

Our mission:

KNOWING CHRIST AND MAKING HIM KNOWN

# GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP

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Our goal:

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

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# 4th May 2014—3rd Sunday of Easter

# WELCOME to all worshipping with us today.

Greetings to any visitors here with us. We are pleased to have you join us and we trust you have felt welcomed and pray the Holy Spirit may enlighten and empower us with the message shared with us today.



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 evening service Please feel welcome to join us.

#### Before worship

#### Matthew 4:10 (Voice): Jesus says: "Get away from Me, Satan. I will not serve you".

Temptation is something that we are faced with every single day: not one of us is exempt from the workings of the devil. Temptation manifests itself in many forms with some less apparent than others. Do you find yourself trying to tackle problems in your life by your own strength, telling yourself you don't need anyone else's help? Do you casually talk yourself up in conversation, slipping in your successes as much as you can just so others know? Or do you take pride in your possessions, flashing around your new smart phone just so you can show it off a little?

Overcoming temptations is not easy, but we don't have to do it alone. Jesus was born as a human child and grew up experiencing all that we experience in this world, including temptation. We are not made to endure anything that Jesus has not experienced Himself.

In Matthew 4, Jesus was tempted by the devil but He was victorious. And you know why? Because He relied upon the word of God to see Him through. He too was tempted to rely on His own strength, to increase His reputation by joining Satan's camp and to take possession of what wasn't His to own. But Jesus stood firm in what he had been taught in the scriptures and through the power that He possesses through our Father. God promises us that He will never give us any-thing we can't handle. 1 Corinthians 10:13 states: 'No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; He will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, He will also provide a way out so that you can endure it".

Prayer: Lord, please continue to give us confidence in you and the knowledge that any temptation we face is no match for you, our Lord and Saviour. Amen.

		Worship Opportunities	Today	Today9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pmContemporary worship with HC Korean Community Church 		* *
	Readings for today Acts 2:14, 36-41 1 Peter 1:17-23 Matthew 4:1-11		Friday 9th May	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with HC with school community followed by coffee club	HE LIVES!
			Sunday 11th May	9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Korean Community Church Salt Factory worship with HC	



#### 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 inside the church.

The *"Kids at Heart"* team run a **QUIET** craft table during the sermon. That way, the children have some time with their parents during the morning services, and also a little bit of time to be creative, to wriggle around and to learn about our God and what He means to us through artistic activities, with their friends. All children are welcome to join in this time. 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!

# <u>Pastor's Column</u>

Welcome all of you to worship today.



A special welcome to Bethany Swift's

family and friends to our morning worship. Bethany is being baptized into the family of believers, represented here at Golden Grove by our congregation who has assembled. What a wonderful gift Baptism is! God, father Son and

Holy Spirit- claiming Bethany as his own. God - giving her all the privileges and responsibilities as his daughter. God - promising to always be there for her... *No wonder we can celebrate this morn-ing.* 

Also today we are starting our new theme: **Walking with Jesus**. Today we are walking with Jesus in the desert and into his temptation (as we study **Matthew 4:1-11**).

How do you handle temptation? I reckon the image of walking with Jesus gives us three approaches to temptation: *learning, praying and trusting*. I will be expanding on each of these in the address this morning.

In Salt Factory I shall be speaking about why we don't talk about temptation so much anymore and, how we in fact need to deal with temptation that we are faced with.

Over this weekend **Synod** is being held at Mawson Lakes Community Church. The theme is "*Grow and Go*". Why not visit for a few sessions?

**Next Sunday** the theme for Mothers' Day is walking with Jesus down the road, based on Matthew 8:8-17.

Advance Notice: Our School and Church Annual General Meeting in a month's time: Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> May. Don't forget to write your reports.

As I start this year's pastor's report I ask myself: Where are we going? / Where is God leading us? / What is God telling us to take up and to leave behind? I am thinking of Matthew 16:24. Feel free to talk to me about this.

#### What is happening this week- at a glance?

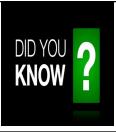
#### This week:

Monday (5/5/14) Tuesday (6/5/14) Wednesday (7/5/14) Thursday (8/5/14) Friday (9/5/14)

Saturday (10/5/14)

Sit and sew 7.00pm School council 7.30pm Worship team 7pm The Journey 3.15pm Worship with the school community 8.45am Wedding 11am

Our GGLF Youth events for Term 2 are available to view on the calendar from our website—www.gglf.org.au. Go to the home page and look under Calendar on the top selection bars.



**Pastor Leon** 

## Youth News!



He gave Himself as an offering for sin so that He'd see life come from it – life, life and more life - Isaiah 53:10b.

What do you want to see in the Fellowship Lounge? For Revival this term, we'll be discussing and working towards revamping the room with the cans fridge in it to make it a nice hangout for when Revival Cafe meets. We want your ideas in this process, so come along on **Friday, May 9** from **7pm until 10pm** for a chilled night with yummy food, a couple of fun decorating (ish) activities and decision-making! Our devotion discussions will revolve around the stories of Ruth and Samuel, focusing on the trust they had in God through fairly harrowing ordeals.

Let's make this room as vibrant and youthy as possible! 🙂 **\$4, \$1 cans** and Childsafe forms needed. Invite a friend or three!

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07 youth.gglf.org.au

### **Church / Youth Lost Property**

Jason has put together a big box of lost property found in the church in the past six months. The following is a list of the items. If any of these items belong to you please contact the Admin office or call in to have a look. Items not claimed will be given to Lutheran Community Care.

Size 10 Girls Pink Sugar black leggings 3/4 years Reebok navy jacket Size 12 (Kids)Target light blue jacket Size 14 Urban Supply navy jacket (white sleeves) Maroon sheet Maroon bath towel 1000mL blue container Modbury Hawks snapback cap Australia green thongs (Mens) Blue deck chair Little Bear red carry bag 3x tie-up small fabric patterned bags



"Sit & Sew"

Tomorrow evening-Monday 5th May, 7.00-9.00 pm in the F/Centre

You are most welcome to join us even if you haven't been before. These sessions **are not** a formal teaching class, instead you are encouraged to bring along whatever project you are currently working on.

Bring your friends.

The cost of each session is \$5.00.

Supper provided.

For more information please contact Heidi Rosenberg on: Home 7225 0581 or Mobile 0408 847 386



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
Mark Rawolle	Judith Whaites	Jacquie Schutz	J Canavese D Quick	Ken Campbell	K Appelt  N Stevenson	M Knapp  Pastor Leon		Judith Whaites	School	
Simon Ahrens							L Napier T Rawolle			Schmocker

# Fellowship Group News & Events

#### OPEN HOUSE - 1st Wednesday of the Month (7th May) -7.30pm at the Napier's

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, anything at all. Come once or as often as you like. Contact Paul Napier 0413 604 000 or Jon Schiller 0424 186 149.



#### GGLF & GGLPS AGM's will be held on Sunday 25th May at 11.00 am in the Worship Centre

Leaders of all our various GGLF groups are kindly reminded to please prepare reports and financial statements for submission.

It would greatly assist if the **Agenda** and **individual reports** could please be submitted by **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May** allowing time for the Book of Reports to be collated and copied ready for distribution by 11<sup>th</sup> May.

It is hoped that leaders or coordinators of all of the groups operating in our church would write "a report" sharing news or info about the running of your particular group over the last 12 months.

We are blessed to have many groups here at GGLF so we'd love to hear from every one of you!

Youth; Kids at Heart; CC's; Worship; Friends of Asaroka; Golden Grove Amateur Fishing Club; Men's Fellowship; Women's Fellowship; Sit & Sew Group; Library; Meals Ministry; Catering; Fellowship Groups

And if I've forgotten any, I'm sorry, but we'd love for you to please share with us anyway.

Thanks, Judith



### CAR PARKING AVAILABLE ON FOOTBALL MATCH DAYS.

#### **IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH 139 ARCHER STREET, NORTH ADELAIDE.**

With the football now at Adelaide Oval, parking is at a premium. We can take the hassle out of finding a park with approximately 20 car parks available at the rear of the Church for \$10 per game.

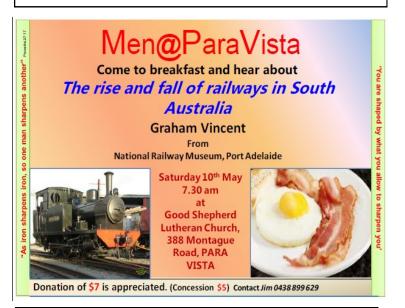
Season passes are also available. Funds raised will go to our Ministry and Mission Projects. Contact Chairperson – Gary Boyce on 0413 553 770

# Can you help?

The Kids @ Heart team are looking for more people to share their talents on Sunday mornings.

For more information see or contact Sarah Williams

(ph 7480 1969 or email sm williams1@optusnet.com.au)



# entertainment The 2014/15 Entertainment Book

is now available along with brand new Entertainment<sup>™</sup> Digital Membership available for your Apple or Android device! So you have a choice: the traditional Entertainment<sup>™</sup> Book Membership or the new Entertainment<sup>™</sup> Digital Membership. The brand new Entertainment<sup>™</sup> Digital Membership puts the value of the Entertainment<sup>™</sup> Book into your Apple or Android device, and allows you to:

- Show and save using your Apple or Android device, with no Card or Voucher to present
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- Search for specific businesses by name, location or dining category

Share your Membership with your immediate family Please feel welcome to contact the Admin office to place an order. Books may also be purchased online at https:// www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/161k370. Cost is \$65 with proceeds towards our Asaroka, PNG partnership. Looking forward to your support again this year.

### **Daily Bible Readings for** this week

Mon:	(5/5/14)	Hebrews 7:1-17
Tues:	(6/5/14)	Hebrews 7:18-28
Wed:	(7/5/14)	Hebrews 8:1-13
Thurs:	(8/5/14)	Hebrews 9:1-14
Fri:	(9/5/14)	Hebrews 9:15-28
Sat:	(10/5/14)	Psalm 23
Sunday:	(11/5/14)	Acts 2:42-47 1 Peter 2:19-25 Matt 8:8-17

#### GRACE CONFERENCE 2014 Satur-

day May 24, 8:45am – 3:30pm at Con-
cordia College, 45 Cheltenham St,
Highgate

LWSA/NT encourage women of all ages to attend the Grace conference 2014 at Concordia College.

The theme for the conference this year is Evangalism for Everyone, \* guilt not included.

Spend a day with Christian women from from all walks of life and explore what God does and doesn't wantus to do when it comes to evangelism from the book of 1 Peter .

Register online at graceconference.org.au or phone Carol Black on 82663007 /0418834150 for more information.



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Starting this week - Evening Classes at Australian Lutheran College!

Register your attendance now at one of the fabulous Autumn Evening Classes starting this Wednesday May 7.

These 4 week classes are being held on every Wednesday night throughout May (7, 14, 21 & 28) from 7pm - 9pm at Australian Lutheran College. The cost is \$40

per person (\$25 concession). These Evening Classes can be attended by anyone for personal interest or professional development.

The topics on offer in May are:

1. Does the Old Testament leave a disturbing legacy? - Dr Peter Lockwood; Lecturer in Old Testament

2. Baptised to live: living your faith in your daily life – Dr Andrew Pfeiffer; Head of the School of Pastoral Theology

3. Frodo's God: the theology of J.R.R. Tolkien – Dr Mark Worthing; Senior Researcher at the Australian Lutheran Institute for Theology and Ethics

For more information and to register www.grassroots.edu.au

### Great Kids need Great Parents ...



With the right tools anyone can be a great parent! If you're looking for practical parenting strategies, inspiration, and encouragement, you're sure to be interested in a Toolbox Parenting Group. Two separate courses—one for Middle years (6-12 yrs) and one for Tweens & Teen years (12 +) - will be commencing on May 12. Each course runs for 6 weeks. Please see flyer on noticeboard in

church foyer for further details of what

- each of the courses cover. OR
- Contact Maryann or Jaylene
- Phone 8250 4167
- Email: maryannc.sney@gmail.com

#### **GGLPS Principal: Daryl Trigg**

**GGLF** Council Chairperson Vice Chairperson Secretary Worship Ministry Plant & Human Resources Outreach Stewardship Youth Children & Family Elder/Pastoral Care Treasurer Extra members Principal

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Elnora Schmocker

### PLEASE CHECK OUT THE NOTICEBOARD FOR MORE POSITIONS VACANT NOTICES AND OTHER **OPPORTUNITIES**

#### Aid for Hearing Impaired

As an aid for the hearing impaired, the service is transmitted on 88.3 MHz FM radio.

#### Prayer Chain

Means a lot of people praying about an urgent or special need. For urgent prayer requests during the week you are invited to contact one of following people and the prayer chain will be set in progress. (Pastor Len & Claire Tscharke, Jon Schiller, Tanya Wilson, Judith Whaites.)

All requests will be kept confidential.

The prayer chain is available for everyone in both the church and school communities. Likewise if anybody feels they would like to be a part of the prayer chain we'd love you to join us.

#### Worship recording

Each service is recorded. DVD's can be ordered for a \$5 donation. See the Church Office.

#### **Bibles**

Bibles are available at the back of the church so that you can follow the Readings and Bible references in the Sermon.

We offer you one of these Bibles to take home, if you need one, and possibly bring back each week (so that the one you use at home is the one you use in church). If you would like to make a donation towards it - \$10 would be appreciated.

#### Meals Ministry

(A practical way we can share & show God's love) Families rostered to support Meals Ministry in May are: Hoklas & Dutschke.

When donating meals for the freezer we ask that you please attach some details to the container, eg name of the meal, date meal was prepared, a list of main ingredients, and heating instructions. Thank vou.

#### Library

Don't forget the Library is open for browsing and borrowing.

Christian greeting cards always for sale from the Mobile Unit in the Fellowship Centre -Cost \$2.

#### Pastor Leon's Message

is available in printed copy form immediately after the service from the Church Foyer . Please feel welcome to take a copy home.

#### Internet access

to weekly GGLF bulletin, Sermon, Life in the Vine, rosters and other info. You can get to it by going to www.gglf.org.au

#### Stamps For Missions

Remember to keep collecting your used postage stamps for missions. Box in Foyer.

#### **GGLF Attendance & Offerings**

(Offerings do not include electronic giving amount of approx. \$12000 per month .) The LLL Account No. for GGLF Regular Electronic Giving is 28190/S1/GOL

To transfer money into the LLL Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship REG A/c please use: BSB (Branch) number - 704942 and Account No. -2819Ò

	Offerings	Attendance
27/4/14, 9.30 am	\$931.35	76
Korean church 11.30am	\$139.00	34
Salt Factory, 6.30 pm	\$152.00	18