



Jesus said, "I am the vine.
You are the branches."
John 15.5

*Our mission: "Making
Christ known in the
community so that all
may worship Him
and receive the gift of
eternal life"*

GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP

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



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14th July 2013—8th 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 messages shared today.



Tea & coffee is available in the Fellowship Centre following morning service

Please feel welcome to join us.

Before Worship

Amos 7:8 *And the LORD asked me, "What do you see, Amos?" "A plumb line," I replied. Then the Lord said, "Look, I am setting a plumb line among my people Israel; I will spare them no longer.*

God's Word is so hard to take sometimes.

This verse (from the first reading for today) is part of a conversation that God is having with the prophet Amos. This is prayer, an expression of a trusting relationship, a struggle they both were having. God could not delay the punishment- he couldn't ignore their sin any longer. The plumb line was showing they weren't straight – righteous and they would suffer the consequences. (We call this – in theological terms- the use of the Law.) And Amos had to receive and deliver that message.

It's hard to take.

The priest at the time (as the text goes onto say) told Amos to stop prophesying thinking this would divert the disaster. But that is not the answer.

We know the answer to sin is repentance and accepting the forgiveness that God offers us through the Gospel.

May God show us our sin, give us sorrow for that sin, humility to accept the Gospel, joy that comes from sins forgiven and the courage to step away from our sin into the life He would give us.

That is so hard. We need God to help us.

Prayer: *Father we pray for that you would open our ears and our hearts to know what displeases you. Please give us that sorrow, humility, joy and courage as we accept what you have to say to us today. Thank you for your Law that leads us to the Gospel- your love for us in Jesus. Amen.*

Pastor Leon

Worship Opportunities

Today 14th July	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Sunday 21st July	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
Friday 26th July	8.45—9.15 am	Informal worship with HC with school community followed by Coffee Club
Sunday 28th July	8.45—9.15 am	Contemporary worship with HC 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!

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!

Pastor's Column

What a wonderful prayer!

God, fill us with the knowledge of Your will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, so that we may live a life worthy of You and please You in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of You, being strengthened with all power according to Your glorious might so that we may have great endurance and patience, and give joyful thanks to You, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of Your people in the kingdom of light. Amen.

This morning in the address we are going to keep this prayer in mind as we answer a few questions about prayer: why pray, how do you pray and what form should our prayers take? It is based on Paul's prayer for the Colossians (*Colossians 1:9-12*) which we find in the second reading for today.

Please consider, What is the best thing we can do—do for people? Serve?Teach? – the Gospel. Listen? Love?

What about Prayer? ... especially (if, like Paul we are apart from the people we love as he was from Colossae). If we can't be with them, we can pray for them.....

Welcome to **Harrison's family for his baptism today** (Harrison is Kiara nee Whaites and Jarrad Kerr's son).

God is doing something very special this morning for Harrison and *reminding us* of what he has done for us through Baptism.

Don't forget our National **Bishop's installation** this afternoon at St Michael's, Hahndorf.

At **Salt Factory** this evening we shall be continuing the theme of forgiveness. Jason will be speaking at this service.

Please remember there won't be a Salt Factory dinner prior to the service (because it is school holidays).

Next Sunday we are continuing our walk through the book of Colossians and so again consider the second reading set down for the day (Colossians 1:15-28). The theme for the address is "**The mystery of Christ**".

"The Gathering : 31/8/13. The theme: What is the next step on our journey to care/communicate/connect". Saturday, 8.30am-1pm at "*Wirrimbirra*" Ivan and Elnora Schmockers', Lot 65 - block at the end of Grenfell Road. As with previous Gatherings (this is the 6th one): corporate worship, presentation, morning tea (bring a plate to share), quiet time in a tranquil setting, group feedback of what God is saying to us, culminating in Holy Communion and BBQ lunch (donation). Come along.

Please note the invitation that Lee Norrey has given to join other women for **Bible Study either Friday or Monday afternoon**. I fully endorse this and in fact I am so pleased that Lee is leading these that I plan to attend the first few.

Again I would like to ask: How's your Bible reading going? And to invite you to use the "**Daily Bible Readings**" as your guide. Remember we print them on the back page of the Bulletin each week. I would love the congregation to see this as a major way in which we are united, ie. Every one reading the same Bible passages each day, as people meet having a common passage to discuss and every team meeting beginning with a devotion based on the text of the day.

Today we are planning to release the **GGLF Community Directory**. Please note the privacy clause on the front page of the Directory and dispose of your previous Directory in a responsible way.

Pastor Leon

WHAT'S COMING UP DURING THE WEEK?

This week:

Today (14/7/13)	2.0pm Installation of our first Bishop, John Henderson, St Michael's Hahndorf.
Monday (15/7/13)	7.15am GGAF Tackle Night .
Wednesday (17/7/13)	Asaroka Team leaving
Thursday (18/7/13)	9.00am. Prayer TTG

Next week:

Tuesday (23/7/13)	7.00pm School's Ministry (supporting CPSW program) celebration (Seaton)
Wednesday (24/7/13)	7.30pm Installation of Mark Hawkes (St Mark's Anglican Church Wynn Vale)
Friday (26/7/13)	8.45am Worship with school community – with Holy Communion. Theme : "The fall into Sin"

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for Sunday 21st July

PA + Opening/Closing up	Power-point	Music Group	Greeters/ Ushers	Readers 9.30 am only	Children's Address 9.30 am	Prayers 9.30 am only	Assistants with HC	Flowers	Church Cleaning	Salt Factory Catering
Bruce Lindner	Jeremy Lindner	Kristian Appelt	G & P Copeland	J & T Rawolle	Marty Seidel	Matthew Bishop		Dawn Rutter	School	
Simon Ahrens			Ken C				Denise & Roger Kloeden			Fielke



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

SPOT ON FISHING TACKLE NIGHT

Date: Monday 15th July 2013
Time: 7.15pm for 7.30pm start
Where: Golden Grove Lutheran School Conference Room
 Cnr Sunnybrook Drive & Richardson Road,
 Wynn Vale

Both Spot On Fishing Tackle stores at Holden Hill and Salisbury Plain will be represented and available for advice on the night.

Come and see:

- How to Fish at a Surf/Beach Location and what Gear/Tackle/Bait to use.
- New Fishing Products and accessories.
- Special offers for the club

Spot On Fishing Tackle will provide a Door Prize on the night – there is no cost for admission – everyone is welcome.

Any queries please contact Graeme on 0419828091 or 82826000. If you plan to attend please advise as this will assist with planning for the night.

NEXT EVENT

Port Noarlunga Jetty Fishing – Saturday 10th August 2013 at 11.30am

INSTALLATION OF FIRST LCA BISHOP

Today at 2.00 pm

All LCA members and friends are invited to attend the installation of Rev John Henderson as LCA Bishop (formerly President) at St Michael's Lutheran Church, Cnr Balhannah Rd & Church St. Hahndorf, commencing at 2.00 pm. Please try to attend this important event in the life of our church.

For those not able to attend in person, the service will be streamed live through www.livestream.com/luthmedia from 2.00 pm CST on Sunday.



BIBLE STUDY INVITATION

An invitation is extended to interested ladies to come along to a bible study on either Monday or Friday at 1.30 – 3pm to be held at church.

Please contact Lee Norrey 0414 346 062 or Jacquie Schutz 0411 426 158 if you are interested.

Youth — Are you getting bored in your holidays? Well you're in luck. Any high school aged youth that want to are invited to attend a **LAN/Board game day this Friday, July 19**. We'll be using the school computer suite. Come along from 2pm until 12am and hang with some quality people. \$5 with pizza tea included. More details can be found on the FB page, email ja-son@gglf.org.au or call 0403 180 607. Jason

ATTENTION GOLDEN GROVE YOUTH, METRO CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK 2013 IS COMING UP VERY SOON!

Metro Christian Life Week (CLW) is a camp for young people in years 8-12, who want to form and affirm their faith alongside other Christians.

CLW is full of worship, games, friendship and fun. We provide opportunities for small group discussions, praise and worship with a live band and guest speaker, challenging and exciting activities, personal reflection, free time, great food, opportunities to develop new friendships, and a supportive Christian community.

There will be a variety of electives to inspire campers and help them explore the many ways in which we can praise God, and use our gifts for his purposes.

Campers will also have the opportunity to share their experiences, wisdom and gifts with the rest of the camp during an evening worship time.

CLW camps are life changing experiences that create lasting memories and strengthen foundations for a Christian life.

Dates: 30 September - 4 October 2013

Venue: Adare Campsite Victor Harbor (18-38 Wattle Drive, McCracken SA)

Cost: \$180 per camper

September Camp Rego Close 9 September (Make sure you register asap as positions on camp are limited and are filling up very quickly!)

Register Online: blueprintministries.org.au/metroclw

For more information please contact Jason Kupke or Nicole Fielke (Youth Leaders)

ALSO ATTENTION ADULTS!!!

On camp there is also a position available to be the **LEADER of the "prayer team"**. This position requires you to be on camp for the 5 days and pray for the campers and leaders. As well as hang out with 120+ young people so it would be an awesome community to be a part of! Please let Nicole Fielke know as soon as possible if you are interested in taking on this role and she will give you more information about your role on camp. Nicole's mobile number is 0422014596 and email is nicole.fielke7@gmail.com.

