

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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### 10th October 2010—20th 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**

#### Readings of the day from Jeremiah and Luke

Jeremiah urges the people in exile to work and pray for the country they live in as, "If it propers, you too will prosper." Thinking about this I realised that when the land and city prospered according to God's blessing, it would still only be those who followed Jeremiah's advice who would know the Source of their help and prosperity other than the few God chosen servants who already lived in the land. A bit like the 10 lepers in the gospel reading where only one returned to say thank you. They all received healing but only one could acknowledge the Source. God is very faithful in supporting His world and the people of earth as He wants all to be saved, but there are few that know and acknowledge Him from whom all blessings flow.

Lord, as we pray for our country and our world, may we continually praise and acknowledge your Name and your deeds that many people may return and give thanks to you.

Amen

Margey Knapp



#### Readings for today

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 2 Timothy 2:8-15 Luke 17:11-19

Readings for 17th Oct

Jeremiah 31:27-34 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 Luke 18:1-8

### **Worship Opportunities**

Today 10th Oct	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship with HC Salt Factory Worship
Friday 15th Oct	9.00-9.30 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
Sunday 17th Oct	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory Worship with HC
Friday 22nd Oct	9.00-9.30 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club

#### Family Friendly Worship

At Golden Grove, we love  $\underline{\text{everybody}}$  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 stated.)

#### 10/10/10

Welcome back from holidays those of you who have used these school holidays and this beautiful weather to get away. It is good to see you back at Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship.

A special welcome to those who are with us because of our celebration of the Lutheran Bible Translators 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this morning. A special welcome to Pastor Neville Otto our LCA Mission Director who is preaching this morning on Hebrews 13:1- 8 in particular verse 8- *Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.* 

This afternoon (at 2pm in the worship centre) Lauren Thiel has called a meeting for all those who would like to be involved in the **Christmas Eve Drama** (This year we are presenting "People of the Christmas Story", a Christmas play by Margey Knapp.) Come along if you interested (*or contact Lauren if you can't make it*).

Talking about Christmas, if you want to be involved in the **Open Christmas Dinner** (putting on lunch on Christmas day for those who would be otherwise on their own) - see Marty Seidel. (If there is not enough interest we may proceed in a different manner.)

Of course tonight is our **Salt Factory worship** preceded by our Salt Factory Dinner (at 5.45pm) Next Sunday a special event at Salt Factory: **Carnival Night** Shakespeare will be leading our worship.

Wasn't the **Global Leadership Summit** we attended over the last couple of days so inspiring? Congratulations to those who attended.

This coming week I am part of a team that is going into our neighbouring school: Wynn Vale Primary to conduct a "Christian Option Program". This program is called "Friends for ever". This program goes for the next 3 Wednesday mornings. Please pray for the program: the students, their parents and staff – that they may accept the teachings about friendship from the Bible and may come to know Jesus as their friend.

Please continue to pray for **Steve Grace Concert** here at GGLF (6<sup>th</sup> November). It is less than 4 weeks away. Please pray for this (and the whole Tour), invite your friends and please volunteer to help out on the day.

Have you noticed that our **Friday morning worship** (chapel) now starts at 9am.? This week (being the first week of term) it is a Holy Communion service.

Our Vision at Golden Grove Lutheran Fellowship is to **Care, Communicate** and **Connect so that people know Christ**. We care by helping out, we communicate by passing on what we know is happening (eg. above) we connect by being interested in what others are doing in our congregation. I pray that by you keeping these 3Cs people will come to know to Christ through you.

Pastor Leon

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#### This Week:

**Monday** (11/10/10) Vision For Ministry Team **Wednesday** (13/10/10) Worship Team

The following week:

Tuesday week (19/10/10) School Council

Wednesday week (20/10/10 Prayer team for Steve Grace Concert

#### **PNG School Equipment Donated**

We have been offered for the schools in PNG some tables and chairs from the Elizabeth South Primary School. This is a result of the recent visit from the 2 Principals and visiting groups who source these materials for overseas aid. We will be sourcing a container shortly to load with various materials including books and more computers that have been arranged separately. We need to move these materials from that school to our site on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> as they need the room cleared. I have arranged some trailers but we may need more, but we do need arms & legs to help. Should only be for about 2-3 hours I hope, with arrangements to be finalised and communicated during next week. If you can help, please let Daniel Dutschke know on 82555570 ASAP.

#### **Lutheran Bible Translators** (LBTA) 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary TODAY

Following the service there will be presentations of past, present and future.

You will hear from **Bill Eckermann**, **Margaret Mickan** and **Hanna Schulz**.

Please stay for the **birthday cake** with your coffee.

And feel free to partake in the silent auction

# 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 17th October—Kloeden/Nelson group

Come to Salt Factory on the 17th Oct and welcome back Carnival Night Shakespeare who will be sharing their gifts with us.

#### Judith taking LSL

Commencing tomorrow 4th October Judith is taking 4 weeks LSL returning to the office on Tuesday 2nd November.

During this time Tanya Wilson & Alison Ahrens have kindly accepted to prepare the weekly church bulletin. Tanya will prepare it for 10th & 24th Oct and Alison will do 17th & 31st Oct.

Please continue to send any notices to my usual email address as each of the ladies will access notices from there.

Please feel welcome to contact Tanya or Alison on their home phones if there is any particular info you may wish to make them aware of.

Thankyou for your assistance

#### What's up with Youth?

REV320 is starting this Friday for Term 4 @ 6pm for Faith Storage and the night ends @ 9:30. Please bring a small something to share for snacks.

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#### Women's retreat 2011

The women's retreat is being held on 1st April to 3rd April 2011. We are hoping to get a team together to make this a wonderful break for the ladies of our congregation and school.

Those interested in sharing ideas, organising and/or planning this retreat Are invited to meet after church 24th Oct in the fellowship front lounge for a quick half hour chat.





#### KIDS AT HEART

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

This week we pass on something for parents. Interesting reading may be found on the website of Pastor Greg Priebbenow (currently serving at Unity College in Murray Bridge). A central passion in his life and ministry is seeing the Christian faith nurtured in home and congregation and passed on from generation to generation. Pastor Priebbenow is the creator of the website <a href="www.formingfaith.com">www.formingfaith.com</a> and the author of the "Taking Faith Home" resource for homes and congregations.. He writes a "Forming faith Blog" on that website. He describes the purpose of the blog as "A Lutheran Pastor shares his humble learnings, thoughts and reflections on the joys and challenges of forming faith in children, youth and families.

Some recent web posts and articles of interest include:
-6 Myths about Teens and Christian Faith by Kenda Creasy
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- -The spirit and Culture of Youth Ministry (Lifelongfaith.com) -"The Child friendly church award"...Created in the UK. Food for thought.
- "Children in Worship...or Not." There are some interesting comments on this. You will note various pros and cons for keeping children in the service vs separating them from the rest of the congregation.

Take a look- there are many good resources on this website, interesting insights and links to other useful sites to assist us in our Christian parenting journey.

Thanks to Jane Swansson who is running this week's craft activity for the children.

God Bless your parenting, from your Kids at Heart team: Pastor Leon, Jane Swansson, Leanne Solomou, Dave Shrowder, Emi Schutz, Lesley Friedrich.

This Christmas we will be presenting "The People of the Christmas Story" written by Margey Knapp, and directed by Lauren Thiel. We are now looking for people to be involved as actors, musicians, organisers, or costume and set crew. The first rehearsal will be October today at 2.30pm (2pm for musicians) in the church. Please contact me if you are interested: (mob) 0417834549, (email) lauren.thiel234@gmail.com



# <u>Steve Grace Concert – 6 November, 7.30pm</u>

Steve Grace has already started travelling around Australia as part of the Steve Grace Heritage Tour. This will be fabulous night of entertainment

and outreach.

Our venue will be the <u>only location in Adelaide</u> where people will be able to see and enjoy this talented man of God.

This concert will appeal to all ages and is a great way to share our faith in Christ. We encourage you to reach out to friends, neighbours and acquaintances, and invite them along, especially those who are yet to accept the saving grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

FREE ADMISSION TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FROM JUDITH or JEFF to invite your friends to come along.

For more information, please contact Jeff Wegener by phone 82510750 or visit the website 'stevegrace.com'

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# Quilting & Stitchery Show 16th & 17th October 2010

- Registration has now closed but if you have overlooked the closing date and may still have items - quilts, hand embroidery (not knitted items) you wish to submit please speak to any of the planning committee ASAP.
- If you have items that you have made and given away, there
  fore unable to display, please email a photo of the item
  (without reducing the size) and a description/ explanation to
  Judi Doecke for a Power Point presentation. Please email to
  her ASAP at jacknjude@werrina.com.au
- 3. Any quality handmade craft items would be appreciated for a trading table and can be handed to Alison Ahrens any time
- 4. Baked goodies for the trading table would be welcomed on the day.
- 5. Raffle tickets to support this event are available for sale at \$2 each and your help to sell tickets is sought.
- We need all out standing raffle tickets to be handed in by the morning of the 16<sup>th</sup> October Raffle ticket books are available from Heidi Rosenberg.

# Please return all raffle book sales and money to Heidi Rosenberg

Check out the 1st Prize on display in our Church Foyer.

\*Items entered in the quilt show can be dropped off at the church Thursday evening 5-30pm - 7-30pm, or Friday morning 8-30am - 10.30am

\*Devonshire tea available after church next Sunday for \$3







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



#### **Devonshire Tea**

As part of the **Quilting & Stitchery Show on October 16 & 17**, there will be Devonshire Tea available on both days.

I am asking for

- volunteers to go on a roster for the 2 days to serve the scones and coffee and also
- donations of apricot & strawberry jam and cream.

Please contact Jenny Rawolle on 8251 3448.

#### Wanted - Help

Steve Grace is on the way & we need your help.

- If you shop can you please pin a Steve Grace flyer to the Notice Board of that shopping centre. Please see Jeff Wegener.
- We need people to help out on the day of the Steve Grace Concert Saturday 6th November. We will need helpers to set-up chairs, black out windows, move furniture, clear the stage & music rooms, vacuum church & fellowship centre, act as roadies for Steve Grace band sound check and pack-up after concert. Set-up activities from 9am 12 noon and pack-up 9.30pm finish. If you can spare an hour or two especially on Saturday morning 6th Nov please contact Michael Gower (home: 82654962, mob: 0488168255, work: 73833751, E-mail; djmag99@bigpond.net.au)

#### 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 October are: Hoklas, Dutschke & Gower. 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

(Offerings do not include electronic giving amount of approx \$10900 per month .) 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 Sun 3/10 9.30 am 56 \$207.60 6.30 pm \$ NIL

#### **Total Offering for January to August**

Variance **Actual Budgeted** \$120 585 \$130 000 - \$9 415

Overall Budget Requirements to end of Aug <u>Actual</u> **Budgeted Variance** \$140 833 \$167 553 -\$26 720

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 NT/Psalms

Reading Plan for this week

1 Thessalonians 2:9-3:13 Psalm 80:1-19

11 Oct 1 Thessalonians 4:1-5:3 Psalm 81:1-16

12 Oct 1 Thessalonians 5:4-28 Psalm 82:1-8

2 Thessalonians 1:1-12 13 Oct Psalm 83:1-18

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15 Oct 2 Thessalonians 3:1-18 Psalm 85:1-13

16 Oct 1 Timothy 1:1-20 Psalm 86:1-17

1 Timothy 2:1-15 Psalm 87:1-7

'What is time and 'eternity' and how does God view it?' This ongoing issue and further theses will be presented by Rev Dr Mark Worthing (Lecturer at Tabor College) at "Food For Thought" on Sunday afternoon the 10<sup>th</sup> of October, 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.

Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting. Topic: Pietism and its influence on the early Australian Lutheran Church. Speaker: Dr Erich Renner. At Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, Adelaide, on Monday 18 October at 7.30 pm. (The AGM will be held beforehand at 7pm.) Supper. Gold coin donation.

#### See Noticeboard for details on:

Fetes (2) - both being held 16th October **Positions Vacant Lutheran Community Sewing Group** 



### STANSBURY CAMPING WEEKEND 29th-31st OCTOBER

- Headquarters will be in the Stansbury Caravan Park.
- Plenty powered sites are available under GGAF bookings (Note: All of the cabins and villas are taken/booked).
- Please phone Stansbury Caravan Park for your powered site Ph: 08 8852 4171.
- Everyone is welcome at any time during the weekend. Many people will be arriving Friday night.
- Tables have been booked at the Stansbury Hotel (Dalrymple) 6.30pm for 7.00pm on Friday night. 10% discount on meals. Please let Zimmo know if you are having tea on the GGAF tables.
- A flyer with the weekend program and more information will be available approx 2 weeks before the event.

Enquiries to Zimmo on 8289 1212 or Graeme 0419 828 091



Support for the work and ministry

**Lutheran Community Care** is ongoing and encouraged.

LCC's request list for October is for biscuits, milk and canned meat.

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Today
Tues 10th Oct Dave Shrowder Tues 12th Oct Daniel Bartel Brody McLuckie Wed 13th Oct Paul Napier 15th Oct Nicholas Schmocker Fri 16th Oct Monika Kohlhagen Sat <del>`</del>★

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

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#### **Management Team:**

Chairperson Vice Chair Secretary Treasurer Assist. Treas Property Ministry rep

John Fielke Elnora Schmocker Carolyn Wachtel Dorothy Quick Graeme Hoklas Daniel Bartel James Leach Extra Members Dave Shrowder Allyson Dutschke \*\*\*