



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

# GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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

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## 13th August 2017—10th Sunday after Pentecost

**WELCOME** to worship today !

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



Tea & coffee is available following morning service and a light meals is  
available at 5.45 pm prior to the 6.30 pm service

**Please feel welcome to join one another. ALL WELCOME**

### Before worship

#### **Faith developing**

The magician Dynamo is quite incredible to watch, and one of his more famous feats is walking on water on the River Thames. But it really doesn't take much of an enquiring mind to 'see' how this illusion really occurs. And for many magic tricks, that is just what they are – Illusions.

However in our Gospel reading for today there are no magic tricks, no slight-of-hand, no illusions. And it's a bible story we have heard many times – the disciples are out in the boat, Jesus comes out to them walking on the water, then Peter wants to go to the Lord so Jesus invites him to come forward – on the water!

But what did Peter do? He climbed over the side and simply started walking to Jesus. Now there was a bit of difficulty when impulsive Peter realised what he was really doing, with the waves splashing at his legs and body, he panicked, crying "save me Lord!" However Jesus was there to catch Peter when he started to sink –then rebuking Peter for having little faith.

How would we respond to Jesus' invitation today? To be honest, I would probably say – "no, it's okay, you're nearly here, I'll just wait." But what does that say about my faith? Would I trust Jesus enough to know that I could also achieve this, knowing that He would not let me fall? What about the other challenges Jesus puts in front of us – through our family, at our workplace, within our daily life – how do we respond to these? Do we trust Jesus enough to know He will give us the right response and not let us fall when we are following His will.

Faith is not about magic tricks or illusions – it's having trust and not doubting that God IS real and living within each of us. Pray for a confident faith, then we can proclaim with the disciples – "You really are the Son of God!"

Allyson Dutschke



**Readings for today: Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28  
Romans 10:5-15  
Matt. 14:22-33**

## 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

<b>Today 13th August</b>	<b>9.30 am 6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
<b>Friday 18th Aug</b>	<b>8.45-9.15 am</b>	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
<b>Sunday 20th Aug</b>	<b>9.30 am 6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
<b>Friday 25th Aug</b>	<b>8.45-9.15 am</b>	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club

### 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 'Jesus walks on water.'

*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.*

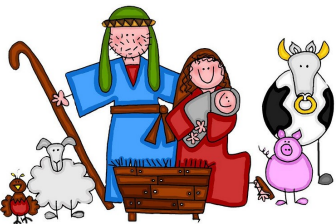
### Pastoral Care and Christian Education Forum 27th July 11am-12.30pm

*To gain the greatest value from the recent survey, the Pastoral Care Team and the Christian Education Team will be holding a Forum following the morning worship service on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> August.*

*If you have any questions please contact:*

*Dave Shrowder on 0407 619 743 or [shrowder@chariot.net.au](mailto:shrowder@chariot.net.au)*

*Ruth Zimmermann on 0411 230 601 or [zimmotwo@gmail.com](mailto:zimmotwo@gmail.com)*



### Invitation for Christmas Play scripts

To those writers and creative folk out there the invitation is extended to submit a script or ideas for this year's Christmas play production.

Scripts can be sent to Jacquie Schutz ([Jacquie.schutz@gmail.com](mailto:Jacquie.schutz@gmail.com)) or to the Church Office ([office@gglc.org.au](mailto:office@gglc.org.au)).

## women's bible study

growing deeper, together

Anyone interested can call Elnora Schmocker (*mobile 0411 244 159*)

Held each Thursday evening during school term 7.00- 8:30 pm. For next few weeks will be held at Norrey's house.



### Playgroup /mainly music at Golden Grove Lutheran Church this Friday 18th Aug 9:30 am after chapel till 11 am

Please come and join us.

Playgroup begins with **mainly music** which is a fun interactive music session for preschool children and their parents/caregivers.

**Cost: Gold coin donation**

Participate in a fun 30 minute music session, then afterwards children can enjoy a fruit snack followed by facilitated playgroup time.

Parents/caregivers can enjoy a coffee and morning tea in a relaxed setting.

Playgroup / **mainly music** is an activity both parents/caregivers and their children can enjoy together.

Any questions please contact Natasha Jaeschke through the church office (8282 6050).



### Café Implementation Team

As we approach the start of our renovations, we are seeking a few volunteers to help define the details of the café space - how it will be run, what will be on offer, equipment requirements, signage, chairs, tables, waste, food handling standards and so on. Experience with working in a café would be highly valued but not mandatory. It is likely to involve a few meetings in the next couple months.

If able to help, please let Jon Schutz know (email [jon@jschutz.net](mailto:jon@jschutz.net)).

# RosTers

for Next Sunday : 20th August

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
Joel Schiller	Judith Whaites	Allyson Dutschke	Graeme & Rosalie Hoklas	Natasha Jaeschke	R Hoklas ----- N Jaeschke	M Knapp ----- M Knapp	G Hoklas D Dutschke	Chris Thiel	School	
Luke Wachtel										Dutschke



DISCO NIGHT  
FRIDAY 18 AUG

6:30-8pm in the Worship Centre.

Gold coin donation.

Register on the School Website.

Registration closes 5pm Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> August.

Snack provided to the children during the disco.

Parents/caregivers are welcome to stay for a light refreshment in the Fellowship Centre.



## Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

### FISH COOKING NIGHT

Golden Grove Amateur Fishing has great pleasure in announcing that Master GGAF Chef Geoff Thiel will be hosting an entertaining **Fish Cooking Evening:**

**When:** Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2017

**Time:** 6.45pm to 10.00pm

**Where:** Golden Grove Lutheran Church Fellowship Centre

Cnr Sunnybrook Drive & Richardson Drive, Wynn Vale

**Fish Cooking Demonstrations:** 4 dishes prepared and presented for you to taste - served with a variety of breads and salads. Recipes will be available on the night.

**Door Prizes** drawn during the night.

**Cost:** \$10 Adults; \$15 Non Members and \$5 Children under 15 years (numbered tickets will be issued)

**BYO Drinks**

Our last Fish Cooking Night attracted over 70 people and we intend to limit this event to maximum of 80 attendees.

**Please indicate if you are planning to attend and advise number of people by Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2017 to Graeme Hoklas on 0419828091**



One of our young members, Grace Atta, is participating in the 40 Hour Famine and would like to offer the opportunity to members to donate. Grace offers the following as her personal statement for participating:

40 Hour Famine dates: 11th - 13th of August  
Personal Fundraising Goal: \$300

*"I have decided to participate in the 40 hour famine challenge again this year, because I not only believe in this cause, but also in the power that small acts of kindness can have in another's life. I have found this experience in the past to be both eye-opening and confronting in regards to all the luxuries I have, and often take for granted. I think it's important that I make others aware of the fact that there are people who are just like us, except... they don't have the same luxuries we do. Many have to work tirelessly in order to even have one meal a day, or get the basic necessities to survive. Some people (65.5 million) have even had to flee their country due to natural disasters, war, persecution, or for other reasons. I often think that this could have easily been me, and due to no fault of my own, I too would be struggling to survive and would not have the same opportunities that I do now.*

*I would greatly appreciate any donations, big or small, towards this worthy cause."*

If you would like to donate to this cause, the link below will take you to my 40 hour famine page and you just need to hit the "donate" button.

<https://40hourfamine2017.everydayhero.com/au/grace-29>

Thanks, Grace



Golden Grove Lutheran Primary School will be taking part in the Woolworths Earn and Learn Program this year. You can help support our school by collecting "Earn & Learn"

Stickers from Woolworths. For every \$10.00 you spend you will earn one sticker.

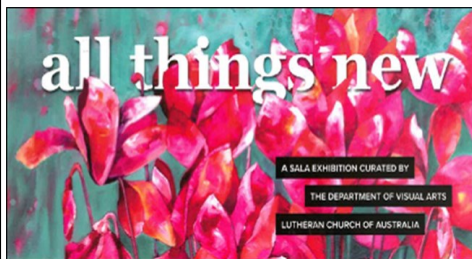
The more stickers collected the more our school can use them to purchase resources from Modern Teaching Aids Educational Equipment and Resources for students.

Ask your family, neighbours and friends to collect Woolworths stickers for our GGLPS students.

A box is available at Golden Grove Village Shopping Centre or you can also leave your stickers in the box provided in the church foyer.

### Have you heard about the other Kavel's?

John Schubert, a Kavel descendant, will share his story about 'other' members of the Kavel family & also the family of August Kavel's wife, the Pennyfeathers. Come along to the Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA) meeting, Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place in the city, 7.30 pm. Monday August 28<sup>th</sup>. Supper & gold coin donation. All welcome.



**SALA Exhibition**  
curated by the Department of Visual Arts Lutheran Church of Australia

Where: St Stephen's Lutheran Church, 152 Wakefield St, Adelaide

Open: Saturday and Sunday, 1.00 – 4.00 pm for the month of August and during the week by appointment

Contact: St Stephen's office on 8223 5491

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](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

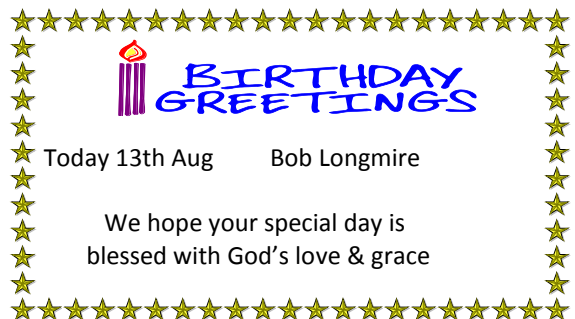
To transfer money into the LLL Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship REG A/c from another bank please use:

BSB (Branch) number - 704942 and Account No. - 28190



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

During the month of August LCC invite you to replenish their Emergency Relief shelves with donations of Antiperspirants (men & women); Baby Wipes; Harvest Tin Meals; Ladies Underwear (sizes 8-26). Boxes and bags are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!



Today 13th Aug Bob Longmire

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