

CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2012

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

- APRIL** 15th April—Prayer over Murray Bridge—Church Lawn 7pm
21st -LMSECLW Teaching Session #3 –Bordertown
22nd April—Prayer over Murray Bridge—Jackson's Lookout
29th April—Prayer over Murray Bridge—Sturt Reserve
- MAY** 6th May— Sausage Sizzle and Trading Table
6th May- Prayer over Murray Bridge—Mann's—White Hill
29th May– Launch E100—Pentecost
- JUNE** 3rd June—Sausage Sizzle and Trading Table

KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY

Please consider supporting this ministry with prayer (including an 80 hour vigil from 17th —20th April.) writing encouraging letters which will be distributed to the prisoners, making biscuits and slices and chocolates (a visible expression of love) financial support. Opportunity to attend closing ceremony –Friday 20th April.

More info on the JDHall notice board.

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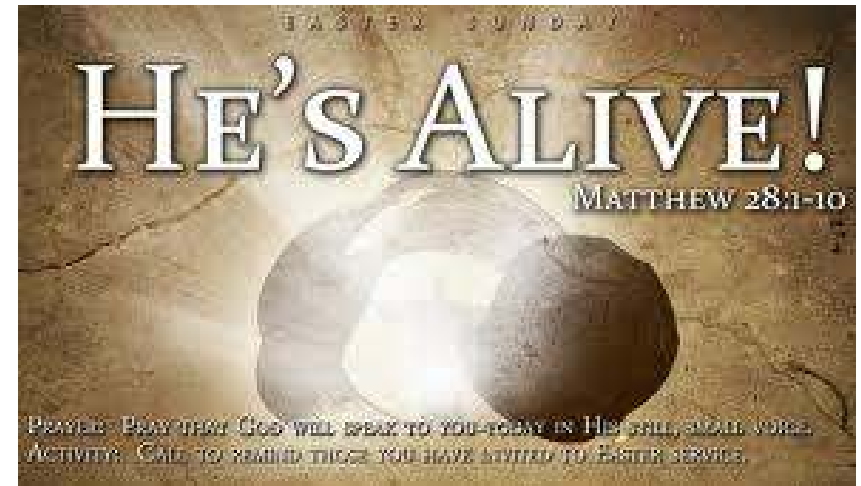


Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran
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Easter Sunday
8th April 2012



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.

Movie

Sunday April 8th

"BEST EXOTIC MARYGOLD"

**Movie at 4pm at CAMEO
(meet 3:45 in foyer)**

Pay for movie at the Cameo

**The pizza/supper/cards/
games night in the JDHall
has been cancelled because
of lack of numbers.**

MAY/JUNE ROSTERS

Please inform Jan at the office of any particular requests before April 15th. The rosters will be available on April 22nd.

TRADING TABLE PROCEEDS

Thanks to all who provided or purchased goods—we realised \$170.10.

WOMEN'S GUILD

Wed 11th April at 1:15pm in Conc Hall.

Theme: "Easter Flower"

Dev: J Kluge;

Hosts: M Gerhardy, E Wegener

Gift Table: J Ahrens

Offering for Convention.

OPEN HOUSE INVITATION

to celebrate Joan Bahr's 80th birthday on Sunday 22nd April from 2-4pm at the Convention Centre, Waterford Estate, 55 Long Island Rd.

NO presents please but a plate of afternoon tea appreciated.

SINGLES AND SINGLES AGAIN

Sunday April 15th meet at the Ed Cen at 9:30am. Church at St Michael's Hahndorf at 10:30am. Lunch at the Old Mill at 12:30pm.

MONARTO

Sunday 15th April 10:30am
Wardens Tamara Wohlfeil
Reader Terry Franklin

Rosters

CHRIST CHURCH 15th April

Sunday 9am 10:45am
Elders Jim & Heather Courtney David Doecke
Wardens John & Irene Kuchel David & Joy Lienert
Yolette Koch
Reader Ramona Slow Cheryl Miegel
Greeters Janelle Traeger Mark & Yvonne Stiller
Doreen Borchardt & Family
Music Joyce Stiller Josh Rance
Flowers Merle Herrmann
Prayer Graham Schubert
Tea/Coffee Irene Mann, Helen Schubert, Val Spencer
PA David Pech Marcus
Data Projector Dawn Hampel Miegel Family
Ed Cen Clean Heather Courtney

SUNDAY SCHOOL IN RECESS UNITL 29TH APRIL



Come along and join me at
Sturt Reserve Playground

On

Wednesday 18th April, 2012
from 10 am .

Bring some food to share.
Mrs. Heather -(0438 049 747)



~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. 5:16-1.

- *Praise and thank Jesus for the victory he has won for us.*
- *Ask for God to bless family time over the Easter period—that relationships may be happy and harmonious.*
- *Pray for the countries of Tanzania, Rwanda, Burundi, Congo Rep, Gabon and Sao Tome & Principe—pray in the power and authority of Jesus, pray that Satan will be bound and that people will be released to believe. Pray for the Christians working in those places, that many people will believe and receive Christ.*
- *Pray for Kindy families as they celebrate the true meaning of Easter and that the children will be able to share the Easter good news. Pray for Jordan, Jayden, Chase, Ella, Kiahna and Hayley.*
- *Heavenly Father, we pray for those in Resthaven—Nita Jurecky, Dorrie Materne, Rita Bretag, Keith & Joan Neumann, Jenny Mueller & Don Coulter and also for Monica Eckermann, Bob Appleby, Melva Jackson and Maureen Kuchel in Lerwin and also for Vera Appleby (Ross Robertson Centre, Victor Harbor).*
- *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 the Lil Fiegert, Judy Franklin, Bryan Lees, John Lohmeyer, John Mattner, Edgar Gerhardy, Les Jericho, Gordon Schultz, Wes Herrmann, Ivy Roennfeldt, John Spencer, Alex Warnest & Bob Eckermann (QEH).*

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

- 9/4 Brianna Thomson
10/4 Ev Kuchel, Sheridan Piltz, Ethan Richards
11/4 Gordon Kuchel
12/4 Chris Herbig, Gerry Korzeba, Kane Roocke, Holly Schiller
14/4 Graham Schubert

PRAYER TIME

7am Wednesdays

Church building

All Welcome

A great way to start the day.



Time out on Tuesday

Time for reflection, Time for worship, Time for prayer
Time with the Lord, Time with others
7:30pm – 9:30pm Tuesday
church building will be open. Come, stay for a time and be blessed.

A Time to Pray

At our AGM we agreed to take on a Five Point Challenge. 1: Pray for the World, 2: Read the Entire Bible in a year. 3: Invest in Mission. 4: To Go Personally. 5: Be part of a Multiplying Community. How can we live out this challenge as a community and individually?

TIME FOR A FAST

A fast is a traditional form of prayer. A way of seeking God's will, of making time to be open to his leading, spending time in his presence.

For this fast we will seek not to eat during day light hours for 40days from: Tuesday 10 April—Friday 18 May.

Let's join together in prayer at lunch time. Let's stop and talk with Jesus about each of these challenges and how we might live them out. Even if it is only to read the points and ask Jesus to give you an idea; taking five minutes.

For those who wish the church will be open from 12.30-1.30pm Monday to Friday. Please come and take some time to pray. Each Tuesday evening, and Wednesday morning the church is regularly open as well.

We will also be looking at making time to pray for Murray Bridge, gathering as a group on four Sunday evenings, from 7pm: 1-on the church lawn 15 April, 2-at Jackson's lookout 22 April, 3-Sturt reserve 29 April, 4-at the Mann's 6 May.

Our fast finishes as we remember Jesus' Ascension. The church, Jesus' community of faith, needs to be listening to their Lord, to be a true reflection of his as his disciples.

This fast is also in preparation for taking on the 'E100' study. Looking at the essential 100 passages of the bible. The challenge being to meet weekly, inviting people into your multiplying community as you focus on Jesus, wrestling with him, growing with him, developing at his disciple. What an exciting opportunity.

E100

Pray about who to invite? Should I start a new group as well as support the one I'm in now? How can I use this opportunity to birth a new multiplying community of Jesus-caring, sharing, praying, living, loving each other?

This Week

Hymns Apr 8th - AT 253, 95, AT15
 Readings Apr 8th - Isaiah 25:6-9; 1 Cor 15:1-11; John 20:1-18

Sun 8th Apr 3:45pm Movie—meet at Cameo Cinema

Mon 9th Apr **Public Holiday—Office Closed**

Tue 10th Apr 7:30pm Time Out on Tuesday — Church

Wed 11th Apr 7am *Prayer time in the Church*
 1:15pm *Women's Guild—Conc Hall*

Thurs 12th Apr 9:30am NO Bible Study—Ed Cen
 10 am **Bulletin Notice Deadline**

Fri 13th Apr

Sat 14th Apr

Sun 15th Apr
MONARTO 10:30 Worship Today HC
CHRIST 9.00 am Worship Today HC
CHURCH 9:30am **SINGLES—Ed Cen**
 10:45am Worship

Holy Cross Lutheran Church - 2012 Coach Trip

Ballarat - 5 days / 4 nights
 Mon, 5th to Fri, 9th Nov 2012
 Basing ourselves at Ballarat.
 Day tour to The Great Ocean
 Road.
 Book early – Limited 47 seats
 For more information contact:
 Terry Little - 8532 4029

WRITE A NEW FAITH SONG FOR SYNOD

Have it playing in Lutheran congs
 (and you could win \$500)
 See Notice Board in JDHall
 for more info.

Entries must be in no later than
 Friday 1st June

CALLING ALL HOME GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS!!

We encourage you to join in an Outreach opportunity to the Murray Bridge community by being involved in the **CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL** again in November.



We are looking for your support and participation with trees—with a Christian message—so get your ideas together and start working towards the event. Coralie Mattner has some ideas for Christ-centered trees so if you cannot think of something contact her. **Please let us know by the 30th May what you might like to do.**

We would also like to have gifts, decorations etc available for sale so we will be holding a **DO IT DAY—to start preparing for the gift table on Wednesday 18th April at 1:30pm.**

For any who one who would like to help please bring along anything associated with sewing (scissors, red, green or white thread, or Christmas material etc.)

If you would like to contribute with Christmas material, or financially so we can purchase beads, glue, etc this would be very much appreciated.

Coralie, Yvonne, Jeanette, Jan, Julie and Heather.

HELP

Does anyone have a pack of cards for the game “500” that they don’t use. Could you please leave at the Ed Cen.

Christ Church Solar Power News.

On Monday the 23rd of March, at 4 pm, we were officially installed as a Solar Energy producer. The 5.0 Kilowatt (Kw) unit on the JD Hall roof, produced 2.8 straight away. I checked the Inverter, after one week of production and it had registered as producing 173Kw of electricity. So far the average is nearly 25Kw per day. We use approx. 53 Kw per day.

Make us
 Obedient and
 Ready for a
 New day with Him
 Inspire others
 Never forget
 God loves you!