



Jesus said, "I am the vine,
You are the branches."
John 15.5

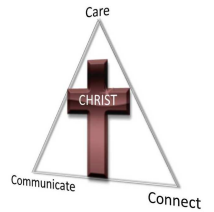
Our mission:

"Knowing Christ and
making Him known"

GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP

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Our goal:
Care,
Communicate,
Connect
so that people
know CHRIST.



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11th September 2011— 13th 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 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 evening service. Please feel welcome to join us.

TWO MINUTES

To judge or not to judge

Romans 14: 1, 4, 7-8

Accept him whose faith is weak, without passing judgement on disputable matters...Who are you to judge someone else's servant?...For none of us lives to himself alone and none of us dies to himself alone. If we live, we live to the Lord; and if we die, we die to the Lord. So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord.

It's human nature - we constantly make assessments on others. What they say. What they wear. What they do.

Everything and anything falls prey to our 'we-know-what's best' judgement. We're quick to judge...too quick ...and then, just sometimes, we find out later that there are circumstances which throws our criticism smack bang into our face with a healthy sense of shame. Today's passage from Romans warns us about judging others. It reminds us that none of us lives to himself, none of us dies to himself. In other words, it says to us in a loud voice 'who do we think we are!?' And it reminds us to live, not judgmentally and critically, but with love, serving the Lord and giving thanks for all he provides.

Heavenly Father, You created all people and they are all precious in your sight. Remind us of your great love when we tend to be critical and judgemental. Assist us to live fully for you. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Tania Nelson



Readings for today

1 Kings 19:1-14, 18
2 Cor. 6:3-13
Matt. 11:25-29

Readings for 18th Sept
Psalm 103
2 Cor. 4:13-18
John 16:16-24

Worship Opportunities

Today 11th Sept	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
Friday 16th Sept	8.45—9.15am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
Sunday 18th Sept	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
Friday 23rd Sept	8.45—9.15am	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

All meetings start at 7.30pm unless otherwise indicated

On the wings of an eagle. This is what we are celebrating in September. The beautiful banner that Susanne Trigg has made for us for his celebration says it all: REFRESH, RENEW, SOAR, RECHARGE, RESTORE, REVIVE. This is what we feel we need. This is our heartfelt prayer, our desire, our hope. Can you see symbols of the Holy Spirit, joy, life, wonder, openness and growth on the banner? May the words of the song- our theme song for the month: "Come live in me, all my life take over, come breath in me and I will rise on eagles' wings" be your prayer throughout this month and... throughout your life.

They are the very words I presented last week to begin this column. Some of you might have missed it. I pray that you plan to get the most out of this festival and you are truly open to God to lift you "on eagle's wings". Next week Pastor Peter Steicke will be leading the morning service and preaching on the theme "Renewed", based on Isaiah 40:31a. I shall take up the same theme that evening at Salt Factory.

Today the theme is "**Strength for the Weary**", based on Isaiah 40:29, 30: *He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall*" This message is a for all who are feeling weary and weak... worn out... don't feel like going on...fatigued and wondering what's the use... tired or depressed... We are going to consider how we take hold of the strength God offers. A couple of clues: it has to do with the means God has so readily made available (but which we have often overlooked), it has to do with faith and it will also involve something a little bit different in our sermon today!

This morning are also celebrating Patrick Lukas Pena's **baptism**. Lisa and Eduardo (who are still members here at GGLF) have coming from Perth to celebrate this with you- their church family.

Speaking of family (and not being weary), the Rosenberg family is walking/running/crawling in the "**City to Bay**" run in 2 week's time to raise money for Downs Syndrome. (You might know Jackson – our grandson: he comes along to Mainly Music and is enrolled in our School.) If you would like to support them you can do that through the link http://www.everydayhero.com.au/katie_kenny_3.

As part of our celebration, "*On the wings of an eagle*", you will have opportunity with a "**retiring offering for ALWS**" each Sunday, for people who are weary with hunger and sickness (Sorry we didn't give you more warning last Sunday). Keep in mind what Suz Brook presented last Sunday about what she will be doing under the auspice of ALWS (Australian Lutheran World Service), in Burundi and Kenya: there is a huge need there.

Please note the **Fishing Fete in a fortnight's time!** How are you going to be involved? (See notices in this Bulletin)

What is on this week?

Today (11/9/11) 4.20pm The Journey (confirmation): "Worship"
Tuesday (13/9/11) Board
Wednesday (14/9/11) 40 days of Community meeting
Friday (15/9/11) 7pm Bakery

What is on next week?

Tuesday (20/9/11) School Council

(All meetings start at 7.30pm unless otherwise indicated)

Salt Factory Worship Tonight: 6.30 pm service

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

Rostered for catering next Sunday 18th Sept — Kloeden/Nelson group.



Mainly Music now meeting on

Tuesdays at 9.00 am (8.45 am for new registrations) and held in the GGLF Worship Centre. Cost \$5 per family. Come 'n' try first session free



Baptism

Joining God's family today through the gift of Holy Baptism is

Patrick Lukas Pena

We are delighted to share in the celebration of this special occasion with Patrick, his parents Lisa and Eduardo, together with family and friends here with us today.

We pray Patrick may continue to grow in the love & strength of God



Baptism. I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

Men's Breakfast at Good Shepherd Lutheran Montague Road, Para Vista

Saturday 17th September, 7.30 am

Guest speaker: Wally Stringer
Topic: "Journey from Shearer to City Bus Driver"

Cooked breakfast—Cost \$5 head
Come along and join in the fellowship of friends.

Please let Judith or Elaine know if attending.
Enquiries: Ken Campbell 0421 428 555 or 8265 3106.

Car parking notice

Sunday—25th September 2011

Please note the car park will be closed off on Sunday morning 25th September due to the fishing fete. We apologise for any inconvenience.



Can You Help?

As part of the Fishing Fete, the Tea and Coffee Stall would like donations of biscuits, muffins, small cakes and slices to sell on the day. The inaugural fishing fete last year saw over 1000 people attend so it would be fantastic to have a generous supply of food available. Could any items be packaged and labelled with a list of ingredients.

We are also looking for helpers on the day,

If you are able to help with donations or give an hour of two of help on the day or want any information, please contact Jenny Rawolle, ph. 8251 3448.

RosTers

for Next Sunday 18th September

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
Joel Schiller	Tanya Wilson	Jacque Schutz	Schiller	Jacque Schutz	Pastor Leon	Margey Knapp		Leanne Schiller	Schmocker Seeliger	
6.30 pm Isaac Nelson	Blake Kloeden	CDs	Thiel				Luke Napier G Hoklas			Kloeden / Nelson



Fishing Fete

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Last year the Fishing Fete raised over \$4000 for the GGLF

Community. This is a GGLF event....

Can you help....

Contribute to the Crab net raffle—raised \$1700 last year

Promote the event

Host a GGLF stall—support the youth BBQ /Catering Group etc

The GGLF Fishing Fete is only 2 weeks away and is an opportunity for our congregation that is too good to miss.

Don't forget, the car park will be closed on the 25th.

Sunday the 25th September

Worship Rosters for Nov, Dec 2011 & Jan 2012

Yes it's that time again and we are looking for willing people to assist in any area of weekly worship but we would particularly **seek extra help in the areas of**

- ◆ Salt Factory powerpoint;
- ◆ PA and worship leaders;
- ◆ Prayers for morning
- ◆ People (male or female) to do flowers at am service

To find out where you can help just check out the current rosters and roster lists in the foyer and add your name. It would be great to see the lists of names get longer and not shorter. More names means we get to do it less often.

For those wonderful people already on the list, **please let me know if there are any dates you are NOT available during these 3 months by sending me an email or putting a note in my pigeon hole by 23rd September.**

Thanks to you all for volunteering.

Robyn Oatey

email: mroaty@bigpond.com ph: 8263 9487



Please refer to the notice board for the following

AAEE screening of Play Again—What are the consequences of a childhood removed from nature
Thursday 22nd Sept 9.00—9.30pm Adelaide High School

Lutheran Media

Resources

Steve Biddulph—Raising girls

Monday 26th Sept 7.15pm for 7.30pm start
Immanuel College Novar Gardens

Afghani Information evening

Friday 9th Sept 3.30pm—5.00pm

Journey

Afghan Performance Group

Friday 16th Sept 12.00noon—2.00pm

MRCSA Hall

59 King William Street Adelaide

FISHING SWAP MEET AND FETE

ART COMPETITION

Students from GGLPS (and elsewhere) are invited to bring along a piece of 'Fishing Art' to the Fishing Fete. A \$25 prize will be awarded to the best as judged in each of the following groupings – Yr R/1, 2/3, 4/5 and 6/7. (The catch is that the art must be delivered to the fete by each entrant.)

There will also be a chance for primary grade students to create a piece of art at the Fete and enter it in to a separate competition on the day.



BO

All GGLPS and GGLF 'Dads and their Lads (any age)' are invited to attend our next BO (Blokes Only) night which will be on Friday the 23rd of September in the 'Schutz Shed' – sausage sizzle (provided – no salads or vegies), 6.00pm. Tour of the shed. Time to chat. A small project for the kids to work on. A fire outside. RSVP to Daryl Trigg (sms 0422572992) or Steve McLuckie (sms 0414550865)

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 Sept are: Heinrich, Thiel.

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

The LLL Account No. for GGLF Regular Electronic Giving is 28190/S1/GOL

To transfer money into the LLL Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship REG Ac please use: BSB (Branch) number - 704942 and Account No. - 28190

	Attendance	Offerings
Sun 4/9	94	\$373.60
9.30 am		
6.30 pm	27	\$37.90

Total giving for August 2011 (through REG & weekly giving) is **\$18 530**

Monthly average income required to meet budgeted expenditure **\$18 362**

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

11 Sept Isaiah 8:1—9:21
2 Cor. 12:1-10
Psalm 55:1-23
Proverbs 23:4-5

12 Sept Isaiah 10:1—11:16
2 Cor. 12:11-21
Psalm 56:1-13
Proverbs 23:6-8

13 Sept Isaiah 12:1—14:32
2 Cor. 13:1-14
Psalm 57:1-11
Proverbs 23:9-11

14 Sept Isaiah 15:1—18:7
Gal. 1:1-24
Psalm 58:1-11
Proverbs 23:12

15 Sept Isaiah 19:1—21:17
Gal. 2:1-16
Psalm 59:1-17
Proverbs 23:13-14

16 Sept Isaiah 22:1—24:23
Gal. 2:17—3:9
Psalm 60:1-12
Proverbs 23:15-16

17 Sep Isaiah 25:1—28:13
Gal. 3:10-22
Psalm 61:1-8
Proverbs 23:17-18

Food for Thought:

"Why is hermeneutics (interpretation) of the Bible so important?" Dr Tanya Wittwer (who recently completed her Doctorate in hermeneutics) and Rev Dr Peter Lockwood (lecturer at ALC) will open up the many aspects of this central topic, which is the foundation of so many theological conversations. The presentation and subsequent discussion will be held on Sunday afternoon the 11th Sept , 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 8370 3615 or 0409 725 573.

FULL TIME POSITION AVAILABLE AUSTRALIAN LUTHERAN COLLEGE

A full time position is available as housekeeper/cleaner for one of the boarding houses at Australian Lutheran College. Starting mid October. Applications close Tuesday 27th September. For further details please contact: Kristine Leonard Mb: 0400 592 816 or Marilyn Pickett Mb: 0432 934 705

Lutheran Winemakers of the Barossa present LONGEST LUTHERAN LUNCH SIX PACK

Great wines for a great lunch at a great price!

See brochures with order forms in our church foyer for further details and costs. **Orders close 19th September.**

Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting.

Topic: German missionary wives in Queensland Speaker: Dr Regina Ganter (Griffith University, Qld). What role did the wives play and what problems did unmarried missionaries face? At Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, Adelaide, on Monday 26 September at 7.30 pm. Supper. Gold coin donation. Thank you for your assistance. Best wishes.

Lyall Kupke
Archivist, Lutheran Archives



★ Today	11th Sept	Isaac Nelson
★ Tues	13th Sept	Heather Belton
★ Fri	16th Sept	Graham Pfeffer
		Alyce Wachtel

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

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