



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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15th April 2012—2nd 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 today.



Tea & coffee is available in the Fellowship Centre following morning service  
Please feel welcome to join us.

### TWO MINUTES before Worship ....

Acts 4:32-35

It is beautiful to think of all believers being one in heart and mind, like it says in this passage. It is so easy for us to focus on our differences rather than building on what we have in common. It says in scripture that we are one body and that each part is as important as the other. If we stick together and work together with Christ as the head, what is there that we can't achieve for God?

This passage talks about how the early Christians would sell their farms and place all the money at the disciples' feet. This was their source of income and food for them and the generations to come. And guess what, they sacrificed this for Christ and His church. Now I don't believe God is calling us to sell our homes, but I do think he wants us to make sacrifices for him. If we look at the idea of tithing, we see that it is 10% of our earnings. I'm sure we all have this down pat already, so let me challenge you with a new idea. How about giving God 10% of our time. Let's assume most people are awake for 16 hours a day, that's 1.5 hours which is "God's time". Is God worth 10% of our time and what we have?

From Humble Servant

### Worship Opportunities



#### Readings for today

Acts 4:32-35  
1 John 1:1—2:2  
John 20:19-31

#### Readings for 22nd April

Acts 3:12-19  
1 John 3:1-7  
Luke 24:36-48

<b>Today 15th April</b>	<b>9.30 am 6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
<b>Sunday 22nd April</b>	<b>9.30 am 6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
<b>Friday 27th April</b>	<b>8.45-9.15 am</b>	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
<b>Sunday 29th April</b>	<b>9.30 am 6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship 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!

## Pastor's Column

At a recent Pastoral Carers meeting we spoke about our role as Pastors Carers. One expression that caught my attention was: "A tap on the shoulder". I felt that described precisely what our role is and for that matter how Christ works in our life too- which is not surprising because that is all the GGLF Pastoral Carers want to be: People through which Christ works: Christ's hands- encouraging us to be His hands in our community.

Today we're going to consider how Christ gave "a tap on the shoulder" on that first Easter evening, as recorded in today's Gospel reading and how he taps us on the shoulder these days.

This evening in **Salt Factory** I shall continue this theme of "a tap on the shoulder" by relating how God tapped me on the shoulder when he called me to be a pastor. I don't think I have ever related this story to our congregation. It may get us thinking about how God taps us on the shoulder or putting it another way calls us into something.

This morning we shall bless our newest Pastoral Carer: **Lyn Plane**. She joins the other 9 **Pastoral Carers**: Ken Campbell, Christiaan Hersevoort, Elnora Schmocker, Marty Seidel, Liz & Dave Shrowder, Claire & Len Tscharke and Judith Whaites. We thank God for the encouragement he gives through our Pastoral Carers.

Lyn Plane under my direction has coordinated the formation of a new small group in our congregation: **Women's Fellowship**. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month from 1 till 2.30pm in the Fellowship Lounge.

At the first meeting last week we spoke about how Women's Fellowship could include talking about God in our lives, ways in which we could serve and social events between these meeting times.

You are welcome to come along for fellowship and a great afternoon tea. Next meeting: **Wednesday May 9<sup>th</sup>**.

We welcome **David Fletcher** from Gideons International this morning. He will be speaking about what Gideons are doing and how we can get involved. Please note the brochures about Gideon's in today's Weekly Bulletin. He will also be showing a DVD on the wonderful ways they are distributing God's Word. We are also having a retiring offering for the work of Gideons this morning.

Last week we launched the **E 100 Challenge**.

### **E100 CHALLENGE WILL COMMENCE AT GGLF ON 6<sup>TH</sup> MAY.**

E 100 Bible reading Challenge is a resource to help us get into reading our Bibles.

It features 100 carefully selected readings designed to give people a good understanding of the Bible story.

It encourages us to build a regular habit of spending time with God through prayer and Bible reading.

We hope that individually we will use the devotion book (*Companion Book*, cost: \$15) as well as read our Bibles for 10 minutes every day (*Reading Planner* \$4). *There is an app available for \$5.* (Our Fellowship Groups will be encouraged to follow the Discussion Guide \$9) **Companion Books and Reading Planners again on sale today.**

I will preach on the theme each week for the 20 weeks of the Challenge. We'll read through the Old Testament from 6/5/12- 13/7/12 and we plan to start the New Testament in September.

Why not join the Challenge? Today just before the services we are playing a promotion DVD for E 100.

Pastor Leon

### **What is happening over the next 2 weeks :**

Tuesday: Board

Monday week (23/4/12): School Council

Tuesday week (24/4/12) 3.40 The Journey

## SALT FACTORY

Worship tonight 6.30 pm

**Please note:** There will be **NO** Salt Factory catering tonight during the school holiday Period.

**Rostered for catering next Sunday 22nd April — Kloeden/Nelson group**



### The Prayer Garden

The Prayer Garden is available for your use.

(It's to the right of the altar through the open door with a small table and plants)

Why not come early on a Sunday and spend a few quiet moments with God

Why not use it during the service for prayer and meditation

Why not spend time after the service with a friend praying for each other

Why not spend time with your children talking with God in the prayer Garden.

There are prayer books, a Bible, tracts and a book suitable for children available to assist you in this quiet time with God.

**Enjoy your time with God in our Prayer Garden**



### Church Fundraiser Dinner Committee

Please contact Mardi on 0435 220 135 if you would like to be involved.

### CHRISTMAS DRAMA SCRIPTS

Worship Team would like to encourage anyone that has an idea for this year's Christmas drama to work on it over the next month or so and submit their script by mid May for the Worship Team to review.

### WORSHIP ROSTERS—

The worship service rosters for May & June 2012 are now available. Please check for when you are rostered and if you need to make any swaps **please record those swaps on the master copy in the church foyer.**

The Board is seeking nominations for the following vacant positions. Treasurer, Fellowship Group Coordinator and Nominations Team. Please contact Michael Vulings Ph: 0412 823 891 for further details.

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for Next Sunday 22nd April

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
Mark Rawolle	Candy Fry	Kristian Appelt	G & P Copeland	J & T Rawolle	Marty Seidel	Pastor Leon	Allen Kupke Pastor Len	Barbara Robertson	School	
Karl Dutschke			Chrissy Gordon							Kloeden / Nelson



## Golden Grove Amateur Fishing PORT VICTORIA JETTY FISHING TRIP Saturday 28th April 2012 Time: 10.30 am

Where: Meet in the Car Park at Port Victoria Jetty

- Approx 2 hrs drive from Adelaide
- Suggested Bait: Cockles, Gents, Squid, Berley, Crab Bait etc
- Fishing for Whiting, Tommy Ruff, Mullet, Squid, Crabs
- Weigh in at 5.30 pm
- Toilets are nearby
- BYO fishing gear, crab nets, chairs, lunch, drinks etc
- We have spare fishing gear available if required
- Opportunity for tea at the Port Victoria Hotel - booking is for 6.30pm for those who can stay. Please call or SMS Geoff on the number below for booking.

For enquiries contact Geoff Thiel on 0418871919 or Graeme Hoklas 0419 828 091 or email [hoklas@internode.on.net](mailto:hoklas@internode.on.net).

*St John's Lutheran Church, Tea Tree Gully  
will be celebrating the 50th Anniversary  
of the formation of their church  
on Sunday 6th May 2012*

*An invitation is extended to join them in celebrating  
this special event (at 182 Hancock Rd, Ridgehaven)  
at a special worship service starting at 10.00 am  
followed by a shared community lunch  
and an afternoon of fellowship*

For catering purposes, we would appreciate an indication of how many people are intending to join us for lunch by **Friday 27th April**.

Please indicate your RSVP to the church office on: (08) 8396 4466, via email: [ttglutheran@adelaide.on.net](mailto:ttglutheran@adelaide.on.net) or by post: PO Box 320, St Agnes SA 5097.

If you know of any past members or friends of the congregation, please feel free to also pass this invitation on to them.

## Asaroka Phone System Installation Project

We continue our appeal to members of the Congregation to help raise funds to assist Christiaan (*a member of our congregation*) to travel to Asaroka to install the large phone system that was donated and went up to PNG in the container last year.

This is a Partnership project, with us sending Christiaan there to manage the installation and they need to provide other materials (cables, connections etc) ready for when he gets there.

Donations can be passed to Judith Whaites or via Daryl or put into the collection plates at services in an envelope marked 'Phone System At Asaroka'.

Thank you in advance for your support of this project.



*Welcome to  
Christian Vision.  
(P.N.G.)*



A Christian web site that also includes some details of the partnership between Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship / Primary School and the schools at Asaroka, Papua New Guinea.

There is also general information on Papua New Guinea, a radio link, photos, various movies / videos and more....  
[www.christianvisionpng.info/](http://www.christianvisionpng.info/)

Regards, Ken Tucharke.



From this Sunday, 15 April at 6.30pm, Compass on the ABC will screen the eight-part Australian series, **Hospital Chaplains: It's a Tough Job**.

It was filmed in the greater Sydney area with Catholic and Protestant, Muslim, Jewish and Buddhist chaplains and pastoral carers at Royal North Shore, St. Vincent, and Liverpool hospitals. "Regardless of their faith, they all meet the same challenges - to help make sense of the mystery of illness, pain, suffering and despair". Shot over six months at three major Australian hospitals, this series offers a unique and never-before-seen perspective on the daily life and death drama of Australian hospital chaplains. Judith Dunbar coordinates pastoral care and is a supervisor in CPE at Royal North Shore and shared that the film crew told her they had absolutely no idea of the breadth and depth of what chaplains and pastoral carers get into in our public hospitals, that this was one of the most exciting projects they have been engaged in for a long time and they think it will be a real eye-opener for most Australians. Clinical Pastoral Education will be highlighted as a significant component - demonstrating how people get training for doing chaplaincy and pastoral care.



The 2012/13 Entertainment Book is available for sale again this year.

Please feel welcome to contact either the church or school office if you would like to place an order for a book/s. The cost is \$65 again this year with part proceeds supporting our mission partnership with Asaroka, PNG.

### 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 Tucharke, 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 April are: McLuckie & Shillabeer**

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
Good Friday	130	\$431.70
Easter Sunday	125	\$731.20

**Total giving for February 2012**  
(through REG & weekly giving) is \$15,121

Monthly average income required to meet budgeted expenditure \$18 200

### 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.ggflf.org.au](http://www.ggflf.org.au) and then clicking Files.



15 Joshua 11:1-12:24

Luke 17:11-37  
Psalm 84:1-12  
Proverbs 13:5-6

16 Joshua 13:1-14:15  
Luke 18:1-17  
Psalm 85:1-13  
Proverbs 13:7-8

17 Joshua 15:1-63  
Luke 18:18-43  
Psalm 86:1-17  
Proverbs 13:9-10

18 Joshua 16:1-18:28  
Luke 19:1-27  
Psalm 87:1-7  
Proverbs 13:11

19 Joshua 19:1-20:9  
Luke 19:28-48  
Psalm 88:1-18  
Proverbs 13:12-14

20 Joshua 21:1-22:20  
Luke 20:1-26  
Psalm 89:1-13  
Proverbs 13:15-16

21 Joshua 22:21-23:16  
Luke 20:27-47  
Psalm 89:14-37  
Proverbs 13:17-19

## POSITIONS VACANT

Please refer to noticeboard for further details.

### 'Building Healthy Relationships'

A team of presenters led by Rev Bob Kempe (ALC Lecturer in Clinical Pastoral Education), will run a series of workshops on **'Building Healthy Relationships'**. These workshops will be held on a Tuesday evening over 4 weeks from 17 April through to 8 May and will be held at Australian Lutheran College, North Adelaide SA. Register for these workshops online now at [www.alc.edu.au](http://www.alc.edu.au). To obtain more information, please phone 8267 7390 or email enquiries to: [admin@grassroots.edu.au](mailto:admin@grassroots.edu.au). See flyer on noticeboard



**A reminder that support for the work and ministry**

of Lutheran Community Care is on-going and encouraged.

**LCC's request list for April** is for fish, canned soup meals and noodles. Boxes and bags are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!

## Food for Thought

**"Quo vadis the LCA? Where is the LCA heading?"** This question will be addressed by the President of the LCA, Rev Dr Mike Semmler. The presentation and subsequent discussion will be held this afternoon 15<sup>th</sup> April, 4.00-6.00 pm at 137 Archer St North Adelaide. All welcome. Parking and entry at the rear. Further enquiries to Pastor Mike Pietsch on 8370 3615 or 0409 725 573.

The opportunity to grow is there for us. Sometimes this happens naturally as we encounter life and other times purposefully setting aside space for conversation, learning and community is required... Willow Creek Australia presents you with an incredible opportunity next month to attend



## SPIRITUAL TRANSFORMATION

featuring Mindy Caliguire and Keith Farmer

Tickets from \$79 for a full day of refreshment (food and soul!). Get a group together. To register go to

[www.willowcreek.org.au/events/mindycaliguire](http://www.willowcreek.org.au/events/mindycaliguire)

or email [admin@willowcreek.org.au](mailto:admin@willowcreek.org.au) for

more information.

This event will be held here in Adelaide next month on Wednesday 16th May at Aberfoyle Park. Further details can be found on the above-mentioned website.

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 **BIRTHDAY GREETINGS** \*\*\*\*\*

★ Today	15 Apr	Sue Fielke
★ Thurs	19 Apr	David Nelson
★ Fri	20 Apr	Elaine Baldock
★ Sat	21 Apr	Jesse Hahn
		Alexandra Schmocker

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

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