

# GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Our goal:

Care, Communicate, Connect so that people may know CHRIST.

## **Currently in Pastoral Vacancy**

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#### 23rd August 2015—13th Sunday after Pentecost

#### WELCOME to worship today!

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



Tea & coffee available during the morning service today.

Please feel welcome to join one another.

At 5.45 pm a light meal is available prior to the 6.30 pm service. All welcome



# Fitting in?

One of the key images of the Christian Church in the NT is "Body of Christ".

In using this image, St Paul also makes reference to the human body. As there are so many interacting and interdependent parts of our bodies, so there are similar aspects to the life of the Christian community.

This is no surprise to us, and something we may expect quite naturally. However, it also seems to be an aspect of the life of a congregation, which poses the greatest challenge.

In our current world, where people often appear as 'numbers', in a culture of ME first, where the ads tell us 'you're No. 1', genuine community is longed for, but often hard to find.

Maybe we need to become quite intentional about this and take some practical steps helping us to contribute to and experience community in our congregations. There is little doubt that from a mission perspective, genuine community is a very attractive element for people on the 'outside'. Belonging, fitting in, being on the inside, makes a difference in life.

At this morning's worship, we are responding to this challenge in a different way. It will be a 'one off' event. Be open to God's Spirit and enjoy making this a good experience for each other.

**Dennis Obst** 

# Today 23 Aug Dylan Dabinett Mon 24 Aug Erin Christensen We hope your special day is blessed with God's love & grace

Worship pportunities

Today 23rd Aug	9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Korean community church Salt Factory worship with HC
Friday 28th Aug	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by coffee club
Sunday 30th Aug	9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Korean community church Salt Factory worship with HC

#### ROSTOR for Next Sunday: 30th Aug

PA + Open- ing/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	Schutz	Jacquie Schutz	Ken C Christiaan H	Natasha Jaeschke	Ps Dennis ———— L Hampel	N Fielke ————— Ps Dennis	A Kupke G Hoklas	Judith Whaites	Kloeden Knapp	
Luke Wachtel			Elnora Schmocker				Nicole Fielke			Kloeden

#### This week at GGLC

Mon 24th Aug— Fellowship Group News & Events

OPEN HOUSE - Prayer Healing get-together—this Monday 24th Aug, 7.30pm at Schiller's (Wynn Vale)

Contact Paul Napier 0413 604 000 or Jon Schiller 0424 186 149.

<u>Tues 25th Aug</u>—Worship Team meeting at 7.30 pm

<u>Thurs 27th Aug</u>—Pidgin Basic Communication Language

**Course** (4th session) run by Pastor Len Tscharke in the Fellowship Centre 7.00—8.30 pm.

#### Fri 28th Aug—YOUTH



Revival is on again this Friday night! Come along to enjoy a relaxed night for youth in years 10-12! We will be starting off the night with some fun games and then we will have a Bible study, don't forget to bring your Bible and a journal along!

Arrive at **7:00pm** and we will be concluding at **10pm**. Please remember \$4 per night, \$1 cans and ChildSafe forms required.

For more information please contact Jesse Hahn on 0431 523 160 Website: <a href="http://www.gglc.org.au">http://www.gglc.org.au</a> Facebook/Instagram: gglcyouth



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# Salt Factory SERVICE with HC Tonight 6.30 pm

**Tonight at Salt Factory**, we have a guest speaker in the name of **David d'Lima** coming to speak. David will be talking about the image of God and the humanity of the unborn.





It would be great to see you there tonight at Salt Factory, with the light meal (gold coin donation) at 5:45pm and the service starting at 6:30pm.

#### Donation of Hay relief for Sampson Flat bushfire victims

The Bushfire Relief team has received a number of verbal and written Thank you's for the grateful assistance with some hay relief for the animals through this difficult time. Shared below is the latest Thank you received



On behalf of all our neighbours I would like to write and say thank you for your recent gift of hay. These gifts you have so generously given have been a real lifesaver for us and I don't know how we would have

managed without them. We have 10 highland and highland cross cows who have needed feeding hay every day for the last six months. Your practical help has meant we have been able to do this. It has been hard coping with life after the fire but to feel the support from the community has made all the difference to us.

Please know that you are truly appreciated

Yours sincerely [ill and Ivor McLatchie

## Daily Bible Readings for this week

Mon: (24/8/15) Acts 19:11-20 Tues: (25/8/15) Acts 19:21-41 Wed: (26/8/15) Acts 20:1-16 Thurs: (27/8/15) Acts 20:17-38 Fri: (28/8/15) Acts 21:1-14 Sat: (29/8/15) Psalm 45:1, 2, 6-9

Sunday: (30/8/15)

Song of Solomon2:8-13

James 1:17-27

Mark 7:1-8, 14, 15, 21-23

# This week in your LCA

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

The LCA Safe Place committee has recently established an email address for complaints about sexual abuse or harassment in the LCA or its affiliated organizations. This complements the existing phone number and postal address.

The email address is: report.abuse@ safeplace. lca.org.au

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