

Our mission: "Making Christ known in the community so that all may worship Him and receive the gift of eternal life"

GOLDEN GROVE

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1st May 2011—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 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 the 6.30 pm service Please feel welcome to join us.

TWO MINUTES

Jesus appears to his disciples; Jesus appears to Thomas

Jesus did many other miraculous signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name. John 20:30-31

Picture the scene – nervous men, locked doors, discussion in low voices about the events that had recently happened. Then Jesus appears among them! Now picture scene two (a week later) - doors locked again, still a level of tension for fear of the Jews, this time the sceptical Thomas is present. Then Jesus appears among them again and turns to Thomas repeating word for word Thomas' doubts and showing them to be unwarranted.

In this Gospel, John has recorded the miraculous signs and wonders of Jesus much like a lawyer reporting evidence. We have first-hand witnesses – John, Thomas, the other disciples. We have evidence – scar tissue from nail wounds and scar tissue from the spear wound in Jesus' side. And we have a motive – 'that you may believe... and that by believing you may have life!' John is showing us the truth, the facts, that this man Jesus is the Messiah. He is the Son of God. And through Him we have eternal life.

Dear Father in Heaven, we are convinced that you are the Christ. Help us to speak this message clearly to others and share with our families and friends, our workmates and colleagues the good news of your salvation. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen. **Tania Nelson**

| Readings for today Acts 2:14, 22-32 1 Peter 1: 3-9 John 20:19-31 Readings for 8th May Acts 2:14, 36-41 1 Peter 1:17-23 Luke 24:13-35 | Worship Opportunities | | |
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| | Today 1st May | 9.30 am 6.30 pm | Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC |
| | Friday 6th May | 8.45-9.15 am | Informal worship with HC with school community followed by Coffee Club |
| | Sunday 8th May | 9.30 am 6.30 pm | Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship |
| | Friday 13th May | 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

I praying that you are having a **blessed Easter** (The season of Easter continues till Pentecost – 12^{th} June.) and that the Easter weekend was a deep and meaningful experience for you. May you know that "the veil is torn", "Jesus is with you" and that each day "you live in all that Jesus' suffering and death gained for you"- the forgiveness, the freedom and the hope for the future (that certainty that God has the future in his hands.)

This morning we are going to take up the Gospel Reading: John 20:19-31 and in particular **verse 21**: *Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.*" with the theme: **"Sent to forgive**". We'll be looking at the depth, the joy and the peace this command gives.

Next Sunday we are having a **special Mother's Day service**. I hope that all the congregation and school will ask their mothers to attend.

One way we are making this special is by having pictures of your mum on the screen during the service (like we did 4 years ago). So please email your mother's photo into the Church Office (or drop a hard copy in which we will scan) sometime this week (earlier the better).

As you can see from the "**Meetings this week**", after the school holidays we are back into meetings. The Vision For Ministry and the Management team meeting may be the last ones if the proposed restructure for our leadership at the AGM goes ahead. Please see the **AGM reports**- out next Sunday, for details.

I include **the PrayTTG prayer/breakfast** in meetings for this week because it is open to leaders in our congregation and this month we are hosting it. Also I include the **School's Ministry TTG meeting** in as well. We are looking for more members on this committee. If you would like to know more about it or would like to come along to see what we do, please see me. **The Journey** is our name for the confirmation course (aimed at those in year 7). **Ministry of Care** is for everyone (who has a caring role in our congregation- which I think that is about everyone). It is run by the Pastoral Carers for the congregation. I have also included our **Friday morning worship** (with the School community) in the list of meetings because that is the third worship service of the congregation and I think they are wonderful.

I will repeat again what I included in last week's Bulletin: please note that after using the ONE YEAR PSALMS AND NEW TESTAMENT readings we are going back to the **ONE YEAR BIBLE**. See the back page of this Bulletin for the readings for this week. Why not take up Bible reading everyday and perhaps even journaling. If you would like to talk about this, I certainly would love to talk to you about it.

Pastor Leon

Meetings this week:

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| Monday (2/5/11): | 7pm Sit and sew | | | |
| Tuesday (3/5/11) | 3.20pm The Journey | | | |
| Tuesday (3/5/11): | Endeavour Council | | | |
| Tuesday (3/5/11): | Vision For Ministry | | | |
| Wednesday (4/5/11): 7am PrayTTG Pastor's Prayer/Breakfast | | | | |
| Friday (6/5/11): | 8.45am Worship (with the School community) with HC | | | |
| Saturday (7/5/11): | 11am GGAF at Waitpinga | | | |

The following week:

Monday (9/5/11):Ministry of CareTuesday (10/5/11)3.20pm The JourneyTuesday (10/5/11)Management TeamThursday (12/5/11)7.30am Schools Ministry TTG meeting (St Luke's
Anglican)Friday (13/5/11):8.45am Worship (with the School community)

Salt Factory Worship Tonight: 6.30 pm service

Come from 5.45 pm onwards for food (gold coin donation) and drinks (\$1).

Rostered for Salt Factory catering next Sunday 8th May—Napier group.



"Sit & Sew"

Next session will be held tomorrow evening **Monday 2nd May, 7-9 pm** in the Fellowship Centre.

These sessions **will not** be a formal teaching class, instead you are encouraged to bring along whatever project you are currently working on. The cost of each session will be \$5.00. For more information please contact Heidi Rosenberg on:

Home 82514007 or Mobile 0408 847 386



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

WAITPINGA BEACH SURF FISHING Saturday 7th May, 11.00 am

Where: Meet in the Waitpinga Beach Car Park (allow 2 hours driving).

Suggested Bait: Cockles, Whitebait, Pilchards, Squid, Berley etc. Fishing mainly for Salmon and Mullet. Weigh In at 5.30pm. Toilets are close by in the car park.

PLEASE NOTE: This is surf fishing – bring extra clothing if necessary.

Following the fishing all are welcome to join in a meal at Victor Harbor.

Further enquiries to Zimmo 8289 1212 or Graeme Hoklas 0419 828 091

MEN'S MINISTRY

ADELAIDE MEN'S CONVENTION Saturday 14 May 2011 8.30am to 4.30pm at Concordia College Chapel 48 Cheltenham Street Highgate

Theme "The Best Man Can Get" Guest Speaker Andrew Heard EV Church Central NSW

Costs range from \$25 Concession Pensioners and unemployed to \$30 Group Booking (5 or more) (closes 6 May) Early Bird by 6 May \$35 and late registration on the day \$40. Registration includes lunch, morning and afternoon tea and convention booklet. Enjoy the inspiration of praising God with four hundred men. Come on fellas lets go! Pastor Leon has already registered.

Registrations available from Ken Campbell



KIDS AT HEART

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

Welcome to everyone, especially the children!

Thank you to the new people on our Kids at Heart rosters. I appreciate those who have committed to help out over the rest of the year. The more volunteers, the better, obviously. If there are any other people would like to help out, even once per year, please let me know.

Blessings,

Lesley Friedrich for the Kids at Heart team

🕵 Mainly Music now meeting on

Tuesdays from 9.30am (9.15 new registrations) and held in the GGLF Worship Centre. Commencing again on Tuesday 10th May.

On Tuesday 3rd May we will be having a trial set-up with only Volunteer Team Members attending. We are still keen to have more volunteers rostered to help. If this change means you are now able to help, please come along **from 9.30am** so we can add you to our roster. or phone James Ziersch 0435008513.

Mainly Music needs some extra help

We would appreciate donations of:

baby/toddler formula tins (to make drums) scarves (to make flags) small teddies time to help make some more percussion instruments small items suitable for inclusion in our "Welcome baskets" for new parents (eg. small tissues, mini choc bars, hankies, scented herb bags, mini hand creams etc)

We use props for each song and percussion instruments, and now that we have 9 children registered we need to make some more. The props we use assist the pre-school aged children with their right and left brain development.

Please contact James Ziersch on 0435 008 513 or Lorelle Molde on 0433 102 140 if you can help





ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS 2011/12 are now available for purchase. The books cost \$65 and funds raised will go towards our mission partnership with Asaroka, PNG. Please see or phone Judith if you wish to purchase a book.

PARA VISTA LUTHERAN HOMES INC.

We have one, two bedroom Unit for sale suitable for a senior couple or single person, able to live independently. Set within quiet gardens and adjacent to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, the unit is close to both shops and transport.

For further details, please call Bill Waring on 0405 213 460, write to PO Box 207, Modbury North, 5092 or email <u>wfwaring@internode.on.net</u>

GGLF Annual General Meeting on Sunday 22nd May 2011 at 11am

Nominations and Reports ARE NOW DUE

Thank you to all those who have submitted their reports. For those who have not yet submitted a report they need to be in **this week** as the Book of Reports will be collated and made available next Sunday.

(Reports to Judith, & nominations to the Nominations team: Tania Nelson, Robyn Oatey, Pastor Leon)



LCA SA/NT District Conference 2011

"Love comes to life" "As the Father sent me, so I send you" John 20:21

Venue: Unity College, MURRAY BRIDGE Date: 28 - 29 May 2011

An engaging, inspiring and encouraging celebration and vision of where God's love leads us to loving others. The conference is open to all who want to learn, grow and be inspired.

Those attending need to be registered, so gather together a team of passionate people who are looking to make a difference in their community. We are looking for all age groups to be represented.

Keynote speakers Pr David Altus, Pr Rich Melheim, Dr Steve Taylor and Dr He Qi.

There are over 23 electives to choose from

Conference forms are available from the table in our church foyer.

Relationships and Sex Seminar

Are you a Parent? Youth Leader? School teacher/chaplain? You are encouraged to be part of this seminar of the SA/NT District.

You are invited to attend the forthcoming Relationships and Sex seminar on Sunday the 15th May. It begins at 3.00 pm and concludes at 6.00 pm and will be held the District Office 137 Archer St North Adelaide.

The Seminar includes a panel and open discussion. There will also be a display of many resources. If you have any resources or enquiries please contact Mike Pietsch on 8370 3615, 0409 725 573 or <u>mike.pietsch@lca.org.au</u>

LUTHERAN WINEMAKERS CLASSIC CASE 2

A reminder to all wine lovers that Classic Case 2 and new Stelzer Select Six wine orders are due 16 May 2011. These wines have been personally selected by Tyson Stelzer from the wine on offer from Barossa Lutheran winemakers. A few new Lutheran winemaking names have been added to make this the ideal winter wine mix. Chris Stephan will help you with food selections to complete your wine experience. Proceeds from Classic Case 2 will support Lutherans to connect to their community. This can be by way of Operation Connect and the Longest Lutheran Lunch OR the Disaster Relief Appeal which is supporting those who were affected by the Floods, Cyclone Yasi and the Christchurch Earthquakes. Don't miss out. Orders close 16 May 2011. ORDER NOW Ring 08 8267 7300 to order or send to 197 Archer Street, North Adelaide 5006

Brochures are available from our Church Foyer

Remember to keep collecting your used postage stamps for STAMPS FOR MISSIONS. Box in Foyer.

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. (Jan Wegener, Pastor Len & Claire Tscharke, Joan Hochwald, 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.

Video Ministry

Each service is video taped, with copies available immediately after each service. Please see the library to loan a copy. Even if you can't make it to the service, you can still participate in worship. 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 May are: Kloeden & Friedrich.

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.

GGLF Attendance & Offerings

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

| Thurs 21/4 7.00 pm Fri 22/4 9.30 am Sun 24/4 9.30 am | 88 130 121 | \$ \$ \$419.85 | | |
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| Total giving for March 2011(through REG & weekly giving) is\$17 239 | | | | |
| Total Giving for 3 more | nths Jan—Ma | r \$46 487 | | |
| Monthly average incom to meet budgeted expe | \$20 670 | | | |

Please refer to the NOTICEBOARD in Church Foyer for other notices

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.

One Year Bible

- Reading Plan for this week
 - Judges 13:1- 14:20 1 May John 1:29-51 Psalm 102:1-28 Proverbs 14:15-16
 - 2 May Judges 15:1-16:31 John 2.1-25 Psalm 103:1-22 Proverbs 14:17-19
 - 3 May Judges 17:1-18:31 John 3:1-21 Psalm 104:1-24 Proverbs 14:20-21
 - 4 May Judges 19:1-20:48 John 3:22-4:3 Psalm 104:24-35 Proverbs 14:22-24
 - 5 May Judges 21:1-Ruth 1:22 John 4:4-42 Psalm 105:1-15 Proverbs 14:25
 - 6 May Ruth 2:1-4:22 John 4:43-54 Psalm 105:16-36 Proverbs 14:26-27
 - 7 May 1 Samuel 1:1-2:21 John 5.1-23 Psalm 105:37-45 Proverbs 14:28-29

Soup Kitchen—St Mark's

Anglican Church, Cnr The Golden Way and Wynn Vale Drive, Wynn Vale, will once again be providing free soup through their Soup Kitchen. This will be held each Thursday night from 6.00 pm to 7.30 pm commencing on 5 May.

Hampstead Lutheran **Church Annual Garage** Sale

Saturday 7th May 8.00 am-2.00 pm Garage sale, fresh produce, books, plants, floral arrangements, food, drinks.

LSF Annual Quiz Night: You are invited to form a table or come as an individual to be part of this fantastic Quiz Night on Saturday evening May 14 at the ALC Refectory, North Adelaide. \$10 entry per person for an entertaining night with great prizes and games. Contact Victoria saevents@lsf.org.au or Mike Pietsch 0409 725 573.

POSITIONS VACANT

The LCA SA/NT Department for Children. Youth & Family Ministry (CYFM) is seeking to appoint a parttime Ministry Program Coordinator (0.4 FTE) to support event and camping ministry to children, youth and families in the SA/NT District.

To find out more about this role call 08 8267 5211 during office hours or email fiona.weckert@ sa.lca.org.au Applications close Friday 13th May 2011.

Camp Manager (Part time casual) at Lutheran Camp Kedron (Riverland region). See noticeboard for further details.

Friends of Lutheran Archives activities: 1. Seminar: Becoming South Australian -Germans in a British context. How did the Germans fit into the 19th century British colony? Sat 14 May, 9.15am - 4.30pm, Barr Smith Librarv. Adelaide University. Cost \$35 (includes lunch and morning tea). Book now at Lutheran Archives (tel. 8340 4009).

2. Hymnfest and Immanuel Chapel Anniversary: A lively Hymnfest of hymns & songs written by Immanuel old scholars and staff (from Loehe to Mann) will celebrate the 40th anniversary of the construction of Immanuel Chapel. Sun 15 May, 2pm at Immanuel College Chapel. Afternoon tea. Gold coin donation.



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

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