

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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21st October 2012—21st 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.

Before Worship

Over these next few weeks the theme for our worship (both Sunday and Friday) is Service. The sermon this morning takes a closer look at the book of **Ruth** and "Service in kindness". We'll be looking at Ruth's loyalty, Boaz' protection and Naomi's wisdom, which can all be seen as aspects of kindness.

The Gospel reading for today (**Mark 10: 35-45**) is Jesus' response to James' and John's request to sit at either side of him "in his glory". He points them to servant-hood instead, and to himself as what being a servant looks like.

The first reading (**Job 38: 1-7**) continues the readings through the book of Job. The Lord finally speaks after Job had received all that counsel from his friends. This speech goes on for the next 4 chapters (It is stirring reading and I encourage you to take time to read it. It is very much the highlight of the book.) Simply put, God is asking: who gives anyone the right to question what He is doing? We need to trust God.

The second reading (**Hebrews 5:1-10**) again is continuing the readings from the last few weeks of the book of Hebrews. It is a description of Jesus, as high priest. Like every high priest, Jesus is able to empathize with those for whom he is interceding. What strikes me is that even Jesus needed to learn obedience ("Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered" Verse 8). This shows something about servant-hood. Yet, he is more than any human high priest. Jesus "became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey" (Verse 9).

Prayer: Father, thank you for Jesus- the source of eternal salvation. May we obey him and so be servants- showing the kindness and trust that you desire from us. We pray forgive us for the times we have attempted to "lord it over others". May we look to Jesus as our great high priest in our worship today and follow him as he shows us what it means to serve in kindness. Amen.

Pastor Leon

Worship Opportunities

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

I would like to make special reference to the **Day Pay Challenge** today. We have been running this challenge for the last two weeks. The challenge is really to prayerfully consider what you are willing to give in a one-off donation: if it is the full Day Pay Challenge (*Please see the article on this page*) or is God leading to only give a proportion of that? **Next Sunday** on our **Giving Sunday** — we encourage you to present your gifts to God.

Another event coming up this week is the **Mayor's Breakfast.** We have booked a table for 10 and we still have some seats available.

Our **Food Fun and Fellowship** raised between \$4000 and \$5000: earmarked for our Youth Worker's salary.

We need to thank God too for a **wonderful free will offering** we had last Sunday morning. It was 10 times more than what we have some Sunday mornings!

The FFF event is the last social occasion for the year. In 2 week's time we are again holding our **Longest Lutheran Lunch**. Keep your ears open for details.

This evening at Salt Factory we'll be celebrating CPS Workers in the primary schools of our city of TTG. Instead of one person giving the message we have Sheralyn Oakey, the Principal of the Heights Senior Campus speaking on the value of CPSWs; Andrew Jenkins our Schools Ministry Group rep giving an update; there will be testimonies from children on CPSWs; a few words from a couple of CPSWs, our Margot Mertin's installation as CPSW at Banksia Park Primary School as well as prayer for the 13 CPSWs and 2 Christian Option leaders that God has given to our city of TTG. I strongly encourage you to join with the (expected well over a hundred) visitors who will be coming to celebrate with us.

From our **Christmas Eve play meeting** that we held this last week we are confident that the Christmas play will go ahead. Do you want to be involved? We still have a few roles to be filled. Please contact Jeff Christensen if you are interested.

Next Sunday we continue our theme of Service. The address is based on Matthew 20:20-28: the mum's request. We'll use this to consider our **motive for giving**.

Next Sunday too is our worship workshop: 11.30am over lunch. See elsewhere in the Bulletin for details. If you are unable to attend we have provided a survey that you could fill out – on our website or on line (link below), and for the computer illiterate we have hard copies available this morning in the foyer. https://docs.google.com/a/tls.sa.edu.au/spreadsheet/viewform?formkey=dEV2N1U3TTJJV2Y2eTBobXIKNIpJV3c6MQ

Next Sunday at Salt Factory Valdis Andersons, the SA/NT District Communications Coordinator will be presenting "Showing unconditional love in mission." He gave this at our morning service on 16th September. A great opportunity to hear this wonderful presentation if you missed it then or even to hear it again- I think it is certainly worthwhile to hear it a second time.

How are you going with the **Daily Bible Readings** – (found on the top left hand section of the last page of each weekly Bulletin.) I encourage you to cut it out and use it as a book mark in your Bible. I love how people are using the Daily Bible reading for the day to lead devotion at a team meeting. Most of the other team members have read it and can join in the discussion that flows from the devotion.

Pastor Leon

What's on this fortnight?

Friday (26/10/12): 7am Mayor's Break fast

Friday (26/10/12): 8.45am Worship with the school community

SALT FACTORY Worship tonight 6.30 pm CPSW Celebration Service

Shared Meal (gold coin donation) at 5.45pm.

Rostered for catering next Sunday 28th October— Schmocker group.

Day's Pay Challenge

Allow me to remind you of 7 points about this challenge:

It is a God pleasing habit to give a certain proportion of your income weekly to God (to "tithe") as reminder of his goodness to us and steady expression of thanks to Him.

But every so often we need to express our gratitude in a more dramatic way and that is what Day's Pay Challenge is all about.

It is also a way for our congregation to get rid of our deficit which we have heard recently has caused us dire concern.

Simply, the Day's Pay Challenge is to give how much you earn in one day.

One way of calculating this is by taking your annual salary (either gross or net- it is up to you) and dividing it by 200. Of course if your work is sporadic or part time or casual it is a bit more complicated. But the 200 rule on gross makes it simple. So if you earn \$40,000 a year, it would be \$200, \$50,000 it would be \$250, \$80,000 it would be \$400. If you get \$10 pocket money a week it would be \$2.50, if you are on the average wage for an Australian worker (of \$1352 a week) then it would be about \$250, if you are on a pension it would be about \$100. Please use an envelope and mark it as Day Pay Donation (or DPD) and place it in the offering plate next Sunday 28th Oct or on another Sunday if that date doesn't suit. If you want to do it through REG, just put a note in the envelope indicating this so we can celebrate what Day Pay Challenge has meant for our congregation.

This is your challenge. It is between you and God- an expression of thanks to God and it's a means to showing your love for this congregation.

Mangoes for sale

we are selling boxes of delicious mangoes again this year.

Delivery will be around late Oct—early Nov.

If you would like to order a box for \$30 or 1/2 box for \$15, please contact either Judith or Elaine in the Admin office.

Money raised will go to our mission and partnership with Asaroka, PNG.



for Next Sunday 28th October

PA + Open- ing/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
Leon Pfeffer	Candy Fry	Allyson Dutschke	Campbell Hersevoort	Andrew Schmidt	Allyson Dutschke	Margey Knapp	Shrowder Pfeffer	Elaine Baldock	Kupke Quick	
		CD's	Kloeden's							Schmocker

city of tea tree gully Mayors Prayer Breakfast Invitation

Come and hear Damien Chua Director of Colossus Properties Pty Ltd Melbourne, Property
Management and Development Company. Ex
Auditor with Arthur Anderson

Friday 26th October 2012

6.45am for 7.00am start till 8.45am

Sfera's on the Park 191 Reservoir Road Modbury

Cost: \$28

We have booked a table for 10 and still have seats available. Please contact Judith Whaites if you would like to come along. FREE Foster Care
Information Session
being held in our
Fellowship Centre
this Tues 23rd Oct 2012
6.30-8.30pm

Light Buffet Meal Provided

Lutheran Community Care needs Foster Carers. If you are interested in making a difference to a child or young person's life we invite you to attend.

All welcome.

www.fostercare.lccare.org.au RSVP to our friendly staff: 08 8337 8787

Or email: fostercare@lccare.org.au

Worship Workshop

Next Sunday 28th October 11.30am



Do you recall last September's worship series based on Isaiah 40 and eagles? The key words were Refresh, Renew, Soar, Recharge, Restore and Revive. How can we apply these principles to our worship at GGLF?

The worship team invites YOU to a worship workshop on **next Sunday at 11:30am** to delve into this, study what the Bible says about worship and discuss what new things we can try.

Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to our church office so that numbers can be determined for lunch catering.

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YOUTH NEWS

This Friday (October 26), REV320 is going to have a massive night of games. And these aren't just ordinary games: they're crazy games. From water fun to hectic sport, from farfetched knowledge to brain teasers, it promises to be an amazing night. We have coined

the night **Salvation Stations** as we explore further why Jesus came for us in our small group discussion. This youth group is aimed at youth in Year 6 and up and will be on from **7pm until 9:30pm.**If you have not already, all Under 18s require a **guardian** to fill out and sign a ChildSafe form, available on **youth.gglf.org.au** if you register or on the night. Looking forward to seeing lots of youth there!

I want to thank everyone who came Saturday night to the Fun, Food and Fellowship dinner and all those who worked tirelessly behind the scenes. It was very encouraging to see the support that our congregation has for our youth ministry and I hope you continue to keep us in your prayers heading into the future.

Jason Kupke

Life in the Vine

Articles are due for the Oct 2012 edition **TODAY**

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

If you have news to report or a story to share, the community wants to hear from you!

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 qrtly publication from the Golden Grove Lutheran community. Keep those articles coming in!

LONGEST LUTHERAN LUNCH

To celebrate Reformation Day albeit one week later In Fellowship Centre Sunday 4th November 2012 11.30am to 3.00pm

We are planning an extra special fun Lutheran lunch for family and friends to gather and have a chat.

Invite your friends and neighbours to have lunch with us. Bring the kids to make it a family event.

MENU Entree Leek and Potato Soup Main Kassler (Pork), vegetables, sauerkraut, apple sauce, gravy Dessert Homemade Bienstich and cream followed by tea coffee and chocolates.

COST \$15.00 head; Under 15's \$5.00 head; Family \$40.00 (maximum)
Cost Includes cask wines and fruit juice.
BYO if you prefer bottled wines. Cans of soft drink available \$1.00.

To assist with catering please book with Judith Whaites (Church) or Elaine Baldock (School)

RSVP latest Wednesday 31st October. Enquiries Ken Campbell Men's Fellowship 0421 428 555

Daily Bible Readings for this week

Monday: (22/10/12) Genesis 24:1-27 Tuesday: (23/10/12) Genesis 24:28-38,

49-51 Wednesday: (24/10/12) Genesis 24:50-67

Thursday: (25/10/12) Genesis 25:19-34 Friday: (26/10/12) Genesis 27: 1-29

Saturday: (27/10/12) Psalm 126

Sunday: (28/10/12) Job 42:1-6, 10-17 Hebrews 7:23-28

Mark 10:46-52

Church/ School Annual Picnic: 2nd December following worship.

The picnic is a wonderful opportunity God has given us to relax, catch up with people we haven't seen for a while, meet new people and have fun.

It is actually what we call "pre- evangelism", developing relationships with people who may not know Christ very well at all.

It would be a great shame if we don't use this opportunity that God is giving us for this very purpose.

Would you like to **part of a team** with members of the School community to help organize the picnic? **Please see Pastor Leon**.

Remote log-on access ATTENTION ALL POWERPOINT OPERATORS

If you would like to be able to access powerpoint files (service orders, songs etc) from home could you please email Carly Bergen

(Bergen.carly@goldengrove.sa. edu.au) with an appropriate password. Instructions will be sent out once usernames/passwords are created.

<u>Do you have a spare car to</u> lend for two months?

LCA missionary, Pastor Greg Schiller will be coming home on leave from PNG to Adelaide from the 30th October to the 29th December 2012. Pastor Greg would like the loan of a car during this period. If you are able to assist in this way, please contact the LCA Board for Mission office: phone 8267 7334 or e-mail bfm@lca.org.au

Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting. Topic: Stories of Pastor Zinnbauer. Panel of speakers who worked with him. Pastor Zinnbauer was a legend in his lifetime for his selfless work among migrants. At Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, Adelaide, on Monday 29 October at 7.30 pm. (***Note: **AGM beforehand at 7pm**) Supper. Gold coin donation.



Today 21st Oct Liz Shrowder Wed 24th Oct Benjamin Bartel Thurs 25th Oct Amelia Kriewaldt

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 Oct is for breakfast cereal, canned meat meals, sanitary pads/tampons. Boxes and bags are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!

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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 Oct are: Ahrens and Baldock

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.

<u>Library</u>

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 and then clicking Files.

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. - 28190

		Attendance	Offerings
Sun 14/10	9.30 am	126	\$1453.25
	6.30 pm	28	\$ 192.30

Total giving for August 2012

(through REG & weekly giving) is \$19,284.60

Monthly average income required to meet budgeted expenditure

\$18 350