



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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17th June 2012—3rd 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 today.



*Tea & coffee is available in the Fellowship Centre following morning service
and at 5.45 pm a light tea is available prior to the 6.30 pm evening service
Please feel welcome to join us.*

TWO MINUTES before Worship

E100 Bible reading challenge

Week 7— **The Rise of Israel**

Overview

The last of Israel's judges and the first of its prophets, Samuel, was born to a woman who, unable to have children, cried out to God for a son. Hannah dedicated Samuel's life to God when he was very young. When Samuel was old, Israel wanted to be like other nations and have an earthly king. So they chose to reject the sovereignty of God and asked for a king. God obliged and Saul was appointed king of the nation. But in the course of time he proved to be unsuitable. God then sought a man after his own heart and anointed David as king of Israel. Under David's rule, Israel experienced a time of great prosperity.

Worship Opportunities



Readings for today

1 Sam. 15:34—16:13
2 Cor. 5:6-10, 14-17
Mark 4:26-34

Readings for 24th June

1 Sam. 17:32-49
2 Cor. 6: 1-13
Mark 4:35-41

Today 17th June	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
Friday 22nd June	2.30 pm	Term 2 closing chapel
Sunday 24th June	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Sunday 1st July	9.30 am 6.30 pm	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

Welcome to our worship today.

Have you ever thought about how you would describe the Bible to someone? We start this morning's address with the question "What is the Bible?" One answer you could give is How to handle life's situations? But you might struggle with this answer because of the way you view the *How to...* books that are readily available on every topic. Today we are going to look at the Biblical Book of 1 and 2 Samuel under that theme "**How to handle life's situations.**" I believe you will find what God gives us is most interesting and indeed inspiring.

How are you going with the E 100 Challenge?

The thought has been put to me that we shouldn't have the break between the Old Testament and the New Testament readings. We chose to have this break for one because I wouldn't be able to preach on the themes of the New Testament section as I will be away for several weeks in that 10 week segment and we have a few special services – one of those is our 25th anniversary service on (26th August). But perhaps it is not as important to have those New Testament sections preached on as it was with the Old Testament section- which I am preaching on at the moment, because we are much more familiar with the New Testament. Also we would have got into the good habit of reading the E100 by then. What do you think?

Pastor Leon

What is happening at GGLF?

Today (17/6/12): 4pm The Journey session 16
Tuesday (19/6/12): 9am Mainly Music
Tuesday (19/6/12): 3.40pm The Journey session 17
Friday (21/6/12): 8.45am Worship with the School Community: "Compassion": The Good Samaritan
Monday week (26/6/12) 7.30pm Pastoral Carers.

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

What is the E 100 Challenge?

- ◆ A plan to help us develop a regular habit of spending time with God through prayer and Bible reading.
- ◆ 100 carefully selected readings designed to give us a good understanding of the Bible story.
- ◆ Bible readings listed on the back of each Bulletin and available from the display.
- ◆ 10 minutes each day (5 days a week) set aside to read
- ◆ The "Companion" (devotional) book is available when ordered for extra insights, (an *app* is available too).
- ◆ With the possibility of joining the Challenge any time.

SALT FACTORY

Worship tonight 6.30 pm

Usual times, usual meal, but amazing atmosphere

Shared Meal (gold coin donation) at 5.45pm

Next Sunday—"CAMPFIRE" Salt Factory

YOUTH NEWS!

Bakery last Friday night was a very enjoyable night, as we settled in with popcorn and junk food in hand to watch Soul Surfer. A must watch, if you take my recommendations! Please pray for the youth involved in their faiths and also in handling the pressures they face from day-to-day.

The last **REV320** (Years 6 to 9) of the term will be held on **Friday, June 22**, from 7pm until 10pm. We will be having our annual **Battle of the Sexes**. So time to fire up boys and girls! Who will come out on top and be judged the superior gender? Get ready for a hectic night. Cost is \$4. If not already done, we require a Childsafe form for each youth that attends, available on our website (youth.gglf.org.au)

Metro CLW! A massive discount on the price of the camp has been put into motion (now \$140). It'll run from **July 2 – 6** for high-school aged youth (and interested Year 7s!) @ Shilo Hills Retreat Centre, Ironbank. Theme: "Do you have what it takes"? Based on Deuteronomy 31:6 (NIV), do not miss this fantastic camp with amazing people and an awesome God overlooking it! More information available at www.blueprintministries.org.au/metroclw. Registrations close on **June 18!** Another Metro CLW will be held on **September 24 – 28.**

For more information on any of the above, please email Jason on jason@gglf.org.au or check out our website.

Mainly Music



At GGLPS each **Tuesday 9.00am**, during school terms
(new registrations 8.45am please)

Cost: \$5 for first child \$1 for each additional child

More details: James Ziersch - mobile: 0435 008 513.

Fun, Interactive music sessions for pre-school children.



During Term 2 Mainly Music will be followed by Toolbox Parenting (Early years) focused discussions over a cuppa at about 9.45 for about 15 - 20 minutes, while the children do a craft activity.

Thought about Fostering? - Free Foster Care Information Session

Hosted by Lutheran Community Care

Thursday, 21 June 2012, 6.30-8.30pm

The Ark Lutheran Church, 10 Waterloo Corner Road, Salisbury

A light buffet meal provided

Lutheran Community Care needs **YOU** to be a Foster Carer. If you are interested in making a difference to a child or young person's life we invite you to attend. All members of the public welcome.

RSVP to 8337 8787 or email: fostercare@lccare.org.au

Our congregation has received a "**Notice to LLL Depositor's**" advising that the interest rate on LLL interest bearing savings accounts will be 4.25% from 1st June 2012. This notice has been placed on the church noticeboard for your information.

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for Next Sunday 24th June

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
Karl Dutschke	Tanya Wilson		Ken C Monika K	Schutz	Pastor Leon	Pastor Leon	Bob Longmire	Carolyn Wachtel	Belton Bartel	
Isaac Nelson			Thiel's							Schmock-er



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing PORT ELLIOT FISHING TRIP

Date: Sunday 24th June 2012
Time: 10.00am
Where: Meet in the Horseshoe Bay Car Park, The Cutting, Port Elliot. (allow 2 hours driving).

Cast your fishing line from the Jetty, Beach or nearby Rocks

Suggested Bait: Pilchards, Squid, Cockles, Worms, Gents, Lures

Fishing mainly for Whiting, Flathead, Mullet, Salmon Trout, Mulloway, Snapper, Squid.

Weigh In at 5:00 pm.

Toilets are close by in the car park.

Opportunity for tea at Hotel Elliot at 6pm for those who can stay.

Please note that the tea is not part of the GGAF event which finishes at the end of the weigh in.

For enquiries and bookings for tea contact John Hubner on 0435 293 146 or Graeme Hoklas on 0419828091 or return email.

NEXT EVENT

Please note that the programmed Tackle Night which was cancelled on 4th June is to be rescheduled. We will keep you informed once an alternative date has been set.

The Boat Licence Training on 4th July has also been cancelled due to the facilitator not being available on that date.

Men @ Para Vista

**INVITE MEN, BOYS, FATHERS, SONS & BROTHERS
for a meal and a movie!**

Where: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
388 Montague Road, Para Vista

When: **Wednesday 27th June 2012**

What: Dinner served 6.30 pm
Movie start 7.30 pm

Cost: Donation to cover costs

Questions: Ring Jim 0438 899 629

e-mail men@paravista.org.au

The movie is "Courageous" and is a very powerful DVD well worth the time to see it.

Please see flyer on noticeboard for a synopsis of the movie

Articles are due for the June 2012 edition of the Life in the Vine by **Sunday 24 June 2012**

Articles can be sent by email to: litv@gglf.org.au

Submission Guidelines:

- ◆ Articles should be approximately 500 words to a page (images will reduce this amount).
- ◆ Short stories and jokes are also welcome!
- ◆ Photos should be sent in a high quality resolution. Please make sure you have obtained permission to use any photos of people before submitting.
- ◆ Announcements and advertisements will be included where possible.

Life in the Vine is a quarterly publication from the Golden Grove Lutheran community.

Keep those articles coming in!

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**Where will you be
this winter?**

This winter we are asking you to again help us to help others keep warm.

Your support is urgently needed to help us give out much needed warm clothes, blankets and food for the many people sleeping rough or doing it tough this winter.

Your gift of \$70 will provide a warm Baby Bundle to a struggling mother; your gift of \$110 will help a homeless person receive Winter Warmers or your gift of \$130 will supply a Kid's Care Kit. See the insert in the June/July edition of Together, visit the LCC website at www.lccare.org.au or contact LCC at 08 8269 9333 to make a donation today. All donations \$2 and over are tax deductible.

'Building a future with hope' (Jer. 29:11) That's a future we want to part of, and others too. **Australian Lutheran College** trains and equips people for service in the church and the world with the good news of the gospel. You can help us do that through your financial gift this year. Learn more about the people and work of ALC in your copy of Saints Alive – now available from our church foyer or via website: www.alc.edu.au.

