

CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2012

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

MAY

17th May—Police Band Concert— Town Hall—10:30am
18th —Tailern Bend Dinner – 6:30pm
27th – Launch E100—Pentecost
27th - Unity College Open Day 2pm
29th—Thrift Shop— JDHall

JUNE

1st —Unity College Cabaret Night—Town Hall—7pm
2nd—School Chaplaincy Trivia Night—6:30pm - JDHall
3rd —Sausage Sizzle and Trading Table

NATIONAL FAMILIES WEEK

Wed 16th May at 4-6pm at
Tinyeri Children's Centre, 65
Jarvis ST.
Contact Teresa or Megan 8532
6303 for further info
See notice board in the JDHall

RAISING HEALTHY TEENAGERS

Free Course for parents– 4 sessions
at the Trade Training Centre, Murray Bridge
High School.
Monday May 21st & May 28th from 9-11am
or 7-9pm
Monday June 4th & June 12th from 9-11am
or 7-9pm.
Morning Tea & Supper provided.
Enquiries & registration Vicki ph 8532 0700
See notice board JDHall

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A SAFE PLACE FOR ALL - Toll Free Number 1800 644 628



Christ Church Lutheran
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

Zion Lutheran
427 Schenscher Rd, Monarto



Sixth Sunday of Easter
13th May 2012



Happy 
Mother's
Day

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

OFFICE HOURS

9am –12 noon: Monday - Friday

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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.

CATERING FUNCTION 20th MAY



Could the ladies who are making the slice/cakes please leave at the office/ or Yolette's if **possible** by Friday May 18th. Thanks for your help



Please consider your response to the flyer in last week's bulletin asking for your prayerful consideration of assistance with this new ministry



Cost: Reading Planner:	\$4
Companion Book	\$15
Discussion Guide	\$9

E100 (100 Essential Bible Readings)

This challenge will be launched at Pentecost—May 27th .

We would like to involve everyone— you can take part as a group or as an individual - meeting the challenge we undertook at the AGM.

We need to be looking at ordering resources now.

Please give your names to Jan at the church office or fill in the forms in the JDHall or the church.

MONARTO

Sunday	20th May	10:30am
Wardens	Barolo Family	
Reader	Barolo Family	
Tea/Coffee		

Rosters

CHRIST CHURCH 20th May

Sunday	9am	10:45am
Elders	Warren Doecke	Janet Emmins
Wardens	Merv & Dawn Schopp	David Doecke Gordon Kuchel Graham Schubert Ian & Deb Colley & girls Josh Rance
Reader	Merle Herrmann	Janet Emmins
Greeters	Joan Bahr, Barbara Noble	Roger Hampel Piltz Family
Music	Joyce Stiller	
Flowers	Lores Frahn	
Prayer		
Tea/Coffee	Ross & Merle Herrmann	
PA	David Pech	
Data Projector	Jasamine Traeger	
Ed Cen Clean	Annette Korzeba	

SUNDAY SCHOOL

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

Disability 101 - Foundations for Enabling the Church

You are invited to the first opportunity to experience a brand new workshop. Disability is part of every community, and God calls his church to welcome and include all. As churches respond to this call, they find the outcome of richer community life benefits everyone.

This workshop practically assists churches to grow as places of acceptance, reflecting God's inclusive love.

Thursday 24 May 2012, 9.00am-1.00pm

LCA District Office: 137 Archer St, North Adelaide, Seminar room one.

For more details and register: Phone Lutheran Disability Services on 8212 7766 or fax 8212 7744 or email admin@ldssa.org.au

\$10 fee payable at the workshop (includes materials and morning tea).

Parking on Archer St or in North Adelaide Village car park

~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.

- *Pray for God's continued blessings for all mother's today as they spend time with their families on this their special day.*
- Pray for the countries of Finland, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Belarus, Ukraine, Moldova & Georgia—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.
- *Ask God to give us patience, wisdom and discernment when it comes to caring for those who don't know Him.*
- Heavenly Father, we pray for those in Resthaven—Nita Jurecky, Dorrie Materne, Rita Bretag, Keith & Joan Neumann, Jenny Mueller & Don Coulter, also for Monica Eckermann, Bob Appleby, and Maureen Kuchel in Lerwin and also for Vera Appleby (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 Lil Fiegert, Judy Franklin, Bryan Lees, John Lohmeyer, John Mattner, Edgar Gerhardy, Les Jericho, Gordon Schultz, Wes Herrmann, Ivy Roennfeldt, John Spencer, Alex Warnest, Gwen Traeger & Bob Eckermann.*

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

14/5 Paul & Kym Kuchel, Jake Altmann
15/5 Leanne Konitzka,
18/5 Amy Martin, Dwayne Jackson,
19/5 Joyce Ahrns, Samantha & Stephanie Lubcke
20/5 Marcus Konitzka, Travis Roocke, Lynette Schiller
13/5 Geoff Pfeiffer

POLICE BAND CONCERT
Thursday 17th May at the Town
Hall. Cost \$15 Come at
10:30am for morning tea. Tour
of Gallery after the concert.

MURRAY BRIDGE FUN RUN

Sunday 3rd June at 9am
at Sturt Reserve.
A distance to suit all
—walk/run.
For more info visit
www.murraybridgefunrun.org
see notice board in JDHall

MUSIC CABARET 2012

(presented by Unity College)
Fri 1st June at 7pm. at the Town Hall.
Tickets \$15 Adult \$8 child—
contact Unity College 8532 0100
See notice board in the JDHall

UNITY COLLEGE OPEN DAY

Sunday 27th May
from 2-4pm.
see the notice
board in the JDHall

**60 YEARS CELEBRATION
COONALPYN LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Sunday 27th May. Service at
11am led by Pastor Tom Reuther
followed by pooled lunch.
Please bring a savoury and
sweet to share.

LMSE CLW 360:

Teaching Session #4
Sunday June 17 **Please note
change of day to Sunday**
Lameroo Lutheran
Church **Please note change of
venue**
11am Church, 12.30pm Lunch,
1.30-4.30pm Teaching Session
"The Spiritual Realm"
Speaker: Ed Helmbold (Year in
the Son Co-ordinator at Tabor Bi-
ble College, Adelaide; and all
round amazing guy.)
Session is \$5
SVP to lmseclw@gmail.com
Queries: Amy Hunt - 0457 993 880

GROUNDS ROSTER

We are urgently seeking
a person or persons to
do the grounds during
May, August & Decem-
ber. Please prayerfully
consider if you can as-
sist. Contact Jan at the
office. ph 8532 6553

STAMPS FOR MISSION

Keep on bringing your old
stamps along for cleaning.

LMSE CLW 360:

Catch up and Sharing Service
Sunday August 19,
Murray Bridge
Service will be at
approximately 10.45am,
followed by lunch
More details to come!

Thanks I would like to say
thank you for cards, gifts,
flowers and expressions of
good wishes for my 80th
birthday and also to those who
attended my party. It was
much appreciated. God bless.
Joan Bahr.

This Week

Hymns May 13th - 147, 154, 148, 179
Readings May 13th— Acts 10:44-48; 1 John 5:1-6; John 15:9-17

Mon	14th May	9:30am 12:30pm 6.00pm 7:30pm 7:30am	Cards, Chat & Coffee—Ed Cen Prayer & Fasting— Church Building <i>Barnabas F/Gp- @ Schubert's</i> Elder's meet— Ed Cen <i>Property Committee meets—Ed Cen</i>
Tue	15th May	12:30pm 7:30pm	Prayer & Fasting— Church Building Time Out on Tuesday — Church
Wed	16th May	7am 12:30pm	Prayer in church Prayer & Fasting— Church Building
Thurs	17th May	9:30am 10 am 10.00am 12:30pm 2pm 7:30pm	Bible Study—Ed Cen Bulletin Notice Deadline Police Band Concert—Town Hall Prayer & Fasting— Church Building <i>Koinos F/Gp—21 Francis St</i> Ladies Fellowship Open Night— Ed Cen
Fri	18th May	12:30pm 6:30pm	Prayer & Fasting— Church Building Tailem Bend Dinner—Luth Church
Sat	19th May		
Sun	20th May	MONARTO 10:30am CHRIST 9am CHURCH 10:45am	Communion Communion Worship

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.



PRAYER TIME

7am Wednesdays

Church building

All Welcome

A great way to start the day.

LADIES FELLOWSHIP OPEN NIGHT

Date: Thurs 17th May

Time: 7:30pm

Venue: Ed Cen

Guest Speaker: Ophie Renner
SA Citizen of the Year

Open invitation to all

Devotion: Joyce Stiller

All ladies please bring supper

SCHOOLS MINISTRY TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday 2nd June at 6:30pm for 7pm start in the JDHall.

Come as an individual or a team of 8-10.

BYO food & drinks.

Cost \$6 per person – primary students free.

For bookings contact Joyleen Kuchel
ph 8532 5353 email jakuchel@activ8.net.au



We are also seeking donations of prizes from individuals or businesses for the Trivia Night. Donations can be given to your congregational representative or phone Joyleen Kuchel 8532 5353 (evenings) to arrange collection.

The money raised on the night will be used to fund extra hours for our Christian Pastoral Support Workers in the High School, North Schools and Fraser Park. The current Government Funding pays for 15 hours per week in the High School and North School. We are funding an extra 3 hours per week in the High School plus the 3 hours in Fraser Park. Thank you for your assistance in this matter

FROM THE KINDY CAN YOU HELP?

Yesterday it rained and a Kindy Mum had to come out with her 4 week old baby in the pram to pick up her 4 year old from morning Kindy. (She does not have a car).

Does anyone have a spare modern Road Safety Council approved 4 year old child car safety/booster seat that they no longer need?"

The car seat would stay at the Kindy and be used when the need arises."

If you can assist please let Heather Courtney know—she can collect or just drop it at the Ed Centre or Kindy.

Please pray for Alice, Talissa and her Mum Fiona, Bailey, Briella and Hunter.

Another way you can assist the Kindy and also church families or the community is by providing a casserole to be placed in the Kindy or church freezer and to be used as the need arises. Some suggestions are lasagna, spaghetti bolognese, tuna mornay, meatballs, rice/chicken stir fry, quiche, soup, pasta etc. You can drop these off at the church office.

Living i

Sharing

Share your highs and lows for the week.

Reading:

1 John 5

Read through using three symbols: Discuss
? = 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

As a refresher what did John say God's
commands were in chapter 3:23? What is
God looking for?

It has been said that the 10 Commandments
are a reflection of God's character. What
does each of the commandments tell you
about God?

How would you describe having faith:
knowing facts, or knowing a person?
What's the difference?

Discuss; "And this is the testimony: God
has given us eternal life, and this life is in
his Son." What do you think of when you
hear the phrase; eternal life. What would be
high on Jesus' agenda?

What does verse 14 say about prayer?

How do we have victory over the world?
How do we daily live this victory?

How do we keep ourselves from idols?
What idols tempt you? What do you do to
keep yourself focused on Jesus?

Praying

Thank Jesus for his love. Ask that you
grow in loving other people, especially
your brothers and sisters in Christ. Pray
specifically for each other. Invite Jesus to
use you to spread his love.

Verse for the Week

"This is how we know that we love the
children of God; by loving God and
carrying out his commands." 1 Jn 5:2

Character Conversation Questions

Love each other—how?

What am I asking Jesus for?

Have I loved my spouse, parents, family,
friends?

What have I sacrificed this week to love
another person?

What's driving my morality?

How am I living the victory I have in
Jesus?

Have I told the truth?

Has the green monster of envy reared it's
head this week?

Am I seeking Jesus' face, to live his shape?

Where did I encounter Jesus this week?

Did I finish my reading and hear from
God? What am I going to do?

Have I been honest with myself?

Readings

Sunday 13 May

Acts 10:44-48

1 John 5:1-6

John 15:9-17

Monday 2 Sam. 13, 14

Tuesday 2 Sam 15, 16

Wednesday 2 Sam. 17

Thursday 2 Sam. 18

Friday 2 Sam. 19

Saturday 2 Sam. 21, 23

Sunday 22 May

Acts 1:15, 17, 21-26

1 John 5:9-13

John 17:6-19