

CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2011

If you are aware of an event missing on this list, please let the Office know

<u>MAY</u>	28 & 29th - LCA SA Dist Conference—Unity College 31st—Thrift Shop
<u>JUNE</u>	1st –3rd—Thrift Shop 5th—Trading Table 12th - Fellowship Lunch—Pentecost Sunday 14th to 21st— Red Cross Blood Bank 25th - Royal Gala Quiz (Friends of Unity)—JDHall
<u>JULY</u>	1st , 2nd, 3rd - School of Prayer 3rd—Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle 11th –15th—Christian Life Week—Victor Harbour
<u>AUGUST</u>	6th—Unity College Masquerade Ball 7th - Trading Table and Sausage Sizzle

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Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran
Monarto



Fifth Sunday of Easter
22nd May 2011



Reaching out with the Love of Jesus
that All may Know, Worship & Grow in Christ

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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.

Visitors Cards You will find these cards on the ends of the pews.

We would like you to fill in the details and place in the offering bag or give to an usher or the pastor as you leave the church.

SERVICE CHANGES

PLEASE NOTE due to the District Conference on Sunday May 29th we will not be having a 9am service here at Christ Church; **BUT we will be having a 10:45am service.** This will be a combined service & hymns & songs. The District Service will be at 9am at Unity College Senior Campus. (NOTE there will be no morning tea this day)

MONARTO PLEASE NOTE
It has been confirmed that the service on Sunday 26th June will be at 10:30am.

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■ **SCHOOL OF PRAYER—(change the world)**
■ Fri night 1st July and Sat night 2nd July in the JDHall. How to spend time with God every day, prayer is asking and receiving but why does God say "yes" and "no" to our prayers, **Mark these dates in your diary — further info at a later date.**
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CAMBODIA FUNDRAISER

Concert on **TODAY** at 2:30pm at Immanuel Primary School.

To support Sarah & Sam Fiebig as they go to Cambodia for mission work at the end of June. (the money they raise will actually assist the girl they sponsor). The concert includes "Jade Ambrose" among others and the afternoon will also include face painting, sausage sizzle, raffles, and baked goods. Please see flyer and more info in JDHall.

LCA SA/NT Dist Conference

Next Sat & Sun: 28th & 29th May
Venue: Unity College

An engaging, inspiring and encouraging celebration and vision of where God's love leads us to loving others.

More information on JDHall Notice Board. Or See Jan in the Church Office

MONARTO	Sunday 29th May	9am
Wardens	Hein Family	
Reader	Terry Franklin	
Morning Cuppa	Maxine & Max Paech	

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CHRIST CHURCH	Sunday 29th May
	10:45am
Elders	Mark Stiller
Wardens	Brian & Jenny Gogel, Sue Kuchel
Music	Alison Grieger
Reader	Sue Kuchel
Greeters	David & Ann Doecke
Flowers	Lores Frahn
General Prayer	
Data Projector	Piltz Family
PA	Roger Hampel
Ed Cen Clean	Yolette Koch

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's Address	Jeanette Mann
Activity Leader	Jeanette Mann
Helpers	Deb Colley, Belinda Joppich

AN INVITATION TO A FREE FILM EVENING

The Waterford Lutheran Fellowship Group will be showing a DVD called: 'THE ULTIMATE GIFT'...based on the bestselling novel of the same name from author Jim Stovall. (Prior to his death, Jason's wealthy grandfather, devised a plan for Jason to experience a crash course on life: twelve tasks, 12 "gifts," each challenging Jason in an improbable, impossible way...and changing him forever).

WHEN : Monday 13th June, at 7 pm.

WHERE: Waterford Estate Function Centre 55 Long Island Road.

ALL WELCOME and 'a cuppa' will be provided afterwards.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!! PS. If you need 'transport' call Helen on 0417 876 130

~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"

- Wise and all-knowing God, give us your gift of wisdom. When we don't know which way to go, open our eyes and hearts, so that we may see clearly the right path to take and do what pleases you.
- Pray for God's blessing on the SA District Conference next weekend—for all those who attend that it may be a time of sharing, learning, and growing.
- ♥ Pray for Sarah & Sam Fiebig as they plan their mission trip to Cambodia—that it will be a time of safe travel and great reward as they meet the 17 yr old girl they sponsor. Ask for God to bless all they do and their time together.
- ♥ Pray for those of our congregation who need special care & help at this time; the sick; the grieving; the lonely. Ask God to surround them with His loving, comforting arms and to give them help, healing and encouragement.

We think particularly of , Mel Kleemann, Evelyn Wegener (Lerwin), Robert Eckermann , John Lohmeyer, John Spencer, Bryan Lees, Keith May (M/B Hosp) and Dorrie Materne (Resthaven).

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

23/05 Kevin Schrapel
 24/05 Nita Jurecky, Jayden Thomson
 25/05 Mona Gerhardy, Alex & Luke Smith
 26//05 Dawn Schopp, David Hein, Cameron Steinert
 27/05 Nathanael Mann, Toby Walding, Brodie Charnock
 28/05 Zoe Altmann,
 29/05 Kalder Bormann



INVITATION

4 DAY SOUTH EAST TOUR WITH GLENELG PROBUS & OTHERS

Mon 10th—Thurs 13th Oct.

Taking in Robe, Mt Gambier, Millicent, Penola and Naracoorte.

Cost \$ 520 per person - Single Supplement \$125

Tour includes Luxury Coach Travel, Accommodation (twin share), Cooked breakfasts, Dinners x3, lunch on day 2 and day 3.

Full itinerary available from the Church Office.

Deposit of \$110 per person to be paid to ADELAIDE COACHLINES by Tuesday 19th July

Final Payment by Friday 2nd September

PLEASE NOTE

On Sunday 5th June we will be having our usual Trading Table BUT not the Sausage Sizzle.

Instead on June 12th (Pentecost Sunday) we encourage everyone to join us for a shared fellowship lunch. Soup will be provided AND you are asked to bring a savoury and a sweet to share. Cool drinks will be available at \$1 each. Tea and coffee will be provided.



LUTHERAN COMMUNITY CARE.

Very much appreciated the recent donation from Christ Church congregation towards the Lenten Food Parcels. (The Ash Wed offering (combined with Holy Cross and Monarto) of \$413.85). The food parcels and other support and care given by LCC reflects the way LCC works with those in the community. They deal with immediate needs and then work with family or individual to encourage their strengths and ensure they are linked into community supports and appropriate services.

Christian Life Week

Monday 11th - Friday 15th July It's a week of fantastic, full-on fun!

Its time again for CLW! Christian Life Week is a week long camp run by the Lutheran Church for students in years 8 to 12 (or equivalent age).

This year camp is running in July, from Monday 11th until Friday 15th and is being held at Adare campsite in Victor Harbor. This is a different time of the previous two years due to clashes between university and school holidays.

Christian Life Week is an awesome camp that allows young people to explore and grow in their faith, as well as make some new friends, and reconnect with old ones and enjoy a wide range of fun activities in a safe, Christian environment.

Camp Registrations close June 27th so you will need to get your forms in now! Forms have been posted out to people who attended last year, or forms are available from the church office or you can contact Cheryl Miegel on 0407185995.

The congregation has agreed to give some financial support to young people who wish to attend. Still accepting registrations. Please contact Cheryl Miegel for further information.

Congratulations & God's Blessings

To John Spencer who celebrates his 70th Birthday today 29th May. We hope you have a great day and that you enjoyed the festivities yesterday John.



Thanks to all our volunteers for all the great work that you all do for and within the church.

This Week

Sun 22nd May 9am—Hymns 777, Song 218, Song 276, 822
Readings— Acts 7:55-60; 1 Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14

Mon 23rd May 9:30am Cards, Coffee & Chat— Ed Cen
 9:30am Organists meet— Ed Cen
 7:30pm **Leadership Team— meet Ed Cen**

Tue 24th May 7:30pm B Heinrich F/ Gp— 104 Christian Rd

Wed 25th May 7pm Confirmation

Thurs 26th May 9.30 am Bible Study Group—Ed Cen
 10am **Bulletin Notice Deadline**
 11:30am Staff Devotion

Fri 27th May

Sat 28th May SA District Conference—Unity College

Sun 29th May SA District Conference—Unity College
MONARTO 9am—Morning Praise
CHRIST CHURCH 9am NO SERVICE
CHRIST CHURCH 10:45am Worship



ROYAL GALA QUIZ

(Trivia Night organised by Friends of Unity)

Saturday 25th June at the JDHall
 @ 7pm for 7:30 start.

THEME:: ROYALTY (dress theme optional)

TICKETS: \$10 Adults \$% children

BYO supper and drinks

BOOK YOUR TABLE TODAY

Contact Barb Afford 8535 8214

WOMEN'S GUILD

Karoonda Guild Luncheon Invitation

Tuesday 31st May at 12noon @ Karoonda Lutheran Hall. Cost \$10.

Speaker: Marina Fielke

Tailem Bend Guild Luncheon

Wed June 8th @11:30am .

Cost \$10

Speaker: Ronald McDonald House

Murray Bridge Uniting Guild Fellowship Social Afternoon

Tuesday June 14th @ 1:30pm.

Collection for Flying Doctor,

Entertainment: "The Celebration Concert Party

For information contact Carlene 8532 1512



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with a
mission

we've
changed our
appearance
but our values
and service
are still the
same

2011 marks 90 years of the LLL and we praise God for His faithfulness to us all these years. We take this opportunity to reaffirm our commitment to serving the Church, holding uncompromisingly to our original goals and ideals.

As a part of this celebration we are introducing a new corporate look that is contemporary, with a timeless feel.

We are excited at the possibilities this new initiative will bring and look forward to your support as we continue our partnership in serving God. For more information contact us on 1800 556 457, or visit our website.

www.lll.org.au



A refugee family has recently moved into a rental property without curtains. If you have any spare curtains and would like to donate them please contact Thunuja at LCC 8531 3644



PRELIMINARY NOTICE HOLY CROSS FUNDRAISER CHRISTMAS IN JULY DINNER

CONCORDIA HALL
SUNDAY 3 JULY 2011 @ 12.30pm
 3 COURSE MEAL

\$20 per person, children welcome

ENTERTAINMENT BY BERYL POWELL, THE GOLDEN TENORS & SUPPORTING ARTISTS

Tickets on sale on 22nd May **NO** tickets will be sold before this date

Enquiries & ticket sales:

Pat & Gordon Jenke 85310845: Roy & Velma Zerk: 85325611





Sharing

Share your highs and lows for the week.
Share some sayings you remember from
your parents or other significant people?

Reading:

1 Peter 2:1-10

Read through using three symbols:

? = question.

☼ = sun for when the light comes on.

→ = arrow where Jesus is hitting the mark
in your heart calling you to action.

Talking it Over

What would say is the difference between
building with living stones and dead
stones?

The image of a building infers what about
the stones?

Who is this 'holy priesthood'? What are the
spiritual sacrifices? Discuss.

Jesus is the cornerstone; how does he shape
your life at the present?

1: Your world view

2: Financially

3: Values and Morals

4:

What do you think is significant about
Jesus being a 'Living Stone'?

How does this imagery compare with the
Old Testament temple? How does the
church differ?

What does a priest do? What are you called
to do?

Praying

Invite Jesus to give you a clear picture of
his living temple and your role in it. Thank
Jesus for making you one of his priests, and
bring before him those you know who are in
need in any way. Pray for those suffering
for their faith in Jesus.

Pray for each other by name.

Verse for the Week

"But you are a chosen people, a royal
priesthood, a holy nation, God's special
possession, that you may declare the
praises of him who called you out of
darkness into his wonderful light."

1 Peter 2:9

Character Conversation Questions

How have you been a role-model for Jesus?

Have you sought a close intimate
relationship with Jesus?

How has Jesus shape your finances?

How has Jesus shaped your values?

Who have you prayed for this week?

How have you loved those in Jesus
community this week?

Where did you encounter Jesus this week?

Did you finish your reading and hear from
God? What are you going to do?

Have you been honest with yourself?

Readings

Sunday 22 May

Acts 7:55-60

1 Peter 2:2-10

John 14:1-14

Monday Rom. 7

Tuesday Rom. 8

Wednesday Rom. 9

Thursday Rom. 10

Friday Rom. 11

Saturday Rom. 12

Sunday 29 May

Acts 17:22-31

1 Peter 3:13-22

John 14:15-21