

ROSTERS

MONARTO

Sunday 25th May
Wardens
Reader
Morning Cuppa

9am
 Hein
 Rollo Hein
 Pam & Trevor Hilton

CHRIST CHURCH

Sunday 25th May
Elders
Wardens

9am
 Dawn Hampel
 Brenton & Lorraine Doecke
 Ian Pumpa

10:45am
 Mark Stiller
 Jim & Heather Courtney
 Jan Brodde

Music
Reader
Greeters
Tea/Coffee

Coralie Mattner
 Alison Grieger
 Robert & Alison Grieger
 Sabine Jericho, Joyleen Stiller,

Singers
 Dennis Pfeiffer
 Graham & Marlene Schubert
 Doreen Borchardt
 Janet Vogt

General Prayer
Flowers
Data Projector
PA

Elva Heinrich
 Jasmine Traeger
 David Pech

Schiller Family
 Roger Hampel

Sunday School
Children's Address
Activity Leader
Helpers

Lynette Schiller
 Lynette Schiller
 Annette Thomson, Holly & Amelia Schiller



TODAY Sunday 18th May meet at
 Mamma's Pizza @12:30pm \$5 pp

Sunday May 25th "Kingdom Builders" at 7pm in the "Cave"
 BYO Bible— Cost \$2 pp
 Supper supplied.

Youth programme of activities for this next term now on the Church Web site at www.cclutheranmb.org.au

~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"

- Ask God to bless the ministry through Worship@Unity, in particular, tonight when it is combined with the local Combined Pentecost Service..
- We praise God for the gift of young people and ask him to bless their lives as they grow to a closer relationship with Jesus.
- Pray against false deceptive spirits where people have been led astray—pray for people to see clearly and to repent and turn back to Christ.
- Thank God for all the blessings we receive every day.
- Pray for those at Resthaven –Nita Jurecky, Ivy Prizibilla, Dorrie Materne, Les Scheer, Melva Jantke and Irene Schubert and for those in Lerwin - Monica Eckermann.
- Ask God to be with anyone going through difficulties, facing problems, in hospital or recovering from operation or illness. May His healing hand be on them giving them new strength & health. We think particularly of Betty Schubert (M/B Hosp) & Dawn Schopp.

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

- 18/5 Jodie Wegener
- 19/5 Joyce Ahrns, Stephanie & Samantha Lubcke, Chelsea, Bayleigh & Liyana Biar
- 20/5 Marcus Konitzka, Travis Roocke, Lynette Schiller, Lynette Weyland
- 22/5 Laura Masters, Wayne Elston
- 23/5 Georgia Lenger, Kevin Schrapel
- 24/5 Nita Jurecky, Jayden Thomson
- 25/5 Mona Gerhardy, Luke & Alex Smith



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...

STAFF DEVOTION WILL NOW TAKE PLACE ON MONDAY MORNINGS FROM 9AM

SAINT DISTRICT CONVENTION

Cornerstone College, Mt Barker

Sat 16 & Sun 17 August

Theme: "Sharing the Faith"

Delegates Names required

by Sunday 1st June—

5 from Christ Church

and 1 from Monarto.

COMBINED PENTECOST SERVICE

TONIGHT at 6pm

@ Unity College.

Everyone is welcome

Please bring a plate of supper to share.

FINANCE ENQUIRIES

Please contact Ron Jericho as Dawn is not available at present.

We welcome into God's kingdom through **Baptism TODAY** Sunday at the 10:45am service **Amy Clare Martin** daughter of Rory Martin & Anne Marie Jaunay. Godparents are Anne Hopper, Raheel Zipper, Daniel Fitzgerald and Kathy Nizeli-Panebianco.

HOPE Study group

Meet Tuesday 20th at 7:30pm at John & Val Spencer's. Continue the study of the Lord's Prayer—"Give us this day our daily bread".

LUTHERAN SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE NOW DUE

Please see Dennis

Pfeiffer

ph 8531 1188

Cost \$34

New Subscriptions welcome



The next **CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION** group begins at the start of Term 3 — Those who are interested please contact Pastor Tim or Edmund. The expectation is that one parent will attend with their young person.

COMING EVENTS this week

Sun	18th May	12:30pm 6pm	Youth—meet at Mamma's Pizza Combined Pentecost Service—Unity
Mon	19th May	9am 9:30am 7:30pm 7:30pm	Staff Devotion Cards & Coffee—Ed Cen Admin Team—Ed Cen Sower's F/Gp—Courtney's
Tue	20th May	9:45am 7:30pm 7:30pm	Time Out—Ed Cen B Heinrich F/Gp— 15 Silver Birch Dr HOPE Study Gp— John & Val Spencer's
Wed	21st May	10:30am	Schubey's Shack—6 Carsten Drive
Thurs	22nd May	9am 1:30pm	Bible Study—Ed Cen Koinos F/Gp—10 Edinburgh St
Fri	23rd May	7:30pm	Barnabas F/Gp- @ Hampel's—Romans 4
Sat	24th May		
Sun	25th May	Monarto 9am	Morning Praise
		Christ Church 9am 10:45am 7pm	Communion Worship Youth—"Kingdom Builder's" - in "Cave"

NEWS FROM CENTRAL AUSTRALIA

The winter issue of our Finke River Mission newsletter "Christ in the Centre" is available. Read it with thanksgiving and use it as a reminder to pray for FRM and Aboriginal Church Leaders.

An opportunity to attend the 2010 Oberammergau Passion Play.

Jetset Murray Bridge is holding a free information evening on Tuesday 27th May at 6pm at the Murray Bridge Golf Club.

RSVP to Jetset by Wednesday 21st May if you wish to attend. Ph 8532 1766 or email: jetset1@bigpond.net.au

A package of details is available at the church office.

Cultivating Mission



Sunday 8th June 2008

*Waking the sleeping giant
putting wheels on your
"Mission Statement"*

Guest Speaker: Tim Hein

Tim Hein will be the guest speaker at both worship services and then will host sessions in the afternoon and evening. There will be a catered lunch and a sausage sizzle tea. Be encouraged to come along and discover different ways of using your gifts in the mission field. Please see the flyer at the back of the church or Jan at the church office for a copy.



Our next pleasant Wednesday outing is to
SCHUBEY'S SHACK — Graham & Marlene
Schubert invite you all on Wed 21st May to

6 Carsten Drive at 10:30am to check out their collection of old tools, toys, tins, teddies, jugs, irons etc. Graham is a master craftsman with woodwork and has a beautiful display to show you



as well as a demonstration of his work. Coffee and a sausage sizzle is our theme for this month. Cost \$5.

Please ph Yolette 8532 2130 to book & confirm catering by
TOMORROW Transport is readily available.



FIVE DISCIPLINES FOR CHRISTIANS TODAY

This is not a prescription for "how to achieve joy in your life in five easy steps". Rather it is about **how we ought to be** so the Lord can come into our lives with his grace and love and give us more joy as Christians.

First: **do not be content with a faith that doesn't grow.** "Grow in the grace & knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ".—2 Peter 3:18. Daily reflection on God's word with prayer is essential for a closer, joy-filled walk with God. Attentive worship & sharing in a group will also help.

Second: **develop a less complicated lifestyle.** That's your decision not to be deceived by the catalogue, the consumerism & the complication of modern life. It is possible, it takes self-analysis & effort. It's tacking against the wind.

Third: **take time to be still.** "Be still & know that I am God". Ps 46:10. That's what God says. It's addressed to all of God's people, not just those with spare time.

Next; (& it's getting tougher): **take time to be alone in our wordy & noisy world.** No need to be communicating endlessly on the phone or watching TV, rushing hither & thither, being busy, achieving success. Jeremiah writes "Let us examine our ways & test them, & let us return to the Lord". Lamentations 3:40.

Finally: **trust the Lord completely.** That doesn't mean hope for the best, or when you think of it. "Trust in the Lord with all your heart & lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, & he will make your paths straight." Proverbs 3:5,6. Now this doesn't seem to fit our generation at all. And that is probably why so many people feel so harassed in their busy-ness, strong-willed independence & achievement orientation.

(from an article in the "Lutheran" by Pastor David Paech former LCA/SA President.)

LCA SAFE PLACE UPDATE

Sunday 22nd June at 1:15pm (Session 1) or 3pm (Session 2) in the JDHall.

This update is for those who attended the LCA Safe Place Seminars in 2004 and 2005—every 3 years you are required to attend an update.

If you have not previously attended a Safe Place Seminar there will be an opportunity in July to do so.

Volunteers who work with vulnerable groups **need to attend** (this is a legal obligation that we as a church have to do)—i.e. Elders, Leadership & Admin Teams, those visiting on behalf of the congregation, babysitters, youth leaders, Sunday school teachers, sports coaches etc. You also need to have a **POLICE CHECK** prior to attending if you have not had one in the last 3 years.

If you have a police check which has been done in the last three years, please take it into the office and have it sighted by Jan. If not, forms are available from the office.

Please let Jan know at the church office which session you are attending on June 22nd.



The CAMP is up and running for November.

The following people still need to pay for their deposits—
Korzeba, Courtney, Spencer, Martin, Schubert, Lablack,
Miegel, Pohl, J & I Mueller, Doecke, Thomson's (5), Colley (4), K &
L Thomas (2), Piltz Family, G & J Mann Family.

Could you please pay a deposit to Yolette (leave at the office with Jan) \$25 for a caravan site or a cabin and \$10 per person for those staying in the bunkhouse.

NOW

Living

Talking

- 1 Share about those who have helped you grow in your faith.
- 2 What did you find most helpful?
- 3 What does it mean to be a witness?

Reading

- Monday Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16: 15-18
Tuesday Acts 8; Luke 24:45-49; John 20:21-23
Wednesday Acts 14
Thursday Acts 16
Friday Compare the sermons in Acts 2:14-37 & acts 17:22-23

Praying

Thank God for those who have nurtured & are growing your faith. Make a list of people you can witness to.

Blessing

Verse for the week: Matthew 28:19

“Go and Make Disciples of all Nations”

Bible Readings Today

Genesis 1:1-2,4a
2 Cor. 13:11-14
Matthew 28:16-20

Bible Readings 25th May

Isaiah 49:8-16a
1 Cor. 4:1-5
Matthew 6:24-34

KOORONG KIDS

Christian Resources suitable for babies thru to young adults. Comes out once a term.

If you are interested please collect a brochure from the bookshop or from the back of the church.

All orders must be returned to Denise Lohmeyer in the Church Bookshop on or before Sunday June 8th.

Please make sure you have your name clearly marked on the order form and have the money included with your order.



Congratulations!

To our members who won awards in the local MB Outstanding Bunyip Awards

Outstanding Apprentice Award:
Kane Roocke, employed by Mark Jaensch Builders.
Excellence in Manufacturing Finalist:
Miegel Brothers (Phil & Cheryl Miegel)
Excellence in Trades, Service & Repairs Finalist:
All Stop Mowers (Mark & Joylene Crouch)

Reminder!

You can access the **church web page** for information.. eg Registration form and details for the "Cultivating Mission" Seminar, Coming Events, Youth Events etc.

Website:

www.cclutheranmb.org.au

COOKING THROUGH CULTURES
Afghan, Italian, Sudanese, Filipino, Turkish etc.

June 24th at 11:30am at Our Wellbeing Place, Swanport Road. Cost \$5 includes [reparation of dish and tasting. To book your place ring Ann Marie on 8532 3470 by June 10th.

Note The next **COMMUNITY DAY** for new settlers and their friends is on Sunday June 1st at 11am in the Drama Centre at the High School. Bring lunch to share.

Crafty Capers
BIGGEST MORNING TEA

Wednesday 28th May
at 10am in Conc Hall.

We would love to have your company.

