



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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4th March 2012—2nd Sunday in Lent

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 tea is available prior to our 6.30 pm evening service
Please feel welcome to join us.*

TWO MINUTES before Worship

The Lord appeared to Abram and said "I am God Almighty, walk before me and be blameless." Can you imagine that? The implications are just mind boggling! Abraham's reaction was to fall flat on his face before Him. Oh for the ground to swallow you up!

This was God's introduction to His promise of everlasting blessing to Abraham and to all his descendants and would come with the birth of a child from Sarah's 'dead' womb and his 100 year old body.

How do we interpret this, 'walk before me and be blameless'? A command to be 100% perfect all the time - never ever to sin in thought, word or deed, even subconsciously? Impossible! Or was it more a cause and effect type thing. That is - walk before Me (God) and I will make you blameless! Paul in his letter to the Romans declares this to be a promise of God that comes by faith.

Paul shows us that we are part of that family promised to Abraham and Sarah because we share faith in God. This faith is God's gift, for it is, "God who gives life to the dead and calls things that are not as though they were". This faith is then 'credited as righteousness' or blamelessness because it is in Jesus that we believe, He who died for our sins, paid for them and has been raised for our justification.

In the face of this great promise let us be like Abraham and be strengthened in our faith and give glory to God, "being fully persuaded that God has the power to do what He promises".

Father God, thank you for this gift of blamelessness that comes from You and may we treasure all that Jesus has done for us for eternity. In Jesus Name, Amen.

Margey Knapp



Readings for today

Genesis 17:1-7, 15, 16
Romans 4:13-25
Mark 14:32-42

Readings for 11th Mar
Exodus 20: 1-17
1 Cor. 1:18-25
Mark 14:43-52

Worship Opportunities

Today 4th March	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
Friday 9th March	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
Sunday 11th Mar	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Friday 16th March	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club

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

Our "Journey to the Cross" takes us "deep in the garden" this morning. Here I see the depth of Jesus' suffering. I pray that we may accept Jesus' invitation to "...*watch and pray that so that we don't fall into temptation...*" (Mark 14:38)

Our service this morning will feature a presentation of celebration and information of where we are at with **our partnership with Asaroka**.

Over the next 5 weeks you are invited to continue this Journey with Jesus:

- 11/3/12:** On the edge of the garden (Mark 14:43-52)
- 18/3/12:** In the courtyard (Mark 14:53-72)
- 25/3/12:** In court (Mark 15:1-20)
- 1/4/12:** On a hill (Mark 15:21-32) (*Passion Sunday*)
- 5/4/12 Maundy Thursday:** Back to the upper room (Mark 14:22-24) (*Salt Factory band*)
- 6/4/12 Good Friday:** On the cross (Mark 15:33-47)
- 8/4/12 6.15am Easter Dawn Service:** On the way to the cemetery. (Mark 16:1-3)
- 8/4/12 Easter Main Service:** At the cemetery. (Mark 16:4-8)

A few of the features of this Lent will be the Dawn Service at Druminor Gardens (Harrison's Funerals, Ridgehaven).

Our president Pastor David Altus preaching on the 25th March

The Salt Factory service on the 1st April- celebrating Palm Sunday, with the rite of First Communion for those who have stepped up to Communion.

If you would like to attend **mid week Lenten services**, you are encouraged to attend **St John's Dernancourt** each Wednesday in Lent at 7.30pm. The theme is: "**The Responses to Christ in Mark's passion account**".

May I remind you that you are invited to use the **Fellowship Group/ Personal Discussion Guide** which is available in the foyer (with copies of the sermon) to further explore what the message means for your life.

Last week we launched the program, "**The Gift that Lasts**" *Bibles for persecuted Christians* (a devotional resource with reports from countries where Christians are being persecuted for their faith and the Bible shaped money box.) You can take up this program any time you wish. I hope you enjoyed the DVD we showed before worship on this. **See elsewhere in this Bulletin for more details.**

At Salt Factory tonight **Paul Napier** will be speaking on the Lord's Prayer.

Please take special note of the **Blokes Only (BO) activities** that are coming up.

Pastor Leon

What is coming up in the next fortnight?

- Monday (5/3/12): Worship team
- Monday (5/3/12): 7pm Stitch and Sew
- Wednesday (7/3/12): 7am Prayer/ breakfast (TTG Community Church) Prayer TTG- *You are welcome to attend.*
- Thursday (8/3/12): 7.30am Schools' Ministry TTG (TTG Uniting Church)
- Friday (9/3/12): 8.45 Worship: "Humility: Gideon relies on God" followed by School Sports Day
- Friday (9/3/12) 7pm: Rev 320 "Eat pray love..."
- Tuesday week (13/3/12): Board
- Wednesday week (14/3/12): "God For Us" session 5
- Thursday week (15/3/12): Easter Primary School Program planning
- Friday week (16/3/12): 8.45am Worship
- Friday week (16/3/12): 7pm Bakery Movie Night

(Unless otherwise indicated all meetings start at 7.30pm.)

SALT FACTORY

worship service **tonight** at 6.30pm
Paul Napier will be sharing the message based on The Lord's Prayer & also if anyone is not well, there will be prayer for people for their healing at the end of the service.

A Shared meal (gold coin donation) beforehand at 5.45pm gives you a chance for fellowship & food.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO Salt Factory catering next Sunday 11th March due to the long weekend.



WANT A CHANCE TO PURCHASE A PNG BILUM ?

Then there's an opportunity to do so at a Bilum Stall after service in the Fellowship Centre this morning after the Asaroka presentation.

Come have a look. Funds raised go towards our support for Asaroka.

"Sit & Sew"

Tomorrow evening

5th March – 7.00 pm

in the Fellowship Centre



You are certainly 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.

We finish at 9pm. Bring your friends.

The cost of each session is \$5.00.

Supper provided.

For more information please contact Heidi Rosenberg on: Home 82514007 or Mobile 0408 847 386

YOUTH NEWS!

It's time for REV320 once more (for years 7 to 10), being held on **Friday, March 9**. Come along for a fest, plenty of lovey-dovey games, and to share the love (of Jesus, of course) on **Eat Pray Love: The Not on Valentine's, Valentine's Dinner**. It will commence at **7pm** through until **10pm**. If you are certain that you will be coming, it would be awesome for catering purposes for you to contact Jason in person or via email (jason@gglf.org.au). We are selling tickets to the event which are available from the youth leaders at Salt Factory or throughout the week for **\$4**. Under 18s require a guardian to fill out and sign a Childsafe form, available on our website (youth.gglf.org.au). If you register for this website, you can fill in the form on your computer, print it off, sign it and bring it on the night!

There is plenty of exciting stuff happening for the rest of the term, including **Novo12** (a state-wide youth camp) on **April 13-16**. Please check out <http://novo2012.eventzila.net> for more information on this phenomenal event which will see youth from all across the state gather! We will also be having a **Quiz Night** for REV320 on **March 30**. More information on this will be available soon.

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for Next Sunday 11th March

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
Joel Schiller	Judith Whaites	Jacque Schutz	Campbell A Schmidt	Shillabeer	Lesley Friedrich	Pastor Leon	Bob Longmire Ray Shillabeer	Elaine Baldock	School	
Karl Dutschke		CDs	Gail Daniel							NO CATERING



KIDS AT HEART

Mark 10: 14... "Let the little children come to me"

A special welcome to any visiting families with young children.

We have a special kids activity time held in the foyer, commencing after the children's address.

Parent's are welcome to join in and help their little ones, however, we usually have enough helpers to guide and support the children if you wish to return to the service. (You can see the children through the windows.)

The Kids at Heart program is kindly supported by many of the parents and we have a roster which is displayed in the foyer next to the main rosters.

Sarah (Williams) ran a beautiful activity last week- kids of all ages enjoyed making their "stained glass window" .

If there are any new volunteers who wish to organise an activity, we have left a couple of time slots available this year.

The roster for the next few weeks is:

11-Mar	Craft only	On the edge of the garden (Mark 14:43-52)	Meg Ahrens
18-Mar	Full K@H time	In the courtyard (Mark 14:53-72)	Pfeffer family
25-Mar	Craft only	In court (Mark 15:1-20)	Emi Schutz

The theme that the school is following this week is "Humility" and the bible verse of the week is : [Philippians 2:8](#) "He was humble and walked the path of obedience all the way to death— his death on the cross."

Blessings, Lesley & the Kids at Heart team



Mainly Music

this Tuesday 6th March at 9.00 am in the Fellowship Centre.

New registrations at 8.45 am
\$5 per family (first session is free)

These are fun, interactive music sessions for pre-school children, and parents, followed by hot drinks, home-made nibbles and a friendly chat. Francis will be leading the singing!

Extra helpers would be appreciated and there's lots of ways you can assist, so if you feel this is an area you could serve please contact James Ziersch on 0435 008 513



Greetings from the Rupulga Family in PNG—Hello and warm greetings to our friends at Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship. We thank you all for your support in finance and prayer and the will and desire to continue to support us. God bless you all.

Learning Assistance Programme – LAP at GGLPS

- LAP – a special programme for students who would benefit from individual time with a caring volunteer.
- Parents, or volunteers from the community, come to the school and work with a particular student who has been identified as needing support.
- Students participate in a variety of experiences depending upon individual needs.

Special emphasis is placed on developing close, positive relationships between the students and the volunteer to assist in building self-esteem and confidence.

Who are the volunteers?

The volunteer may be a parent, grand-parent, old scholar or interested community member. They become a friend and mentor for the student and participate and share in the challenge and excitement of a student's learning.

Volunteers have the opportunity to communicate a sense of value, friendship and personal worth to help their student feel special.

We are currently looking for LAP volunteers! You could be the difference in a student's life! If you are interested in finding out more, please contact Tania Nelson on 8282 6000.

BO (Blokes Only)

BO are planning a 'river trip'! Friday 16th March camp over for those that can and a day on the 17th March doing water sports etc. Please speak with Steve McLuckie (0414550865) or Daryl Trigg if you are interested. See notice in church Foyer or visit church website for more info.

Would be great to have a contingent of 'blokes' from the congregation join us.



PEDAL PRIX

We are keen to have a go at entering the 2012 Pedal Prix competition by creating a Pedal Prix car. You can help by donating any bike/bike parts that you may not want any more (assuming they are in 'fair condition'.) Bikes and parts can be dropped off near the groundsman's shed.

If you have any time to spare on a Friday afternoon, you might like to come along and help the team build the car. Lots of fun!!

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, 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 March 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 you.

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 .

GGLF Attendance & Offerings

(Offerings do not include electronic giving amount of approx \$10900 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. - 28190

		Attendance	Offerings
Sun 26/2	9.30 am	146	\$953.60
	6.30 pm	45	\$ 64.50



04 Numbers 2:1-3:51
Mark 11:27-12:17
Psalm 47:1-9
Proverbs 10:24-25

05 Numbers 4:1-5:31
Mark 12:18-37
Psalm 48:1-14
Proverbs 10:26

06 Numbers 6:1-7:89
Mark 12:38-13:13
Psalm 49:1-20
Proverbs 10:27-28

07 Numbers 8:1-9:23
Mark 13:14-37
Psalm 50:1-23
Proverbs 10:29-30

08 Numbers 10:1-11:23
Mark 14:1-21
Psalm 51:1-19
Proverbs 10:31-32

09 Numbers 11:24-13:33
Mark 14:22-52
Psalm 52:1-9
Proverbs 11:1-3

10 Numbers 14:1-15:16
Mark 14:53-72
Psalm 53:1-6
Proverbs 11:4

POSITIONS VACANT

**Receptionist/Office Assistant—
Lutheran Media Ministry**

**Business Manager—St Michael's,
Hahndorf**

Layworker at Alice Springs

Please refer to noticeboard for further details.

**Please refer to the NOTICEBOARD
in Church Foyer for other notices**

- **Public Lectures at Australian Lutheran College during March**
- **Letter from Lutheran Community Care on some reflections for the second week of Lent**
- **Women of Strength evening on Tues 6th March**

MARCH ISSUE OUT NOW

Introducing our series GOING GREY!—in honour of the contribution our seniors make to our families, churches and communities

THE SECRET LIFE OF G & W
An old man and a newly married couple living in the same house—how on earth could that work?

SOMEONE TO LEAD ME
For the Aboriginal elders of Wujal Wujal, there's no leading a community without praying for it.

NOW OR NEVER
The opportunity to care for someone might come along only once. So don't let that chance go by.

www.thelutheran.com.au
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Some upcoming “bloke” events

SHED HAPPENS for blokes

at

Para Vista Lutheran Church

Wednesday 21st March

6.45pm food for 7.30pm start

For further information

Jim Molly 0438 899629

**BUSHED BLOKES
SHOW ME A SIGN!**



See flyers in our Church Foyer for further details.

All blokes welcome!

Date: Friday 23rd March 6pm – Sunday 25th March 11 am 2012. **Location:** South Kilkerran Picnic Grounds, MAITLAND SA. **Cost:** \$50 per Bloke/Under 15 free

For more info and registration forms contact: Luke Doecke Ph: 0403801990 Email: luke-doecke@bigpond.com

**Soul Factor
GOSPEL CHOIR**

Tickets are now on sale for our Easter performance “In a Heartbeat” (an Easter cantata) to be held at the stunning Elder Hall on the evening of Saturday 31st March. Head over to our website at www.soulfactorgospelchoir.com for more information including ticket and venue details and a link to book tickets.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Today	4 Mar	Chris Prodoehl
Mon	5 Mar	Ruth Carter Judi Doecke
Sat	10 Mar	Tiarna Hahn

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

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Pastor Leon's Message

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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 and then clicking Files.