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31st May 2009—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 messages 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 evening service at 6.30 pm. Please feel welcome to join us.

TWO MINUTES

Acts 2:17 & 21

"In the last days God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Pentecost—God's pouring of his Holy Spirit on the people.

Peter was in Jerusalem on the day of Pentecost and he addressed the anxious crowd who were confused and amazed at what they saw and heard. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit, speaking in different tongues and understanding each other.

Peter said to them "Listen to me, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel."

God had spoken to Peter and directed him to Jerusalem for the day of Pentecost.

I believe God speaks to us all, but, at times, we are not good listeners and do not fully understand. May we all stop, look, listen and allow the Holy Spirit to lead us according to His will.

Prayer: Dear Heavenly Father, thank you for the joy of your Grace through your son Jesus, our Lord. We pray that you will continue to pour your Holy Spirit on us as we serve you and each other and take your blessings to heart to live a full life in your name. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Ken Campbell

Worship Opportunities

<p>Readings for today Acts 2:1-21 Rom. 8:22-27 John 15:26, 27; 16:4-15</p> <p>Readings for 7th June Isaiah 6: 1- 8 Rom. 8:12-17 John 3: 1-17</p>	Today 31st May	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship School Family service
	Friday 5th June	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club
	Sunday 7th June	9.30 am 6.30 pm	Contemporary worship Salt Factory worship with HC
	Friday 12th June	8.45-9.15 am	Informal worship with school community followed by Coffee Club & Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

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.

Activity sheets for young readers and writers—Families with children of all ages, please notice there are new activity sheets (e.g. word puzzles) available for various age groups. The sheets will be changed over periodically. Please help yourself - they can be found with the children's toys, pens and papers etc.

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 celebrating **Pentecost**: "the festival of the Holy Spirit". This morning are also continuing our sermon series : "**Where is God when we are struggling?**" with the provocative title "**He is the one inflicting the hurt.**" We will be looking at Godly sorrow compared with worldly sorrow from 2 Corinthians 7:10 "*Godly sorrow brings repentance that leads to salvation and leaves no regret, but worldly sorrow brings death.*" Godly sorrow is too a work of the Holy Spirit.

This evening at Salt Factory we are celebrating a School Family Service where the middle school (4/5s) will be leading us. Come along. I am sure you will gain from it.

Next Sunday the theme in the penultimate of our sermon series, the theme is: **God is in the poor**, from 2 Corinthians 8:9

This morning we are welcoming **Gail Daniell** into membership. You might have met Gail. She has been worshipping with us regularly- at both morning service and at Salt Factory for 3 years now, has done the Network course with us and gave us her testimony in the last Life in the Vine. I am sure you will welcome her into membership. She has chosen to join us because she feels very much at home with us.

We welcome **Valdis Andersons**, the Communications Coordinator for the LCA, as announced last Sunday will be speaking to us after the service.

Please pray for our new confirmation class ("**Head to Heart**"): Meghan Ahrens, Jaimi Beckett, Georgina Carter, Karl Dutschke, Courtney Fielke, Callum Garrick, Alison Heinrich, Abigail Neale, Daniel Peter, Ashleigh Pfitzner, Breanna Vullings.

Pastor Leon

This week:

Wednesday: 7am Pray TTG prayer and breakfast

Wednesday: 4.45pm Head to Heart

Friday: 8.45am Friday worship

(Unless otherwise stated all meetings start at 7.30pm)

Salt Factory Worship

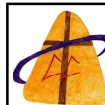
Tonight: 6.30 pm service—Come from 5.45 pm onwards for food (gold coin donation) and drinks (\$1)

Please note: Rostered for catering next Sunday 7th June — Schiller/McLuckie group

Bakery

Bakery Camp & Youth Leader retreat on Friday, June 5 at 6:00 pm until Monday, June 8 at 5:00 pm

Transport can be arranged. For more info become a friend of Anthony Power, Brian Quick or Paul Swanson on Facebook. Or call Paul on 0432 646 064



'CC'

Children of Christ

(For children in Yrs 3-6)

**Friday 5th June 2009,
6.30—8.30 pm**

Survival Night

What would you bring?

From the LCA PRESIDENT'S PAGE

27 May 2009

Prayer points:

- *That the Holy Spirit will fill the hearts of God's faithful people and kindle in them the fire of his love*
- *Give thanks for all who work to overcome discrimination and prejudice in church and in the world and pray for greater inclusivity for all during Reconciliation Week*
- *For those who have been affected by recent flooding*
- *Thanks for a good opening to the season for some farmers*
- *Thanksgiving for the Lutheran Laypeople's League, its staff and support to the Church*

PENTECOST

On Sunday our churches will be decked out in red as a visual reminder of the gift of the Holy Spirit sent by God to the disciples in Jerusalem. The Day of Pentecost is the culmination of the Easter celebration; the risen Christ, having shown himself to his disciples and having ascended, sends the promised gift of the Spirit to the expectant church. The coming of the Spirit gives the church the power and necessary gifts to carry the glad news of the resurrection from Jerusalem to the ends of the earth. The early church often observed Pentecost as a time of Baptism, commemorating the Baptism of three thousand by the Apostles, a kind of spiritual 'first-fruits' of the Christian Church. The Sundays after Pentecost are said to represent the time of the church, a time of growth in the Spirit as the risen Christ is formed in his people.

Have you been in the LIBRARY lately?



- Check out the current display of resources available on the theme "Where is God when we are struggling" – these are all available for borrowing.
- There are a variety of new books and resources added to the shelves, including Louis Giglio DVDs, that may especially be useful for Fellowship groups.
- Just a reminder that the library is always open for borrowing – remember to enter the details of any items borrowed in the folder on the desk.

KIDS AT HEART



What an enjoyable kid's program we had last week! Three cheers to Rosalie for bringing in her little chickies and entertaining us all! What a wonderful children's address and tactile "message" for the children. Thanks Rosalie! As Pastor said, "that's a hard act to follow"!

Please support the craft helpers with your prayers over the next few weeks. Thanks to Adele, Leanne (Solomou), Meg, Jacqui/Emi/Alex and Jane (Swansson) who will be organising the kid's Sunday morning craft.

A big thank you to the donors of craft goodies that we have received. We are truly grateful. The kids will love it!

Did you notice the beautiful wall hanging in the kid's area? Please check it out. Have a close look at Jesus and the children in the centre. What do you notice about the children in the background and those in the foreground? Can the kids pick out their handprints? Please pass all credit and thanks to Margey Knapp, Anna Watson, Liz Shrowder and Judi Doecke for their efforts in compiling all the blocks together. What a wonderful gift for our church. Thank you ladies.



Golden Grove Amateur Fishing PORT NOARLUNGA JETTY FISHING TRIP Sunday 21st June, 12.30-5.30 pm

We will be having tea at a local venue. Feel free to stay and join us.

There is an abundance of fish species to fish for, eg salmon, tommies, mullet, whiting, trevally, squid.

Suggested bait: cockles, gents, worms, lures, berley, red meat etc.

Note:

- There is spare fishing gear available if you don't have any
- You don't have to fish
- Toilets are nearby

Everyone Welcome

Enquiries contact Graeme Hoklas (82896803) or Zimmo (82891212)

Calling for scripts or detailed concept plans for 2009 Christmas Eve dramas

Please submit these to the Church office by Friday 31st July. Written responses are required so that the Worship Team has time to review them but there is an opportunity for authors to speak at the Worship Team meeting and present their ideas personally if desired.

Many thanks
Brian Quick

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

On **12th June**, following chapel the Coffee Club will host Australia's Biggest Morning Tea to raise money for cancer research.

All welcome!



Reserve this date

**Evening Saturday
25 July 2009**

GGLF fundraiser

"L" themed fully catered dinner with Treasures & Talent auction.

Further information to follow.

If you are interested to work with a team to develop the evening please contact Elaine Baldock and Denise Kloeden.

MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Breakfast—Saturday 6th June, 7.30-9.00am

Guest Speaker: Wally Stringer from Good Shepherd, Para Vista speaking on "Alcoholism"

Bacon & eggs plus all the other goodies. Cost \$6.00 head.

See you all on the 6th fellas. Be good to get together.

Ladies Breakfast—Will now be held on **20th June, 8.00-10.00 am** in the Fellowship Centre.

Breakfast will include bacon and eggs, cereal, toast, spreads, fruit and cream with orange juice, tea and coffee to wash it all down.

Cost \$6.00 head.

Guest speaker is Gabi Proc from Rostrum. Gabi is a retired school teacher and administrator. This lady is an exceptional speaker.

Her topic is "Communication in Relationships". It will be serious entertainment.

A crèche will be provided so that Mum can enjoy the morning.

Please book with Judith or Elaine in the office.

Enquiries to Ken Campbell: 0421 428 555 or 8265 3106



Lutheran Community Care have shopping bags similar to those at supermarkets available for **\$2 each as a fundraiser.**

These bags can be used for your own purposes or you can buy a bag and donate it back to LCC or you can fill them with groceries for their winter appeal.

LCC are currently in **very short supply** of the following food items: **Milk, Pasta Sauce, Biscuits, Canned Meat, Coffee, All canned vegetables, All types of soups, Jams, Spreads (Vegemite Peanut Butter etc.), Noodles (2 minute noodles, cup of noodles), soap, sugar, rice. The urgency of need is in descending order.**

A sample bag is displayed in the church foyer and shopping bags can be purchased from the Admin office.

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. (Chris Hahn, Jan Wegener, Pastor Len & Claire Tscharke, Catherina & Wim Belgraver, 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.

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 May are: Kloeden, Hahn, Friedrich.

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 \$10486 per month from 35 contributors.)

		Attendance	Offerings
Sun 24/5	9.30 am	104	\$854.90
	6.30 pm	50	\$273.00



The 2008/2009 Entertainment™ Book will expire on 1st June, 2009 so now is the perfect time to purchase the new 2009/2010 edition! — now available from our Admin Office. They are selling for **\$65**, a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the books will go towards supporting our mission partnership with Asaroka, PNG. To order your copy of the Entertainment Book, please see Judith or Elaine in the Admin office or phone Judith on 8282 6050 or email office@gglf.org.au

POSITIONS VACANT

URGENT—Short term Office Assistant / Book-keeper for Finke River Mission Office Alice Springs for 3 months.

The Finke River Mission Board of the Lutheran Church of Australia is urgently seeking the services of a person to act as Office Assistant / Book-keeper at the FRM Office Alice Springs from the end of June to beginning of October 2009, during the period of Long Service Leave of the FRM Administrative Officer. Refer noticeboard.

The LCA Board for Mission is seeking a suitably qualified person to serve as a **volunteer Project Manager** for 18 months to 2 years in PNG to oversee the reconstruction of Gaubin Hospital on Karkar Island. For more information, please contact Glenice Hartwich at the Board for Mission office on E: BFM@lca.org.au or Ph: (08) 8267 7334.

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.



Give away to a good home: Friendly fluffy white kitten. 8 weeks old. Phone Kathy or Brian 85 244612. (Lesley Friedrich's parents). See picture on noticeboard in foyer. Also the mother- white domestic short hair.

WHITE TABLECLOTHS MISSING

We are trying to locate the white tablecloths that are missing from the kitchen. Could anyone who has borrowed them or washed them after use, please check if they have been returned.

Please collect from your pigeon holes

- LCC May 09 UpDate
- Lutheran Media Update

Playgroup—Kytons Bakery Fund-raiser

—There's lots of yummy products to choose from. Order forms are available from the church foyer & orders need to be returned with the money to the admin office by 3rd July. Goods will be available for pick up from the Fellowship Centre on Wednesday 22nd July.



LUTHERAN MEDIA

Also refer to flyer on Noticeboard for program details.

Listen to Face to Face

31st May Head to Heart— Most people desire meaningful communication within their families. It's something God cares a lot about too. On this week's program Richard Mau will be talking with his guests about the Faith Five. It's a simple activity from FaithInk Australia. It aims to encourage healthy communication within families and to bring a real experience of God to everyday life.

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.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Mon	1 June	Rebecca Whenham
		Stephanie Whenham
Tues	2 June	Barbara Wohlstadt
Thurs	4 June	Elnora Schmocker
		Tanya Wilson
Fri	5 June	Denise Kloeden

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

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