

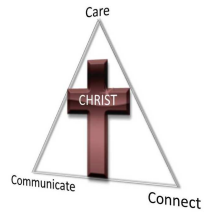


Our mission: "Making Christ known in the community so that all may worship Him and receive the gift of eternal life"

GOLDEN GROVE LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP

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



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1st August 2010—10th 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 service. Please feel welcome to join us.

TWO MINUTES

The Blessing of Balance.

Readings: Luke 12:13-21 and Colossians 3:1-11

Both Jesus and Paul are urging their hearers and readers to take notice of heavenly things and not to be taken up with the things of this life. The man Jesus spoke of was rich in this life but a pauper regarding spiritual life. Paul reminds his readers that they have been raised to new life with Christ. All that belongs to the old way of life must be put to death, as believers are being renewed in the image of their Creator.

What wonderful experiences God has for all who remember heavenly matters while keeping the things of the present life in appropriate balance. As Jesus said life does not consist in the abundance of possessions. True life is God's gift in Christ, the forgiveness of sins and peace with God.

Prayer: Father God, help us to know the realities and value of heavenly eternal things. May your Spirit renew us and enable us to live holy useful lives. Amen

Jean Warren



Readings for today

Hosea 11:1-11
Col. 3:1-11
Luke 12:13-21

Readings for 8th August

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20
Heb. 11:1-3, 8-16
Luke 12:32-40

Worship Opportunities

Today 1st Aug	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory Worship with HC
Friday 6th Aug	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
Sunday 8th Aug	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory Worship
Friday 13th Aug	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

We welcome Travis & Vikki Klose and their family and friends joining us for **Jasper Alex Klose's Baptism** this morning.

Today we commence the 4th part of our series: **Grow in faith** and we'll be considering growing in faith **in the world**. We are having a look at a few Bible verses: Matthew 5:13-16, Romans 5: 3-5 and 1 Peter 3:15. We'll consider how the world provides *darkness* for us to shine, *heat* for us to be refined and *silence* for us to speak God's Word in faith.

This morning we also install a new staff position, the **Communication's Officer**. As was announced about a month ago Brian Quick has accepted our call. Brian has been working in this position for the last 3 weeks and now we are installing him: recognizing the position, praying for him, asking God's blessing upon his ministry and pledging our support for his work. I will briefly describe his role in the service but if you would like to know more about what he has been employed to do, his vision for the role and what he has been doing so far speak to Brian yourself.

Wasn't the **Prayer Vigil** yesterday wonderful? I am sure that this will invigorate the **Life of the congregation** and we shall see the fruits of this in our congregation. Please continue praying for the congregation – why not use the "**Prayer Vigil Resources**" that were made available for yesterday's event. Even if you couldn't make it yesterday it still is important to be part of the prayer and life of our congregation.

Last week we launched our **Day Pay Challenge**. Please see some of the points that I made elsewhere in this Bulletin.

This morning: Fellowship Groups leaders meeting: The main part of the meeting will be focused on **Connect**. Daryl is looking for support and assistance from the Fellowship Groups for the up-coming Fishing Fete. If you personally can't make it to the meeting this morning please arrange a representative from your Fellowship Group.

Next Sunday our worship will incorporate the **Ardtornish District Scout Church Parade**. We are expecting about a hundred visitors including many dignitaries for this special service. We would like to put on a **special morning tea for our visitors**. **Could you please bring a plate of morning tea to share?** Also if you are an ex-scout please wear your scout scarf on the day.

Every now and then I borrow **some current DVDs** from the local video shop and recently I borrowed four which I can highly recommend to you- to use in a Fellowship Group and as a means of talking about Christian themes with un-churched people.

- *Invictus* (Mandela and the 95 Rugby World Cup): on forgiveness and reconciliation
- *District 9*: on how we treat people different than yourself and inter-racial relations
- *Seven Pounds*: on self sacrifice and being good enough.
- *Knowing*: on prophesy and predestination.

Why not use the opportunities we have around us.

Pastor Leon

This week:

Today: 11am Fellowship Groups meeting
Wednesday: 7pm Steve Grace Concert team meeting.
Friday/Saturday: Journey part 3 (Confirmation Camp)

All meetings start at 7.30pm unless indicated otherwise

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 8th August—Quick/Kupke/Hoklas group.

Here are some points I made in regard to the DAY PAY CHALLENGE

- It is good habit to weekly giving to God (to tithe) as a constant way of saying thanks to God, like saying grace before a meal, but every so often we need to express our gratitude in a more substantial way and that is what *Day's Pay Challenge* is all about.
- Simply the *Day's Pay Challenge* is to give how much you earn in one day. One way of calculating this is by talking your annual salary (either gross or net) and dividing it by 200. Of course if your work is sporadic or part time or casual it is a bit more complicated. But the 200 rule on gross makes it simple. So if you earn \$30,000 a year, it would be \$150; \$50,000 it would be \$250; for "the average Australian pay" of \$67,070 it would be about \$335. If you receive the single aged pension it would be about \$45; if you work in a café, for \$890 a week it would be about \$110; if you receive \$10 pocket money a week it would be \$2.
- Please use the envelopes marked *Servant September Day Pay Donation* and place it in the offering plate by 29th August in 6 week's time. If you want to do it through REG, just put a note in the envelope indicating this.
- This is your challenge. It is between you and God- an expression of thanks to God and it's a means to give a boost to our congregation.

Invitation to Friends of Asaroka Meeting

- ◆ all team members who have travelled to PNG over the last three GGLF visits,
 - ◆ all those who are interested in learning more about where we are at in our partnership with Asaroka,
 - ◆ and all those who may be interested in being part of another trip to Asaroka planned for 2011
- are invited to come together and meet over soup and bread roll lunch **next Sunday 8th August, 12 noon, in our Fellowship Centre.**



Fishing Swap Meet & Fete
Sunday 29th August,
12 noon—4.00 pm
at Golden Grove Lutheran
www.fishingswapmeet.info

Pamphlets and posters advertising this special event are available from our church foyer today. You are invited to take as many as you need and spread them through the community by giving to neighbours, friends and family. Also if you have any business connections that are willing to display them.

Thank you for your support and help with this event.



KIDS AT HEART

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

We are all on a journey to grow our personal faith, to grow faith in our children, and it is a blessing to be able to share it with others. If you have any interesting tips or information that can help others in their faith journey, maybe you would like to share it in this column? Maybe the children would like to write a few lines to demonstrate their personal faith? Furthermore, if anyone comes across any useful resources, such as great websites, please do share.

Thanks to Emi for preparing an activity for the Kids Quiet craft table this week

Visitors may note that there are some puzzles, word games and activities in the children's area for children who want some challenging activities to do in their seats.

Kids at Heart team : Pastor Leon, Jane Swansson, Leanne Solomou, Dave Shrowder, Emi Schutz, Lesley Friedrich.



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing

Port Hughes Jetty

Saturday 14th August, 11.00 am—5.30 pm

Meet at Port Hughes carpark 11.00 am

Fishing for tommies, mullet, garfish, whiting, squid, etc.
Suggested bait: gents, cockles, berley, etc

Note: "Ron's" (2 storey) shack has been booked for Saturday night for those who want to stay the night. There will be plenty of room for extra people with sleeping bags and swags if all the beds are taken. The evening meal will be at the Pt Hughes Tavern and breakfast will be bacon and eggs at the shack. Please let Zimmo know if you intend staying for meal or overnight.

For more information, call Zimmo 8289 1212
or Graeme Hoklas 0419 828 091

Crabs in church?



No. No crabs in church, but we are appealing to you to 'fill the crab net up' with items that will be used in a fundraising competition at the fishing fete. The Crab net will be up each

Sunday until the fete, (but will be tucked away during the week!)

Some suggestions: Beanie, **Folding** Outdoor Chair, Spray Jacket, Fish Smoker, Tackle Box, Fishing Rigs & Tackle, Fishing Line, Fishing Rods & Reels, Bait Box, Tuna Oil, Berley, Coffee Flask, Stubby Holders, Sunscreen, Filleting Knife.

FINAL DAY FOR CHRISTMAS DRAMA SCRIPTS—

Today is the final day for submission of any Christmas Drama scripts for review by the Worship Team in August.

Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship

'F' Dinner

Saturday 11 September at 6.30 pm

in the Fellowship Centre

Bring your Friends to share in the Fun and Fellowship of our 'F' themed evening

Wear something 'F' themed like Footballers, Fishermen or Famous people

Prizes
Auction on the Night
BYO Drinks

Tickets - \$30

Bookings or tickets through Judith at the Admin office
Everyone welcome

Any Donations that can be used as prizes or auction items would be appreciated.

Please leave at the Admin Office or contact Dorothy Quick - Ph 8263 4809.

Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship

Quilting & Stitchery Show

16th & 17th October 2010

- ◆ Start finishing all those UFO's (Unfinished Objects) N.B. Quilts/stitcheries etc for the show need to be showing for the first time (i.e. not in our last show)
- ◆ Quality craft items would be appreciated for a trading table
- ◆ Raffle tickets to support this event are now available for sale at \$2 each and your help to sell tickets is sought. Raffle ticket books are available from the Admin office. Check out the 1st Prize on display in our Church Foyer.

For more information see: Margey Knapp, Liz Shrowder, Heidi Rosenberg, Alison Ahrens & Judi Doecke



Child Safe Team member training –

Friday, August 13, 9am -3pm. Only opportunity for remaining parents & others to do the training at Golden Grove this term. Other training available, but located elsewhere. (Allyson Dutschke also doing team member training at Nth Adelaide on August 14, 12 – 6pm)

People are reminded that without this training they will not be able to assist in any way with CC's, Rev320, Bakery, or Kids at Heart children's ministry in our Fellowship in January 2011 and beyond.

Please register with Judith in the Admin Office 8282 6050.

Notice for rostered Church Cleaners

Please note: For the remainder of this year only NO vaccuuming is required of the Church Foyer area.

