



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

*Our mission:
"Making Christ
known in the com-
munity 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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17th January 2010—2nd Sunday after Epiphany

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
Please feel welcome to join us.

TWO MINUTES

January 2010 is half over already. How have you started the 'New Year'?

Did you go back to the same routine? As the same person?

If you're following the 'Everyday Evangelism' theme, how has knowing your Evangelism style changed the person you are in your family, everyday life, or workplace?

In the gospel today, we hear of Jesus performing his first miracle, and through it revealing God in his glory. Jesus showed his friends and family who he REALLY was.

What about you? Now we can't turn water into wine, but the reading from 1st Corinthians shows many other spiritual gifts that we may receive from God. When we use these gifts, God's glory is also revealed through us. As the reading says, the Holy Spirit has decided which gift to give us. It's now up to us to serve God, and reveal His glory, through our use of them.

It's not too late – let God's glory be revealed through you in 2010!

Allyson Dutschke

Worship Opportunities



Readings for today

Isaiah 62:1– 5

1 Cor. 12:1-11

John 2:1-11

Readings for 24th Jan

Neh. 8:1-3, 5, 6, 8-10

1 Cor. 12:12-31

Luke 4:14-21

Today 17th Jan	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship DVD series (<i>in lieu of Salt Factory worship</i>)
Sunday 24th Jan	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC DVD series (<i>in lieu of Salt Factory worship</i>)
Sunday 31st Jan	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship DVD series (<i>in lieu of Salt Factory worship</i>)
Friday 5th Feb	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

Today we are having a closer look at the Gospel reading (John 2:1-11) to hear 'The servant's story'.

This month our thrust in the series Creating confidence to Share Your Faith is: "**Sharing your story**". Our story is the strongest evangelism tool God has given us. As we heard last Sunday it is most important to develop our story so that we are confident and effective in telling it. Two weeks ago we heard 3 stories (testimonies) which were both inspirational and instructive, and through this month we shall be hearing others. If you would like to give a testimony in our worship, especially in the next few months please see Pastor Leon. If you would like help in developing your story, Jeff Wegener has volunteered to be of assistance.

Tonight and each Sunday evening during January we have the opportunity to watch a DVD "**Out of the Valley**". Paul Swansson has organized this series, which takes the place of Salt Factory worship in January.

Next Sunday the theme for the sermon is the synagogue – goers' story based on Luke 4:14-21.

You might have noticed next week we have a **Ministry Of Care** meeting. Can you recall what this is from last year's Bulletins. Just to refresh your memories:

The Pastoral Carers have implemented a different approach to the care in our congregation. We still maintain the best care we can offer at GGLF is *in and through our Fellowship Groups* and through *our spontaneous caring* (when people see a need and just act - as an expression of their God given compassion). But to encourage our whole congregation to be *more caring* we are making our pastoral care meetings an opportunity for the ministry of care. In other words they are **open to all who would like to be encouraged and supported in whatever caring for the congregation (and others) God has put them in**. So **you** are welcome to come along and be encouraged and supported in your caring **and you don't have to join the team to do this**. You may come just the once or come back to these Ministry of Care meetings as often as you like.

This week:

Wednesday, Thurs 20,21/1/10) School Staff Retreat.

Next Week

Wednesday (27th) Ministry of Care
Saturday 6pm : Management Team Fellowship event
BBQ and swim at John Fielke's

All meetings start at 7.30pm unless indicated otherwise

ROSTERS

The worship service rosters for March—May 2010 will soon be prepared and made available in early February. Can you please notify Robyn Oatey by Sunday 31st January of any dates which you may be unavailable to serve during this trimester. Email mroatey@bigpond.com or phone 8263 9487).

One Year Bible— Reading Plan for this week

Jan 17	Genesis	35:1—36:43
	Matthew	12:1-21
	Psalms	15:1-5
	Proverbs	3:21-266
Jan 18	Genesis	37:1—38:30
	Matthew	12:22-45
	Psalms	16:1-11
	Proverbs	3:27-32
Jan 19	Genesis	39:1—41:16
	Matthew	12:46—13:23
	Psalms	17:1-15
	Proverbs	3:33-35
Jan 20	Genesis	41:17—42:17
	Matthew	13:24-46
	Psalms	18:1-15
	Proverbs	4:1-6
Jan 21	Genesis	42:18—43:34
	Matthew	13:47—14:12
	Psalms	18:16-36
	Proverbs	4:7-10
Jan 22	Genesis	44:1—45:28
	Matthew	14:13-36
	Psalms	18:37-50
	Proverbs	4:11-13
Jan 23	Genesis	46:1—47:31
	Matthew	15:1-28
	Psalms	19:1-14
	Proverbs	4:14-19



Golden Grove
Amateur Fishing

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Sunday 7th Feb 2010 4.30 pm in the Fellowship Centre

Membership folders and 2010 calendar of trips/ events will be available for purchase.
Seniors \$10.
Juniors \$5 (under 15 years)
Also last chance to order any GGAF clothing/ merchandise.

Further enquiries to Zimmo 8289 1212 or Graeme Hoklas 8282 6000 or 0419 828 091

On the noticeboard

Please note the letter from our previous president Robert Voigt. It's in response to a letter we sent him.

ALSO a Thank you letter from PNG Missionary Fellowship Reunion to our fellowship as a whole and to those individuals who helped make their Mission Festival/Reunion last Sunday a special occasion.



Australian
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Invitation to beginning of year events

31st Jan—Installation
Service of Rev Linards
Jansons
1st Feb—Opening Service
Refer noticeboard for details

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

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Today	17 Jan	Karl Dutschke Elijah Schutz Trudy Lindner
Mon	18 Jan	Alice Carter
Wed	20 Jan	Rosalie Hoklas
Thurs	21 Jan	Lauren Baldock

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

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