

## GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP

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Our goal:

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

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### 6th July 2014—4th Sunday after Pentecost

## 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

Please feel welcome to join us.



'Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls' (Matt 11:29).

**Before worship** 

There is no better way to learn from Christ than by using the Psalms! How do we know this? Just one way is that when Jesus appeared to his disciples after his resurrection he **opened their minds** to how '... everything written about about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the **Psalms** must be fulfilled' (Luke 24:44b). Suddenly his use of Psalm 22 from the despair of the cross made sense to them - for it goes to the core of his carrying the sins of the world for our salvation.

It's no accident then that the Psalms are the most quoted Old Testament book in the New Testament - 126 times in all. In short, they show God's heart: his 'righteouness' and 'steadfast love' (Exodus 34:6-7) ... the recurring refrain of the Psalms! And profoundly, in praying the Psalms, Jesus is your personal teacher because they are his prayers. Indeed Dietrich Bonhoeffer, a famous Lutheran Pastor and Professor, executed in the dying days of WWII for standing up to the Nazis, said:

'A Psalm we cannot utter as a prayer, that makes us falter and horrifies us, is a hint to us that here Someone else is praying, not we; that One who is here protesting his innocence, who is invoking God's judgment, who has come to such indefinite depths of suffering, is none other than Jesus Christ himself. He it is who is praying here, and not only here but in the whole Psalter' (1954: 44, *Life Together*, Harper One).

And in praying with the Word (Jesus) you receive him, not least his 'rest': forgiveness! As Jesus says to us: 'For my yoke is easy and my burden is light' (Matt 11:30)

We pray: Christ, in your mercy you gave us the Psalms to pray with you as you intercede for us in every circumstance of life - happy or sad, our fault or another's. Lead us now through your Holy Spirit to receive your good things in our worship as we praise your Father to each other and the world. Amen.

Matt Bishop



#### Readings for today

Gen. 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67

Rom. 7:15-25

Matt. 11:16-19, 25-30

Worship Opportunities

Today	9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Korean Community Church Salt Factory worship
Sunday 13th July	9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Korean Community Church Salt Factory worship with HC
Sunday 20th July	9.30 am 11.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Korean Community Church Salt Factory worship

#### 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!

<u>For our 'little ones'</u> - Quiet bags & busy books are available for worship time from the children's area inside the church.

The "Kids at Heart" team run a special time for children in the foyer area 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 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!

#### Pastor's Column

Today we are starting yet another series. It is entitled *Living Psalms*. Over the next several weeks we shall be looking at particular Psalms. This week and next week, the psalm of the day and then through "third term" some of the most treasured psalms.

This morning we shall be looking at Psalms overall and how they can be used (Jesus prayer book..., allegorically..., using the feeling of he psalm...) and then looking at today's psalm, **Psalm 45**, and in particular **verse 11** Let the king be enthralled by your beauty; honor him, for he is your lord.

This psalm, as I said last week is a beautiful psalm – a song of praise for the king on his wedding day.

When we have a closer look at this psalm I believe this will take many of us out of comfort zone. I shall be asking, what is our "beauty"? Most significantly, what is His response to it? And thirdly, just how we are to honour him?

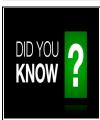
In **Salt Factory tonight**, I shall be taking up an aspect of this Psalm.

**Next Sunday**, we shall be looking at Psalm 119, in particular verse 105, *Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path.* 

**Pastor Leon** 

What is happening this week- at a glance?
Monday (7/7/14) Sit and Sew, 7pm
Tuesday (8/7/14) GGLF Council, 7.30pm
Saturday/Sunday (12, 13/7/14)

WEST COAST FISHING TRIP



You can serve on ministries around the church like greeting and ushering, flowers and kids at heart.

For more information head to the website.

#### Cans of fruit for LCC

It has been brought to our attention by someone who volunteers at Lutheran Community Care that LCC pantry is in need of cans of fruit Perhaps next time you're shopping you might consider adding a can *(or more)* to your trolley and donating to LCC.



#### "Sit & Sew"

Tomorrow evening—Monday 7th July, 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

#### **Golden Grove Amateur Fishing**

It is not too late to book a seat on the bus to Elliston on Eyre Peninsula. 20 people have booked to date and a number of seats are still available.

#### WEST COAST FISHING TRIP

When: Fishing commences Saturday morning <u>12 Jul 2014</u> Last fishing will be Sunday evening <u>13 Jul 2014</u>

Accommodation: Elliston Waterloo Bay Tourist Park
Check out the accommodation and prices at this website: <a href="http://www.visitelliston.net">http://www.visitelliston.net</a>

**Getting There**: **Self Drive** (approx 688 km), **or Bus** (approx cost \$100/person) **or Car Pool** 

**Bus Travel** – The time of departure will be **8.30 am** on Friday <u>11</u> <u>Jul 2014</u> for arrival at Elliston at about 6.00 pm. Pick up/drop off will be at the Golden Grove Lutheran Church car park at Wynn Vale. Check out of the cabins at Elliston will be 10am on the Monday but we anticipate that the bus will leave at 9.00 am. Arrival back in Adelaide will be at about 6.00 pm including a stop for lunch along the way.

Other costs: The evening meals on Friday and Sunday night will be catered for at a cost of approx \$20/head for 2 meals. It is envisaged that we will go to the Elliston pub (walking distance) for a meal on the Saturday night. You will need to bring your own food for lunch and breakfast. There is a supermarket and bakery in the Elliston township (walking distance)

RSVP: If you are interested in attending this fishing weekend or have any questions please contact Graeme Hoklas 0419 828 091 or Louise Sumner 041 9811 945.

If you wish to book a seat on the bus a deposit of \$50 will be required.

You will need to book your own accommodation at Elliston Waterloo Bay Tourist Park on 08 86879076 or online at their website.

#### **FLOWERS**

We are looking for more people to be on the flower roster, if you would like to do the flowers in church please contact Simon Ahrens 0421 910 604





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
Karl Dutschke	Karl Jeramy Hybrid Dutschke Lindner band	,	J Canavese D Quick		M Seidel	M Knapp	Heidi Rosenberg	McLuckie Rawolle		
Dutsenke		D Quick		C Bartel			Rosemberg			
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#### Golden Grove / Central Eyre Peninsula partnership

You may recall at our AGM in May we passed the proposal to establish a closer relationship with the Central Eyre Peninsula parish. Initial talks have been opened towards this and from all accounts has received positive response.

The parish were delighted to hear of this and wish to convey their thanks to Golden Grove congregation for thinking of them, and offering to be a partner with their parish.

We can now begin exploring in more detail what we think this partnership might involve and are looking for anyone interested in developing this partnership to contact Pastor Leon or GGLF Council.

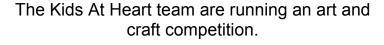
#### **Chaplaincy Program**

There has been a flurry of discussion in the media about school chaplaincy following the May federal budget — a lot of discussion, but also a lot of misinformation.

Angela Jolly, together with the National Schools Chaplaincy Association have put a document together to address these issues and questions.

If you would like to read more this document can be found at (http://g.suqld.org.au/1kLUibR).

ART AND CRAFT COMPETITION



You can create anything you like; paint, sculpt, pottery, lego creations, sewing, weaving...the list is endless.

So kids get your creative hats on and have a little fun over the school holidays!

When you are finished drop it off at the church or school office, but have it in before the end of week 1 term 3 (25th July)

Items will be on display in weeks 2 and 3 of term 3 (28/7-8/8)

There will prizes!!!

If you need any more information please contact: Lesley Friedrich 0402 036 183 Sarah Williams 0149 187 522

We are all looking forward to seeing your wonderful creations.

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

Mon: ( 7/7/14) John 15:1-11 (8/7/14) John 15:12-27 Tues: (9/7/14) John 16:1-15 Wed: (10/7/14) John 16:16-33 Thurs: Fri: (11/7/14) John 17:1-11 Sat: (12/7/14) Psalm 65 Sunday: (13/7/14) Gen. 25:19-34 Rom. 8:1-11

#### **POSITION VACANT**

Café 3:16 Mission Coordinator St Michael's Lutheran, Hahndorf

Part-time (18 hours/week) See noticeboard for further details.

#### **Upcoming visit by Dr Edgar Mayer**

Author, Evangelist to Victor Harbour Lutheran Church, from the 8<sup>th</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup> of August, 2014

#### Surprised by the Holy Spiritthere is more for you than you think

Tickets are available from https:// www.eventbrite.com/e/surprisedby-the-holy-spirit-tickets-11732934523

Cost: \$30 -includes Saturday Lunch and morning and afternoon teas

For special dietary requirements, please contact the church office

See noticeboard for flyer with more details.



#### **School Courtyard Shade Project**

Matt. 13:1-9,

18-23

The school is currently running a fundraising project to build a shade structure across the courtyard. Any assistance you can offer will certainly help out. Even a dollar or two will help. Donations can be made through the school website. http://bit.ly/gglf2gglps

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Mon July 7 Stephen Carter **Judith Whaites** Kerry Jachmann Tues July 8 Wed July 9 Emma Baldock Thurs July 10 Joel Davidson

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



Support for the work and ministry of Lutheran Community Care is ongoing and encouraged. LCC's request list for June is for canned soup, canned tuna, tea, coffee & Milo

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

**GGLPS Principal: Daryl Trigg** 

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#### Office times

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#### **GGLF Council**

Chairperson Vice Chairperson Secretary Worship Ministry

Elnora Schmocker Denise Kloeden Jacquie Schutz

Simon Ahrens

Plant & Human Resources Outreach

Stewardship Youth

Principal

**Pastor** 

Children & Family Elder/Pastoral Care Treasurer Extra members

Elnora Schmocker Simon Williams Jason Kupke (ex officio)

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Christiaan Hersevoort (ex officio)

### PLEASE CHECK OUT THE NOTICEBOARD FOR MORE **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 July are: Quick & Rawolle.

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

#### 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
29/6/14, 9.30 am	\$315.70	59
Korean church, 11.30am	\$153.50	25
Salt Factory, 6.30 pm	\$100.00	23