a good opportunity to bring a friend along – don't need to be sick they may just be looking for Peace.

GGLC Worship Rosters

The worship rosters for March, April & May have now been prepared and are available for viewing or downloading from our website—www.gglc.org.au—just look under the tab “For Members” and then Rosters.

Those were the days . . . What memories those camps invoke in us! Did you meet your spouse at a Youth Camp?
Pastor David Eckermann will be the guest speaker at the **FOLA (Friends of Lutheran Archives)** gathering on **Monday 27th February, 7.30 pm** at Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place in the city. David has been involved in Youth, singles and camp ministry for many years & has a wealth of knowledge about those camps.
All welcome & gold coin donation



COCKLING at GOOLWA BEACH **Saturday 18th March 2017 at 9 am**

MEET at GOOLWA BEACH CAR PARK
BYO Chairs, Drinks, Hats, Sunscreen, Change of Clothes
All invited to Michael & Robyn Oatey's holiday house at Goolwa
for sausage sizzle BBQ lunch
Contact: Graeme Hoklas
ALL WELCOME



Next Event: Saturday 29th April: WAITPINGA BEACH

Invitation to attend events at Australian Lutheran College (ALC)

ALC invites you to attend the following events being held on **Monday, 27 February 2017**, which mark the beginning of a new academic year for the college. The day will begin with **worship in the Chapel at 9.00 am** followed by the **opening lecture at 9.30 am** in the Refectory.

This year's lecture will be presented by Dr Wendy Mayer (ALC's new Associate Dean of Research) and is entitled, 'Preaching Schism'.

If attending either the service or the lecture, please park off campus and enter via the entrance at 200 Ward Street, North Adelaide.

For all enquiries or to notify of your attendance, please contact Alice Lamnek on (08) 7120 8200 or email: alice.lamnek@alc.edu.au. For those unable to physically attend proceedings, **the lecture will be live-streamed via the ALC website – www.alc.edu.au**

Everyone Welcome



**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
PHILIPPINES**

Am I being unfair to you?



FRIDAY 3RD MARCH 2017

Time 1:30 P.M.
 Place ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
182 HANCOCK RD, RIDGEHAVEN
 Speaker REV'D PETER STEICKE 22/1/2016
Afternoon Tea queries Margaret Paech

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

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

Website: <http://www.gglc.org.au/>, go to "For Members" and select "Pastor's Messages"
 Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/gglc.lca/>
 Twitter: https://twitter.com/gglc_lca

GGLC OFFERINGS

Members are offered the opportunity of Regular Electronic Giving (REG) which provides a way to give regularly and consistently without having to remember to bring money for the offering plate every Sunday. More information about REG can be found in the [Giving section of the LLL website](#).

The LLL Account No. for GGLC Regular Electronic Giving is 28190/S1/GOL

To transfer money into the LLL Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship REG A/c from another bank please use: BSB (Branch) number - 704942 and Account No. - 28190

 **BIRTHDAY GREETINGS**
 Tues 28 Feb Claire Tscharke
 Ken Tscharke
 Wed 1 Mar Andrew Seeliger
 Thurs 2 Mar Lauren Thiel

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

This week
 in your LCA

To check out what's happening visit www.lca.org.au



Support for the work and ministry of Lutheran Community

Care is ongoing and encouraged. LCC's request list for February is for Jelly; Soap; Tin beans/peas; Tin Fruit.

Boxes and bags are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!

Donations will be kindly transported to LCC at the end of each month.