



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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25th September 2016—19th 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 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

I read recently of a discontent and mean spirited man who made his wife promise to put all his money into his coffin with him when he died, so he could take it with him to the after life. When he finally passed away, his wife dutifully placed a box within his coffin just as it was lowered into the ground. On questioning by a friend the woman replied that she had indeed done as he asked. She had carefully banked all his money into her account and written him a cheque for the full amount, enclosing it in the box. This made me smile, how clever of her to fulfill his wishes in this way and to show the absurdity of his request, for as the reading in James points out, 'we can't take anything with us.'

Many times we too hoard and make big plans for how we will use our riches - even when they are meager by worldly standards, but because of our broken natures, they are not always God honouring plans. The promise for today that, "true godliness with contentment brings great wealth" is a real topsy-turvy way of looking at life. But what a challenge! If we can take our eyes off the idol of money and focus instead on our wonderful God and His riches, content in trust of His generous heart, then we will know what great wealth is. There will be enough for our own needs and enough to be generous to others. Why should we need more? The account of the rich man and Lazarus surely shows us that it is not how much we have but what we do with it that is important.

Dear Lord, As we hold tight to that eternal life to which You have called us, please be central in our lives and over our hearts, thoughts and actions so that, inspired by the safety of Your love and care, we can be content, generous to others and rich in You. In Jesus Name we pray, Amen.

Margey Knapp



**Readings for today: 1 Tim. 6: 6-19
Luke 16:19-31**

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 25th Sept	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
Friday 30th Sept	2.15 pm	Closing chapel for Term 3 with Robin Mann. All welcome
Sunday 2nd Oct	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Sunday 9th Oct	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC

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.



Life in the Vine

The September edition of the Golden Grove Lutheran community magazine is now available for viewing or downloading from the GGLC website and printed copies are also available from the church foyer. The theme of this edition is *'You are Loved by God'*. It's certainly an encouraging read.

GGLC YOUTH

Youth this Friday night!

This Friday at youth, we will be having a mystery meal together to finish off Term 3. Be ready for a night full of fun and food, see you at 7:15 😊

7:15-9:30pm in the GGLC Youth Room.
\$4 per night, \$1 cans!

E-mail: youth@gglc.org.au

Facebook/Instagram: gglcyouth



GGAF ANNUAL CAMP COOBOWIE – YORKE PENINSULA Fri Evening 28th to Sun 30th October

ACCOMMODATION at Coobowie Caravan Park

ALL WELCOME at any time during the weekend
for FISHING, FUN & FELLOWSHIP

You do not have to be a GGAF member to attend

See Graeme Hoklas or Zimmo for more info

Flyer is available in Church Foyer

A reminder to all users of the Fellowship kitchen that the cupboard under the sink needs to be



locked after use at all times for health and safety reasons as it contains detergents & chemicals.

Financial Update for 2016

As of the end of August we are 2/3 of the way through the year and to meet our end of year target we would need our income to be between 68% and 72% of budget by this time. Our income is currently 59% of target, which is well below what we need to achieve. Expenditure is 64% and the cash flow position is satisfactory.

Without any increase in giving for the next months, our end of year deficit is predicted to be \$17,500.

Just to match the expenditure for the remaining months of this year, we would need an increase in personal giving of 20% (not taking into account recent pledges) which would bring us to an end of year deficit of \$7,500.

If your current giving is:	\$10	\$25	\$50	\$100	\$200
Then an increase of 20% would be:	\$12	\$30	\$60	\$120	\$240

If you are in a position to make a special donation to improve our financial position, or to increase your regular giving, or to bring forward the commencement of your 2017 pledge - please do so via the offering plate, or via REG (see details on our website at <http://www.gglc.org.au/gglc/members/worship-details.html>) or via a one-off bank transfer (details also at <http://www.gglc.org.au/gglc/members/worship-details.html>). Please place any special donations in an envelope marked 'Appeal' in the offering plate or add reference 'Appeal' to the bank transfer.

Please consider prayerfully.

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for Next Sunday : 2nd October

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
Mark Rawolle	Schutz		D Dutschke S Dutschke	Ken Campbell	Ps Greg ----- L Friedrich	Ps Greg ----- M Knapp	J Rawolle N Jaeschke	Elaine Baldock	School	
Luke Wachtel										



Upcoming Professional Standards Workshop

Beyond **Safe Place** and **ChildSafe**

Saturday 15th October 2016

9.00am—4.00pm

At Salisbury Lutheran Church

This new workshop is aimed at encouraging a culture where ALL congregational members are responsible for creating a safe and caring environment for all.

The workshop will cover...

Sessions 1 & 2

- ◇ For all adult congregational members
- ◇ Required for Church leadership
- **Introduction to Health & Safety**
- **Prevention of Harassment, Bullying & Abuse**
- **Safe Place** (Level 2)

Session 3

- ◇ For parents of children under 18yrs
- ◇ Required for Church leadership and those involved in children and youth ministry
- **Reporting Abuse & Neglect** (volunteer level)

ChildSafe Team Member

Registrations are essential.

Please register online at www.sa.lca.org.au

See church noticeboard for further details

Fellowship Group News & Events

An open invitation from the Schmocker Fellowship Group to anyone wishing to join them at their next get-together **this Friday 30th Sept at 6.30 pm for pot luck dinner and bible study** at Hogben's.

Please contact Elnora Schmocker on 0411 244 159 to find out further details if you are interested in going along.

Help needed with Craft Donations

The 'Kids @ Heart' children will be decorating a tree that will be on display at this year's Tea Tree Gully Christmas Tree Festival to be held in November at Tea Tree Gully Uniting Church.

In preparation for the children's creative efforts we are asking for donations of :

Sequins; pins; gold & silver ribbon; Christmas material; maroon & blue ribbon

If you can help with any of the above items can you please bring and leave them in the "Christmas Craft Donation" box in the Church Foyer or contact **Natasha Jaeschke** (0412 310 027).

Friends of Lutheran Archives

The next Friends of Lutheran Archives (FoLA) gathering is one with a difference. Come along on **Monday 26th September** to 'witness' the amazing trek to Killalpaninna in 1866 with actors taking the parts of those early missionaries. In the words of the missionaries themselves (translated from German to English), the story will be told of the arduous journey north to establish a mission among the Dieri near Coopers Creek.

Bethlehem House, Sudholz Lane off Flinders Street city, 7.30 pm, Monday September 26th.

Gold coin donation, supper provided. Everyone welcome.



To two anonymous donors for their generous hearts and giving of:

- Cash donation to GGLC Children's Ministry
- Jura coffee machine now set up in the Fellowship Centre



TODAY 25 September at 2.00pm

Trinity Lutheran Church, 1215-1217 Grand Junction Road, Hope Valley.

Featuring the Salvation Army Band.

Hymnfest supports Bible Society Australia

WARRAMBUI VOLUNTEER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM 2017

ARISE

Let your roots grow down into him... then your faith will grow strong in the truth. (Col 2:7)

A chance for young adults to serve Jesus and each other, while assisting in the operations of a Lutheran retreat and conference centre near Canberra.

Contact Ministry Development Manager Andrew Sharp for an information pack on 02 6220 1000 or at ministry@warrambui.com.au



APPLY NOW! APPLICATIONS CLOSE 30 SEPTEMBER!

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

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/gglf.lca/>

Twitter: https://twitter.com/gglc_lca

Come to the **SPRING FAIR @ St Mark's**

8289 4003
160 Wynn Vale Drive, Wynn Vale
www.stmarksgoldengrove.org.au

Sat 8th Oct, 9am - 1pm

Trash & Treasure
Devonshire Tea
Cakes Bric-a-brac
Kids' activities
Plants Books
Games
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BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Mon	26 th Sept	Jacquie Schutz
Tues	27th Sept	Jack Thiel
Thurs	29th Sept	Pat Stacey
Fri	30th Sept	Marty Seidel

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 September** is for long life milk, milo, pasta sauce, tin green beans/peas

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