



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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11th November 2012—24th 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 ....

I love the little episode in Jesus' life described in today's Gospel reading (**Mark 12: 38-44**). What is Jesus doing? Watching the amount of money people put into the offering plate ("the temple treasury"). Imagine if I were to keep an eye on what you personally put into the offering plate? But of course this is Jesus. He can see into the heart and in contrast to the teachers of the law "who like to walk around in flowing robes" and the "many rich people" who "threw in large amounts" is this poor widow who put in her "two very small copper coins" (the widow's mite). It's an affirmation for us who give from our hearts to hear: "they gave out of their wealth; she out of her poverty, put in everything- all she had to live on." (Verse 44) and take it as: congratulations on your love and faith.

Today, we have chosen to include the passage I shall be preaching on: **2 Corinthians 12: 1-10**, in particular verse 9 (But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me) under the theme of "The struggle for grace", instead of the Old Testament reading (Ruth 3 and 4). I reckon you need to read the book of Ruth to get the most benefit from it. I encourage you to do that at home. It won't take long. We have also incorporated the Psalm for the day (**Psalm 127**) into the service: a Psalm which is often used at weddings, but is very much an expression of faith for each day.

The second reading (**Hebrews 9:24-28**) continues with the lectionary series on Hebrews which we have been hearing right through October. Notice how Christ appears before God on our behalf and that "Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many" (meaning: of us all) Verse 28a. Like the Psalm, what a wonderful statement of faith!

**Prayer:** *Father gives us the faith today to appreciate your grace, even though we may struggle with it, to know you see into our hearts and so give accordingly and to state that faith and live that faith so expressed in the Reading and the Psalm.*

Amen.

Pastor Leon

### Worship Opportunities

<b>Today 11th Nov</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
<b>Friday 16th Nov</b>	<b>8.45-9.15 am</b>	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
<b>Sunday 18th Nov</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>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

**Welcome** to worship today, and a special welcome to those who have come for **Amber's baptism**, especially Amber May Du Toit's parents Tristiana and Wynand, family and friends. The Appelt's are Amber's support family. (Remember contact me if you would like to know what is involved in being a **"support family"** and would like to be added to "the list").



The Pastoral Carers are holding a **DAY OF REPENTANCE** on the last day of the church year: **1<sup>st</sup> December (Advent Sunday)**. Traditionally the end of the church year has been seen as appropriate time for repentance: a clean start for the new year.

A couple of members spoke to me about the importance of repentance if our congregation is to go ahead. I concur with this keeping in mind that we repent of *our own* sins and not insist on others repenting of what *we perceive* is theirs. But there is such a thing as *"corporate sins"*: sins that we are guilty of because we belong to a body and in our case the congregation. If you feel that there are sins that we as a body need to repent – this is your opportunity to do just that. (Or you could take the opportunity to repent of personal sins.) I know we have *"corporate repentance"* in every Sunday worship but this is something more (for those who feel that it's necessary).

The Day of Repentance will be centred on the Small Chapel (Remember the code **C 289 5033**- Just turn off the light, put out any candles, leave it in the condition you found it and close the door when you leave.) If an overflow is required, we can use the Fellowship Lounge, Pastor's Church Study and Fellowship Centre as well. You are also welcome to the Prayer Garden via the GOSH gate (Code 5127). I plan to be there early in the morning. Feel free to come any time during the day and stay as long as you like. We will supply you with repentance and prayer resources on the day.

It is also the weekend of the **Christmas Tree Festival** and you might like to visit St John's TTG on the same day. ("Sit and Sew" and our CPSW schools (Wynn Vale and Banksia Park) have entered trees.)

**Next Sunday** the theme for the Sunday morning service (along the theme of The Struggle) is **"The struggle with who we are"**, based on 1 Peter 2:1-9. In the evening worship I shall be speaking on **"Why do you give?"** Geoff Thiel will be speaking in the morning service and Lauren in the evening service.

In a couple of week's time I shall be preaching at **Calvary Yarraman** (Qld) 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary. (That's why I came back a few days early from our annual leave.) The week after that is our **Annual Church/School picnic** (our "family fun day")- 2<sup>nd</sup> December. **Our morning worship will be a little different:** We begin as normal with a half hour DVD ("Jacob's gift"- suitable for all the family) then morning tea and the R/1 school led family service then starts at 10.30am.

**Pastor Leon**

### What is happening this week?

Monday 12/11/12 7.30pm training for Christmas seminars  
Tuesday (13/11/12) 7.30pm Board meeting  
Wednesday (14/11/12) 1pm Women's Fellowship  
Friday (16/11/12) 8.45am worship with the school community  
Saturday (17/11/12) 7.30am Men's breakfast at Para Vista  
Saturday (17/11/12) GGAF Presentation Night

## REMEMBRANCE DAY



During morning tea this morning at 11.00 am we will take the opportunity to observe 2 minutes silence.

## SALT FACTORY

### Worship tonight 6.30 pm

Shared Meal (gold coin donation) at 5.45pm.

Come along as we sing some good old-fashioned (cool) hymns around the campfire. Jesse Hahn will be presenting the night.

**Rostered for catering next Sunday 18th Nov— Napier group.**

## YOUTH NEWS

There will be no youth (REV or Bakery) this weekend as all our leaders will be venturing to Victor Harbour to volunteer with the Green Team.

Please pray for this ministry as we endeavour to show Jesus' love and care to the Year 12s and help them celebrate the end of a hectic year!

REV320 and Bakery will be combining the week after (November 23) with a raging celebration!

Jason Kupke (jason@gglf.org.au)

## Women's Fellowship

Next meeting of this group will be this

**Wednesday**

**14th November**

**at 1.00 pm**

in the Fellowship Centre lounge area.

**All ladies welcome.**

For further enquiries contact Lynette Plane on 8251 0672.



## Mainly Music

At GGLPS each Tuesday 9.00am, during school terms. (New registrations 8.45am please)

**Any volunteers who may be available to help would be welcome to join us.**

**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.

## TTG Christmas Tree Festival

29<sup>th</sup> November - 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2012



Venue: St. John's Lutheran Church,  
182 Hancock Rd, Ridgehaven

**Come and see** Decorated Trees, Nativity Scenes, Wall Hangings, Floral Arrangements.

**Enjoy** Morning & Afternoon Teas, Light Lunches

**Buy** biscuits & cakes like Grandma makes, homemade gifts, crafts and produce, plants from the garden.

**Opening times:** 9.30 am—8.00 pm Thurs-Sat and  
11.30 am—3.30 pm Sunday

**Entry: \$2 donation.** Children under 12 free

All proceeds support Chaplains in public schools in TTG council area.

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for Next Sunday 18th November

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	Pfeffer's	Jodie Davidson Tracey Dabinett	Ken Campbell	Graham Pfeffer	Graham Pfeffer		Nadia Napier	School	
Mark Rawolle		SF Band	Wachtel/Neale				Luke Napier Tessa Rawolle			Napier



## Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

### ANNUAL PRESENTATION NIGHT

**Date: Saturday 17th November 2012**

**Time: 7.00 pm – 10.00 pm**

**Where: Golden Grove Lutheran**

**Fellowship** (21-23 Sunnybrook Drive, Wynn Vale)

- All prizes for competition winners during the year will be presented
- Powerpoint Photos of each event/trip during the year will be shown
- Door prizes drawn during the night
- Casting competition for children
- BYO Drinks and Nibbles

**All are welcome to come along for a fun and informative night**

Any inquiries contact Zimmo on 82891212 or Graeme on 0419 828 091.

## KIDS AT HEART

### Children's Christmas Play— ACTORS WANTED



We will be having a Children's Christmas play at the morning service on December 23rd. Preparations will commence next week after the morning service (18/11).

We need volunteer children for several parts played in a humorous nativity called "The Innkeeper's Surprise". Please gather your little actors and actresses and we'll make plans for practices.

If you are not going to be present on 18th Nov please let me know if you wish to be involved by phoning 0402 036 183 or leave note in our pigeon hole.

Thanks Lesley Friedrich

### Fresh Christmas Trees

Fresh, high quality Christmas trees are available again this year from Holy Cross Lutheran Church at Birdwood at \$30 ea. Orders are to be placed through our Admin office by **30th Nov**. Trees will be delivered on Saturday 8th Dec.

You are invited to attend

## GGLPS & GGLF annual family day

**Sunday 2nd December 2012**

- 9.30 am ½ hr DVD "Jacob's Gift (*suitable for all the family*)
- 10.00 am morning tea
- 10.30 am service hosted by the R/1 cluster followed by the annual family day 11.30am—3pm

**A fun day for all the family**

- jumping castle
- a visit from santa
- facepainting
- games and activities

and more

Proceeds from the 2/3 stall will go to ALWS to continue their wonderful work in overseas mission work



Reaching out in love... for justice!

#### what to bring

- chairs
- picnic rug
- sunscreen
- money for sausage sizzle, icecream van etc (optional)

## A Piece of Peace

2012 Christmas Seminars

An interchurch initiative to take the Christmas story creatively into primary schools across TTG

**Mon 26<sup>th</sup> Nov – Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Dec**

- You can do 1 day or as many as you like
- Must have a current police clearance

Training session this

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov, 7.30-9.30 pm**

At Clovercrest Baptist Church

See flyer in foyer for further details



**Daily Bible Readings for this week**

Monday: (12/11/12) Genesis 42:1-23  
 Tuesday: (13/11/12) Genesis 43:1-15  
 Wednesday: (14/11/12) Genesis 43:16-34  
 Thursday: (15/11/12) Genesis 44:1-17  
 Friday: (16/11/12) Genesis 44:18-34  
 Saturday: (17/11/12) Psalm 16  
 Sunday: (18/11/12) 1 Sam. 1:4-20  
 Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25  
 Mark 13:1-8



**'Making the Most of Parenting'**

**(5-12 year olds)**

Saturday afternoon

17 November 2012

1.15pm cuppa for 1.30pm start – 4.00pm

Being held at St John's TTG in their Hall, 182 Hancock Road, Ridgehaven

**Presenter:** Emily Lim, Lutheran Community Care

**Cost:** Donation on entry towards Emily's expenses, materials.

A crèche will be available if needed.

Enquiries and registrations to Ruth Olsen or Sharon Minge by Friday 9 November:

Phone: 8396 4466

Email: [ttglutheran@adelaide.on.net](mailto:ttglutheran@adelaide.on.net)

**FOR SALE.**

Two bedroom unit at Para Vista Lutheran Homes, a small retirement village close to all facilities. The unit is fully refurbished (new kitchen, bathroom, carpet, repainted throughout etc) \$120,000.

For further details, please contact Bill Waring on 0405 213 460.

**Accommodation Required.**

A Pastor and his wife are in need of accommodation for 6 weeks from the 12<sup>th</sup> November 2012. If you are able to help please contact Kate 8267 5790 or Larissa 8267 7304.

**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 Nov 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 .

**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](http://www.gglf.org.au) and then clicking Files.

**Stamps For Missions**

Remember to keep collecting your used postage stamps for missions. Box in Foyer.

**Men's Breakfast at Para Vista Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2012 7am for 7.30am commencement**

**Guest Speaker Dr Jemmy Lao "End of life legislation"**

**Cost \$5.00 per head**

**Enquiries Ken Campbell 0421 428 555**

**Glynde Lutheran Church (15 Glynburn Road, Glynde)**

**BUMPER CHRISTMAS MARKET**

**24th November 2012**

**9 am—1 pm**

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**BIRTHDAY GREETINGS**  
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Today	11th Nov	Pastor Leon Rosenberg
Mon	12th Nov	Charlotte Wilson
Wed	14th Nov	Heidi Rosenberg
Sat	17th Nov	Tim Wachtel

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

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**Treasurer**

Simon Williams

**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 4/11	9.30 am	68	\$316.30
	6.30 pm	62	\$ 93.35

**Total giving for September 2012** (through REG & weekly giving) is \$14,709.35

Monthly average income required to meet budgeted expenditure \$18 350