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<u>Visitors Cards</u> You will find these cards either on the pew or on the table as you enter church. We would like you to fill in the details and place in the offering bag or leave at the end of the pew.





Swanport Rd. Murray Bridge.



Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost - August 24th 2008



At Synod—Jeanette & Graham Mann, Janelle Traeger, Sabine Jericho & James Leach

Reaching out with the love of Jesus that all may Know, Worship & Grow in Christ

WELCOME - "Communion Invitation" - Dear Friends in Christ, if you are a visitor who is a baptised believer and not a member of the Lutheran Church but believe that you will be receiving the body and blood of our Saviour, the

Lord Jesus Christ, then an open invitation is extended to you. Non-communing adults & children are encouraged to come for a blessing and are asked to keep their hands by their sides.

Please join us for a cuppa and a biscuit between services.

Please Note...

WHAT DO YOU THINK? "The younger generation come to God's kingdom looking for reality, not religious structure. They want relationships, not outdated church programmes."

<u>Family and Friends List (formerly</u> <u>Membership List)</u>

A copy will be available in the JDHall for the next few weeks. <u>Please check your details and</u> <u>change as needed</u>. Please include email and mobile phone nos if you are happy for them to be published.

If you are aware of any changes please write them on the list as well. Thanks for your help. Read all about it! <u>Hand in Hand</u> Newsletter of Aboriginal Ministries in the JDHall today. Read "Reflections by Pastor Malcolm Pech who, after serving the Aboriginal people of Ceduna for 7 years has accepted a call to Swan Reach. Find out other newsy bits about the other mission centres in SA.

FREE ORANGES Please contact Mark Stiller ph 8532 3445

FIRST COMMUNION

Next week at the 10:45 service we welcome to their first communion—Simone Lees, Shane Thomson, Matthew Penta and Jake Altmann.

A computer monitor has now been installed up at the Pipe Organ so that the organists can easily follow what is up on the Data Projector screen. This will be easier to view than looking in a mirror with a reversed image.

COMING EVENTS this week

Sun	24th Aug	6pm	Worship@Unity	
Mon	25th Aug	9:30am 7:30pm	Cards & Coffee—Ed Cen Leadership Team—Ed Cen	
Tue	26th Aug			
Wed	27th Aug	9am 7pm	Staff Devotion Confirmation— Ed Cen	
Thurs	28th Aug	9am 1:30pm 2pm <i>7:30pm</i>	Bible Study - Ed Cen Koinos F/Gp—10 Edinburgh St Monarto Women's F/Ship—Hall <i>Parish Coundl Meeting—Ed Cen</i>	
Fri	29th Aug			
Sat	30th Aug			
Sun	31st Aug	Monarto 9am	Worship	
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THE **BIBLE** IS LIKE:

The Bible gives a number of metaphors for God's Word that illustrate its importance and its power for our lives.

- Food (Hebrews 5:11-14; Deuteronomy 8:3)
- Rain and snow (Isaiah 55:10.11)
- A lamp and a light (Psalm 119:105)
- Fire and a hammer (Jeremiah 23:29)
- A sword (Ephesians 6:17)
- A mirror (James 1:23-25)
- An everlasting seed (1 Peter 1:23)

ROSTERS

MONARTO

Sunday 31st August	<u>9am</u>
Wardens	Wegener
Reader	Judy Franklin
Cuppa	Raelene & Colin Wegener

CHRIST CHURCH

<u>Sunday_31st August</u> Elders	<u>9am</u> Dawn Hampel	<u>10:45am</u> Chris Herbig
Wardens	John & Irene Kuchel	David Doecke
	Erica Stone	Gordon Kuchel
Music	Ron	Youth
Reader	Alison Grieger	Merilyn Schultz
Greeters	Rob & Alison Grieger	Piltz Family
Tea/Coffee	Brenton & Lorraine Doecke, Ivy	Roennfeldt
General Prayer		Janet Vogt
Flowers	Heather Courtney	
Data Projector	Dawn Hampel	Brenton Mann Family
PA	David Pech	John Lohmeyer
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Sunday School Children's Address Activity Leader Helpers

Pastor Tim James Leach Deb Colley, Adele Leach, Danielle & Sophie Stiller

MARK THIS DATE ON YOUR CALENDAR

Frahnees Farm



Wednesday 17th Sep at 1:30pm. Come along & check out Ivan Frahn's farm-just way too much to mention but if you enjoyed Kussies Korner & Schubeys Shack then you will love Frahnees Farm as well. As there is so much to

see this will be run on this date but we shall also run another day sometime next lyear. Follow the Mannum Rd past the Palmer turn-off and it is the 2nd from the left hand side. <u>"Franvale"</u>

Cost \$5 includes afternoon tea. Please contact Yolette 8532 2130 to confirm attendance.

~Prayer Corner~

For use by friendship groups, study groups, other groups, & individuals.

"Always be joyful and never stop praying. Whatever happens, keep thanking God because of Jesus Christ. This is what God wants you to do -1 Thess. 5:16-18

- Thank & praise God for the young people who will be taking their first communion next Sunday—Simone Lees, Matthew Penta, Shane Thomson and Jake Altmann.
- Pray for people w alk in the role they have been given and daily give obedience to God w hich is to share Jesus' love and reflect his light in all they say and do.
- Ask for God's blessing on those w ho step into the lives of others and offer whatever they can no matter how little that may be—a listening ear, a w arm hug, a place to stay.
- Heavenly Father, when our faith is weak send someone to share your love with us and when others faith is weak send us to share your love with them.
- Ask God for strength & courage to stand firm in faith—for wisdom & discernment to know when faced by things that are not of God
- Pray for those at Resthaven –Nita Jurecky, ky Przibilla, Dorrie Materne, Les Scheer, & for those in Lerw in Monica Eckermann.
- Pray for all in our midst w ho need special care and help at this time. Ask God to surround them with His loving, comforting arms and to give them help, healing and encouragement. We particularly think of Bob & Vera Appleby (home), Melva Jackson (home).

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays



- 25/8 Brenton Mann, Darcy Tregilgas, Hans Fiegert
- 27/8 Simon Liebelt, Jenny Brown, Danielle Atkins
- 30/8 Betty Schutz, Jude Modra
- 31/8 Maureen Kuchel, Betty Zadow



Talking

- 1 Share a high from this week.
- 2 Share a low from this week.
- 3 What do you dislike most about conflict—either big or small?
- 4 Can conflict be an opportunity for good?

Praying

Thank God for resolving our conflict with him through Jesus. Thank God that our lives lived together can now bring him glory honour and praise. (that's a good reputation). Bring before God, in Jesus' name the conflicts you are now dealing with.

Verse for the week

<u>Matthew 16:18</u> "And I (Jesus) tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock (Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of the living God) I will build my church, and the gates of death will not overcome it." Reading

What Do You Think!

" The Golden Result is a corollary to the Golden Rule.

which calls us to do to others as we would have them do to us. The Golden Result

says that *people will usually*

treat us as we treat them".

Monday 1 Peter 2 Tuesday 1 Cor. 4 Wednesday Ephesíans 4 Thursday 1 Cor. 6 Fríday John 17

Blessing

The Lord Jesus bless you with his wisdom and love as you seek to bring his peace into life.

Bible Readings Today	Bible Readings 31st August
saiah 51:1-6	Jeremiah 15:15-21
Romans 12:1-8	Romans 12:9-21
Matthew 16:21-28	Matthew 16:21-28

Remember when, during the good old youth days, The annual Amateur Hour nights were held.



Time to do it again.

Wanted

Christ Church Stars Can you sing? Can you dance? Maybe recite a poem.

> Whatever it may be, We want YDV!!!

Get a group together and show us your talents. Maybe you have a solo act in mind.

> Start planning now as <u>Sunday October the 19th</u> Is not that far away.

Please nominate your acts soon, To Yolette Koch or Annette Thomson

Tuesday 9th September

at the Ed Centre, 5 Marchand Street

Christ Church Connections

INVITES YOU

to a Listen and Talk Afternoon

1.30 pm you are invited to Holy Communion

2.00 pm we will have a visitor from

CONCORDIA KINDERGARTEN

To give an update on what is happening

at this Pre-School facility

We will follow this with a train trip or two to who knows where?

Please bring a plate to share and enjoy the day

COMING EVENTS 2008



WOMEN'S GUILD REMINDERS
Murray Bridge Guild Luncheon
Wednesday 10th September at
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11:30am.Members who plan to attend please
Contact Margaret Warnest 8532
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Nuncheon
Monday 15th September 12noon.
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Contact M Smith 8532 6751 if you
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