



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

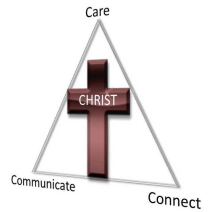
Our mission:

"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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13th November 2011— 22nd 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

Matthew 25:14-30

#### **The Parable of the Bags of Gold**

Extracts from Matthew Henry's Commentary  
BibleGateway.com

We have here the parable of the *talents* committed to three servants; this implies that we are in a state of work and business, as the former implies that we are in a state of expectancy. *That* showed the necessity of habitual preparation, *this* of actual diligence in our present work and service. In *that* we were stirred up to do well for our own souls; in *this* to lay out ourselves for the glory of God and the good of others.

That those who have least to do for God, frequently do least of what they have to do. Some make it an excuse for their laziness, that they have not the opportunities of serving God that others have; and because they have not wherewithal to do what they say they would, they will not do what we are sure they can, and so sit down and do nothing; it is really an aggravation of their sloth, that when they have but one talent to take care about, they neglect that one.

He hid his *Lord's* money; had it been his *own*, he might have done as he pleased; but, whatever abilities and advantages we have, they are not our *own*, we are but stewards of them, and must give account to our Lord, whose goods they are.

What charge we receive from God, what work we do for God in this world, is but little, very little, compared with *the joy set before us*. Put together all our service, all our sufferings, all our improvements, all the good we do to others, all we get to ourselves, and they are but a few things, next to nothing, not worthy to be compared, not fit to be named the same day with the glory to be revealed.

Brian Quick.



### Readings for today

Judges 4:1-7  
1 Thess. 5:1-11  
Matt. 25:14-30

Readings for 20th Nov

### Worship Opportunities

<b>Today 13th Nov</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory worship
<b>Friday 18th Nov</b>	<b>8.45 -9.15 am</b>	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
<b>Sunday 20th Nov</b>	<b>9.30 am</b> <b>6.30 pm</b>	R/1 lead school worship Salt Factory worship
<b>Friday 25th Nov</b>	<b>8.45 -9.15 am</b>	Informal worship with school community followed by

### 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

13/11/11

Today we are taking a closer look at the Gospel reading for the day: **Matthew 25:14-30**: Jesus' parable of the bags of gold, in the message: "**What are you going to show when Jesus comes back?**" We'll discover what are our bags of gold and then we'll consider the key to this parable: What is your view of God?

Over this weekend of confirmees are away on the **Journey camp**. We are studying what it means to grow in faith in the world, by allowing God to show us what the Ten Commandments mean for us, as well as learning how to witness and serve.

We welcome the Principal of Endeavour College, **Heather Voigt** to our worship this morning. Heather has come to keep us in touch with Endeavour College with which we are in partnership (through LENS), which is a feeder school for our own primary campus and where number of our members are students, teachers or staff.

At Salt Factory this evening **Suz Brooks** who spoke to us several weeks ago about going over to Africa as part of a team representing ALWS will lead worship in which she will be sharing some of her experiences from her time over therewith us. Make sure you plan to come. It is bound to be a most confronting worship experience.

Just another reminder about the Christian meditation sessions "**Be still and know that I am God**", at John Paul 23rd Catholic Church (on Reservoir Road) 2pm every Thursday, run by Ken and Rita Robinson. I have attended on a couple of occasions and have found it very inspiring, informative and friendly.

Please note in the Bulletin the "**Christmas is coming: let's celebrate with giving and thanksgiving**"- our pre-Christmas carol service is on 4<sup>th</sup> December (not the 11<sup>th</sup> as indicated in the rosters).

The **rosters for January /February** should be out in the next week or so. You will also notice that we decided not to have anything on the evenings in January. (Over the last few years we had DVDs and discussion in January at the Salt Factory time slot) The first **Salt Factory service** will be held on 5<sup>th</sup> February.

Heidi and I shall be away from 20th November – 4th December on annual leave in the Eastern States. (I am officiating at my nephew's wedding on Friday 25th November in Sydney.)

## What is on this week?

Tuesday (15/11/11): School Council.

Friday week (18/11/11): 7pm Rev 320 Teams Games Night

Saturday (19/11/11): 7pm GGAF Presentation night.

Next Sunday(20/11/11): 9.30am School family Service (R/1) and Annual Picnic

## What is on over the next few weeks?

Sunday (27/11/11): 11am Half Yearly meetings

Saturday (3/12/11): 6pm Dinner on the Deck.

Monday (5/12/11) Worship Team

Thursday (8/12/11) 7pm School Council Dinner

Monday (12/12/11) Pastoral Carers

Tuesday (13/12/11) Board

*(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).**

Come hear Suz Brook share some of her experience in Burundi & Kenya as part of the ALWS team looking at the work of LWF.

Please have a view of the "**Gifts of Grace**" catalogue (*copies available from the church foyer*) as Suz will be speaking about this.

**Rostered for catering next Sunday 20th Nov — Schmocker group.**

## Mainly Music

**Tuesday 15th November at 9.00 am** in the GGLF Worship Centre.

Cost \$5 per family.

Come 'n' try first session free with registration at 8.45 am



## Christmas is coming, let's celebrate with giving and thanksgiving

Calling all parents, grandparents, friends, supporters and members of Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship.

Christmas is coming! Let's celebrate and help the Lutheran Community Care Christmas Appeal. In the spirit of thanksgiving, we are asking everyone – young and old to come along to our carols service on 4<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30 am. :

## Christmas is coming let's celebrate with giving and thanksgiving

We are asking everyone to bring along a new Christmas toy for a child between the ages of 5 – 12 years, as well as food

items suitable for Christmas Hampers. All children are encouraged to dress up and come along as shepherds, angels or wise men. (A very basic dress

pattern suitable for all is available, if needed.) All gifts will be donated to be distributed to the many who may not be receiving any gifts this year

## Stitch and Sew in December

(7pm on 5/12/11)

Christmas Break Up  
Don't bring your own work,  
it's a "Mystery Mini Workshop".  
Everyone Welcome.

Also bring a small plate of food to share for supper  
The following "Stitch and Sew" is planned for 6/2/12

## School Council Annual Election Meeting

Sunday 27th November following the 9.30am service at 11am.

If you are interested in joining school council, please contact Steve McLuckie on 0414550865 as soon as possible.

## BO – Friday the 18th at Schmocker's

6.00pm Tea supplied  
Orienteering, yabbing – a challenge trail!  
RSVP to Daryl Trigg  
(0422572992) or Steve  
McLuckie (0414 550 865)

# RosTers

for Next Sunday 20th 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
Leon Pfeffer	Brian Quick	School	Canavese Quick	R/1 students	R/1s	R/1s		Denise Kloeden	Copeland Dutschke	
6.30 pm Joel Schiller		Band	Nelson				J & T Rawolle			Schmocker



## KIDS AT HEART

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

Welcome to everyone, especially the children!

### Craft time during Pastor's message

We are trialling the running of craft time in the foyer. We still expect the children to be quiet so the helpers and children can hear the message through the speakers, however it is hoped that a little more interaction with the children will be helpful. In addition we hope there will be less distraction for the congregation. We are open to feedback so please pass it on.

### Advent activities

We will be running a series of craft activities for all ages (including teens) during Advent. "Chrismons" and other Christmas crafts are included.

It might be a nice time for our GGLF kids to invite some friends along?

### Donations / Recycling

Donations of Christmas materials would be gratefully received. For example: sequins, beads, pearls, glitter, glitter glue, styrene shapes, metallic braids, cords and edgings, foil, pins, gold thread, pipe cleaners, beading wire, felt, old Christmas cards.

At any time donations of glue, coloured paper, cardstock, etc are happily received. Thankyou.

Blessings,  
Lesley Friedrich for the Kids at Heart team

Last Sunday a letter written to our congregation from the President of the Asaroka Circuit, PNG was shared via an insert in the bulletin. It's an expression of their deep appreciation of what we have done for them at the Asaroka schools and how this is affecting them and their children. The Asaroka secondary school in particular is once more a school that they are proud of and look to for future workers in the church and their community. If you missed the insert last week copies are available from the church foyer. Please take the time to have a read.

**GGLPS & GGLF**

**invite you to our annual picnic!**

**Sunday 20th November**

Join us for the R/1 chapel service @ GGLF 9.30am, followed by our picnic at 11.00am. A fun day full of games, jumpy castle, sausage sizzle, ice cream van, Bring your KITE! friendship etc.

Sausage Sizzle (\$2) or BYO Food  
BYO drinks (or cans for sale), Chairs etc

For more information, please call the GGLPS office on 8282 6000 or visit the school website @ [www.goldengrove.sa.edu.au](http://www.goldengrove.sa.edu.au)

Please note that GGOSH will be providing a sausage sizzle and cans of drinks for sale for those who want it.

## MOVEMBER

It's Movember and time to focus on men's health. To show my commitment, I'm donating my face to the cause by growing a moustache for the entire month of November to raise money for the Movember cause being Men's Health Education, Depression & Prostrate Cancer. In the last 12 months, I have had 1 brother battle severe Depression and another currently battling Cancer that may have had a better prognosis if detected earlier...

Please don't feel obliged to donate. This is as much for me about awareness and education – and if I raise some money along the way, that's is a good thing. Have a good look around the website and associated links.

I'm inviting you to support my Movember campaign by making a donation by either:

\*Donating online at: <http://mobro.co/DanielDutschke> (preferred).

\*Writing a cheque payable to 'Movember', referencing my Registration ID: 1388460 and mailing it to: Movember, PO Box 60, East Melbourne, VIC, 8002

OR: You can donate in cash and if you wish, I can organise a receipt for you.

All donations over \$2 are tax deductible and receipts will be issued when donating online. Please have a browse around the website and the causes it supports. Thanks, Daniel Dutschke

### Christmas Play – help needed:

We are needing someone to help organize/coordinate costumes, and someone, or a small team, to organize promotion such as flyers/letter box drop, etc. If anyone is able to offer assistance in these areas, please contact Kerry Jachmann P: 83960083 E: [Kerry.wayne1@bigpond.com](mailto:Kerry.wayne1@bigpond.com)

**Men's Breakfast** hosted by Good Shepherd Lutheran at Para Vista on **Saturday 19th November at 7.30 am.**

Menu: Cooked breakfast Cost: \$5.00

Guest speaker: Matthew Huckel on Music Therapy: Neuro Rehabilitation

Please contact Ken Campbell on 0421 428 555 or 8265 3106 if you would like to be part of a GGLF group to join in.

**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, 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.

**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 November 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 .

**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 6/11 9.30 am	74	\$742.40
6.30 pm	58	\$225.55

**Total giving for October 2011**  
(through REG & weekly giving) is **\$13 819**

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**

- 13 Nov Ezekiel 27:1—28:26  
Hebrews 11:17-31  
Psalm 111:1-10  
Proverbs 27:15-16
- 14 Nov Ezekiel 29:1—30:26  
Hebrews 11:32—12:13  
Psalm 112:1-10  
Proverbs 27:17
- 15 Nov Ezekiel 31:1—32:32  
Hebrews 12:14-29  
Psalm 113:1—114:8  
Proverbs 27:18-20
- 16 Nov Ezekiel 33:1—34:31  
Hebrews 13:1-25  
Psalm 115:1-18  
Proverbs 27:21-22
- 17 Nov Ezekiel 35:1—36:38  
James 1:1-18  
Psalm 116:1-19  
Proverbs 27:23-27
- 18 Nov Ezekiel 37:1—38:23  
James 1:10—2:17  
Psalm 117:1-2  
Proverbs 28:1
- 19 Nov Ezekiel 39:1—40:27  
James 2:18—3:18  
Psalm 118:1-18  
Proverbs 28:2

**ALWS 2011 - Africa Famine Crisis**

Donations to help people affected by the East Africa famine will be matched dollar for dollar by the Australian Government. This offer is available to 30 November. **This means donations given now for East Africa through ALWS can be DOUBLED -**  
[www.alws.org.au](http://www.alws.org.au)

**Reminder:** Support for the work and ministry of Lutheran Community Care is ongoing and encouraged. **LCC's request list for November** is for canned vegies, canned tuna, sugar, rice, milo, coffee.. Boxes and bags are always in the Foyer waiting to be filled!



**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 GGLF office so please contact Judith Whaites to place an order (*email office, phone or contact in person*) by **30th Nov**. Trees will be delivered on Saturday 10th Dec.

**Metropolitan Male Choir of SA**

Presents

**"A pleasant Sunday afternoon of Music & entertainment**

**Sunday 20th November 2011**  
**2-4 pm**

At "The Ark"

Salisbury Lutheran Church

10 Waterloo Cnr Rd, Salisbury

Admission \$10 (includes afternoon tea)

Ph 8281 2976 (church office) or Debra 8284 7206 for tickets, bookings or enquiries.

**POSITIONS VACANT**

**Worship Support Team Leader – Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Para Vista – 20hrs/wk**

For further details go to: <http://www.lca.org.au/employment-opportunities.html>

**Pastoral Support Worker—Hampstead Luth**  
See noticeboard for further details.

**Metropolitan Regional Staffworker**  
**Scripture Union Offices**  
0.4 FTE

**Lutheran Community Care**  
**Casual Creche Workers**  
LCC Level 3

*(Please refer to noticeboard for further details).*

**BIRTHDAY GREETINGS**

★ Mon 14th Nov Heidi Rosenberg  
 ★ Thurs 17th Nov Tim Wachtel  
 ★ Fri 18th Nov Mark Rawolle

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

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