

## CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2012

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

- SEP** 24-28th—Christian Life Week—at Keith  
29th - Football Grand Final—JDHall
- OCT** 21st—E100 Celebration  
24th—Refresh Your Marriage—JDHall  
27th—Garage Sale in JDHall  
28th—Reformation –Unity College – BYO Picnic
- NOV** 15th-18th -Calamity Jane (presented by In Christ's Company)  
16th -18th –Christmas Tree Festival– M/B Town Hall

### Barossa Police Band Concert

Featuring the Band of the South Australia Police plus performances from young local talent.  
**When: Sunday, 14 October 2012**  
**Time:** 2.00pm  
**Where:** Barossa Arts and Convention Centre at Faith Lutheran School, Magnolia Road, Tanunda  
**To book,** phone 08 8561 4299.  
Afternoon tea will be provided.

### LITTLE SHOP OF HORROR'S

Presented by the Murray Bridge Player's & Singers.

**Friday 5th Oct—Sat 20th Oct** at the Murray Bridge Town Hall

Tickets: Adults \$20 + handling fee

Conc & students \$15 + handling fee

*Tickets on sale from August 27th and available at Local Govt Centre ph 8539 1100 (during business hours) or purchase online [www.murraybridge.sa.gov.au](http://www.murraybridge.sa.gov.au)*

see JDHall notice board

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



*Christ Church Lutheran*  
31 Swanport Rd Murray Bridge

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**Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**9th September 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.



Please be part of this ministry. The 'Short Course' will be offered 16-19 October at Mobilong. Here are four important and impactful ways in which you can show Jesus love to these men, as you live out being a disciple of Jesus.

### **Prayer:**

Be part of the 80hr prayer vigil. Register on-line for 1/2hr [www.3dayol.org/Vigil](http://www.3dayol.org/Vigil)

If you don't have internet ask Pastor Tim or Jan to register you.

### **Letters:**

Write a short note of encouragement for each of our guests.

### **Biscuits and Slices and Chocolates**

Are you able to make Biscuits/Slices or donate Chocolates. God knows the quickest way to a man's heart is through his stomach!!!

### **Billeting**

For the first time the KAIROS team are asking to be billeted to help with the cost. The team is out all day and only needs a bed and a smile. All meals are catered for.

I'm excited by the changed lives that happens as these men are encountered by Jesus' love, grace and forgiveness as 'His Body' gives him physical expression.

*For more details see JDHall Notice Board*

## MONARTO

**Sunday** 16th Sep 10:30am  
**Wardens** Colin & Raelene Wegener  
**Reader** Rollo Hein  
**Tea/Coffee**

# Rosters

## CHRIST CHURCH

16th Sep

	9am	10:45am
<b>Elders</b>	Jonathon & Trish Rohrlach	Gerry Korzeba
<b>Wardens</b>	Brenton & Lorraine Doecke Ian Pumpa	Peter & Valerie Jaensch
<b>Reader</b>	Merle Herrmann	David Doecke
<b>Greeters</b>	J Traeger, D Borchardt	David & Ann Doecke
<b>Music</b>	Joyce Stiller	
<b>Flowers</b>	Lyn Kuchel	
<b>Prayer</b>		Delton Schiller
<b>Tea/Coffee</b>	Margaret Warnest, Margaret Jenke	
<b>PA</b>	David Pech	Roger Hampel
<b>Data Projector</b>	Bruno Lablack	Brenton Mann Family
<b>Ed Cen Clean</b>	B & H Schubert	

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

<b>Children's Address</b>	Gerry Korzeba
<b>Activity Leader</b>	Sarah Puust
<b>Helpers</b>	Sophie, Dannielle & Belinda Stiller

## CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK

24th-28th Sep 2pm Mon-2pm  
Friday @ Pendleton Farm,  
Keith.  
A camp for high school aged  
young people, a crazy week of  
fun & fellowship focused on  
Jesus.

Theme—"Let Love Live"

Registration forms and further

## LADIES FELLOWSHIP

Thursday September  
20th at 7:30pm in Ed Cen.  
"Touring Alaska  
with Sabine"  
*Please bring a small plate  
of supper to share.*

**Men and ladies welcome.**

## ~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.*

- Please pray for the 28 members of In Christ's Company and their families travelling to Mildura this coming week for a singing competition—that their time there may be blessed and that they will be a blessing to others in all they do.
- Give thanks to God for writers, composers and artists who enrich our lives. Ask God to continue to bless their lives as they give glory to God.
- Ask for God's help when you pray, to concentrate your thoughts on Him, seeking only His light, knowing that He will never leave you and that with Him there is peace.
- Pray for Heavenly Father, we pray for those in Resthaven—Nita Jurecky, Dorrie Materne, Rita Bretag, Keith & Joan Neumann, Jenny Mueller, for Monica Eckermann, Bob Appleby, & Maureen Kuchel in Lerwin, also for Vera Appleby (Victor Harbor) & Rita Schiller (Mannum).
- 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 Judy Franklin, Bryan Lees, John Lohmeyer, Edgar Gerhardy, Les Jericho, Gordon Schultz, Wes Herrmann (home), Ivy Roennfeldt, John Spencer, Alex Warnest, Gwen Traeger (RAH), Bob Eckermann & Nola Reed and pray also for their carers.

### Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

- 11/9 Morris Frahm, Bruce Heinrich
- 12/9 Ron Jericho, Joyce Stiller
- 14/9 Coral Coulter
- 15/9 Ivan Zanker
- 16/9 Alison Grieger,

### LA GRANDE

Saturday 27th October at 8:30pm at the Prospect Town Hall 128 Prospect Rd. Formal/Cocktail dress. Supper included. **Tickets \$30 from <http://lagrande.eventzilla.net>**  
See Notice Board in JDHall

### INVIGORATE

(Children & Family Ministry Conference)  
Saturday 23rd February 2013  
at Concordia College  
Registration opens 12th November.  
For more info & to register  
<http://invigor8/2013.eventzilla.net>  
see Notice Board in JDHall

### REFRESH YOUR MARRIAGE

Join us for a meal and a chat.

#### Guest Presenter:

Annemarie Klingenberg  
(LCC Counsellor)

Wednesday Evening Oct 24th in  
Murray Bridge

**If you are married THIS IS  
FOR YOU**

We need to support each other.

Time & Venue to be confirmed.



The Spring edition of **Media Matters** is here. Read the latest media ministry news. Make sure you get a copy. We rely on your prayers and your support.  
For more information  
Phone: FREECALL 1800 353 350

### MANGOES 2012

Here is another opportunity for mango lovers.

**Orders need to be in by Friday  
5th October.**

Please contact Jan at the church  
office if you wish to place an order.  
ph 8532 6553.

**Cost \$30 per box.**

Delivery date to be confirmed- will be co-ordinated by Unity College.  
*You must be available on the day of delivery with cash in hand (no cheques) to collect your order.*  
Part of the proceeds will be directed to a mission initiative.

### WOMEN'S GUILD

Wed Sep 12th at 1pm in the JDHall.

**“Anniversary Afternoon Tea”**

Guest Speaker: Pastor Rolph Mayer

Dev: Pastor Greg Page.

Hosts: Executive & Social Committees.

**Men & Ladies very welcome.**

### CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX GIFT

(Sharing the Love of Jesus with children all over the world)

Decorate and fill a shoebox with little gifts

There are some boxes available. Cost \$1.

**Bring your box to church on Sunday 14th October to be sent on with a blessing**

PLEASE NOTE— BROCHURES STILL AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICE



# This Week

**Hymns** Sep 9th - 887, 191, 181, 206  
**Readings** Sep 9th— Proverbs 22:1,2,8,9,22,23; James 2:1-10, 14-17; Mark 7:24-37

<b>Mon</b>	<b>10th Sep</b>	9:30am <b>7:30pm</b> 7:30pm	Chat, Cards & Coffee— Ed Cen <b>Elders—Ed Cen</b> <i>Property Committee—Ed Cen</i>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>11th Sep</b>	7:30pm	B Heinrich F/Gp— 120 Adelaide Rd
<b>Wed</b>	<b>12th Sep</b>	7am 1pm <b>7:30pm</b>	<b>Prayer in church</b> <i>Women's Guild—JDHall</i> <b>E100 Challenge—Ed Cen</b>
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>13th Sep</b>	9:30am <b>10 am</b> 3:30pm	Bible Study—Ed Cen <b>Bulletin Notice Deadline</b> Resthaven HC
<b>Fri</b>	<b>14th Sep</b>	10:30am	Lerwin HC
<b>Sat</b>	<b>15th Sep</b>		
<b>Sun</b>	<b>16th Sep</b>	<b>MONARTO</b> 10:30am <b>CHRIST</b> 9am <b>CHURCH</b> 10:45am	Communion Communion Worship



## CUPCAKES FOR A CURE

Lisa Riley CPSW at Murray Bridge High School is looking for cupcake pledges and people to come and chat to the Teachers for morning tea on

**THURS 20th SEPT 10:45am - 11:45am.** Staff gold coin donations will go to the Kids Cancer Project.

**If you would like to be involved or pledge a number of cupcakes/goodies please call Lisa/leave a message at the School on 8532 1788.**

## **Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting. Topic: Humour in the Lutheran Church.**

Speaker: Dr Erich Renner. Is this an oxymoron? Can we laugh at ourselves? A funny evening guaranteed. At Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place, Adelaide, on Monday 17 September at 7.30 pm. Supper. Gold coin donation.



**Kelvinator 480**  
litre refrigerator for sale.  
**Proceeds to church funds.**  
**Ideal drinks fridge. Reasonable offer accepted. Please contact Graham or Marlene Schubert.**

## **APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTIAN PASTORAL SUPPORT WORKER**

**Ps. Daryl Mark** has been appointed as the Christian Pastoral Support Worker at Fraser Park School. Daryl is well known in our community and has previously served as a Christian Pastoral Support Worker when he was in Adelaide. We welcome him to this position and pray that God will bless his work in Fraser Park. Desma Blake will still continue her role at Fraser Park. The Fraser Park school community are grateful that they will be able to have increased access to the assistance of Christian Pastoral Support Workers. The Task Group will liaise with Daryl to organise a commissioning service for him. Details will be forwarded to the churches as soon as they are known.

## **National Church Event:**

The LCA Board for Youth and Family Ministry is hosting a national youth forum in Adelaide in October (5-7) with the purpose of giving young people the opportunity to voice their opinion on the issues facing our church.

The forum will involve three youth representatives from every Lutheran District in Australia. The representatives will discuss and share their views on a range of topics including human sexuality, social media and worship.

The Department for Child, Youth and Family Ministry SA/NT is looking for three young people (**aged 15-18**) to represent youth from the SA/NT District at this special forum.

All participant expenses will be covered (including flights, accommodation and food), however representatives will be expected to complete some pre and post forum work including surveying the opinions of their friends.

You can apply to represent SA/NT at this unique forum by sending an application email to Fiona Weckert at [fiona.weckert@sa.lca.org.au](mailto:fiona.weckert@sa.lca.org.au) In addition to your contact details, your application should address the following questions:

1. What is it like to be a young Lutheran in your community?
2. Why do you want to represent SA/NT at this forum?

<http://www.blueprintministries.org.au/events/national-youth-forum-2012/>

# Living in



## Sharing

Share your highs and lows for the week.

## Reading:

Acts 16

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 we read through Acts what is the early church doing? What has Jesus called them to do?

Paul feels restrained by the Spirit from going into Asia, but when he gets the vision regarding Macedonia he goes straight away. Where is the Spirit putting up barriers and where is he calling us?

Paul and Silas first go to a place of prayer. Where in our community would we find people open to God?

Why did the owners of the slave girl get angry? What does that tell you? How did it work out for good?

Paul & Silas were beaten and put in prison, and we find them praying & singing to God. What does this say to you?

When the jailer asked; 'What must I do to be saved?' what did Paul answer? Discuss

Where did Paul & Silas meet once they got out of prison? Why might this be important? Where do we meet? Compare.

## Praying

Pray to be bold. Ask Jesus who the people are he has prepared to hear. Ask Jesus to send you to disciple them. Pray for each other specifically.

## Verse for the Week

“Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved—you and your household.”

Acts 16:31

## Character Conversation Questions

How am I devoted to the bible?

How am I devoted to fellowship?

How am I devoted to communion?

How am I devoted to prayer?

Who is the Spirit leading me to?

Who am I helping grow as a disciple?

Who is helping me grow as a disciple?

How do you honour your parents and those God has placed in authority?

Who determines your sexual responses?

How have you helped people keep their property and resources?

Where have you been tempted to speak poorly of another person?

Have you given thanks to God for what you have or wished you had what others have?

What causes you fear?

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

## Readings

### Sunday 9 September

Proverbs 22:1,2,8,9,22,23

James 2:1-10, 14-177

Mark 7:24-37

**Monday** Acts 9

**Tuesday** Acts 13/14

**Wednesday** Acts 15

**Thursday** Acts 16-20

**Friday** Acts 25-28

**Saturday**

### Sunday 16 September

Proverbs 1:20-33

James 3:1-12

Mark 8:27-38

## WHAT DOES A CHRISTIAN PASTORAL SUPPORT WORKER DO?

A Christian Pastoral Support Worker is a Christian, with special skills for working with young people and their families in the school community.

### A SCHOOL CHRISTIAN PASTORAL SUPPORT WORKER WILL:

- work in **co-operation** with teachers and the Principal to support students;
- be available to students as a **listener, supporter and carer**;
- be a support, resource and referral person for **families** in the school community;
- be a support, resource and referral person for **teachers** and other **staff**;
- work with others in the school and its **community** to develop services, programs, and strategies, that meet the **needs** of **students**;
- provide a Christian presence in the school on behalf of the **local churches**.
- being visible in the school yard, when they accompany teachers on **yard duty**;
- being **available** at lunch times;

- working alongside teachers and students in the **classrooms**;
- being at school during “**special occasions**” eg Presentation Night

### HOW CAN I HELP?

- Join our team of regular supporters and donate monthly, quarterly, yearly.
- Fund a CPSW for an extra hour of work per week - \$23 per week for 40 weeks.
- Organise a fundraising event
- Support the Task Group fundraising events
- Bake for a staff support morning tea
- Assist in putting on a staff support morning tea, meet and talk with staff
- Assist a CPSW with lunchtime activities.
- Be a prayer contact for a CPSW and pray for specific needs in that school
- Join the Task Group and assist in the support of CPSWs

For more information talk to your Task Group representative or contact Joyleen Kuchel  
8532 5353

# CHRISTIAN PASTORAL SUPPORT PROGRAM



## Supporting our future generations

Care Respect Enthusiasm Fun



## A few facts about **Christian Pastoral Support Workers** in SA schools

In a government school, the Christian Pastoral Support Program is primarily a service of pastoral care for students and their families, as well as staff, who want this support. Christian Pastoral Support Workers are not in the school to evangelise on behalf of a particular faith group. Their role requires them to respect both the secular character of the Government School and the variety of thoughts and beliefs within the school community.

As a Christian presence in the school, the **Christian Pastoral Support Worker** represents and encourages key Christian values, and celebrates the diversity of Christianity.

The School Christian Pastoral Support Worker is jointly accountable to the Department of Education and Children's Services through the School Principal, SMG and the Murray Bridge Inter-church Council.

### **Who Employs our Christian Pastoral Support Worker?**

Our CPSWs are employed for 15 hours per week by SMG through the Federal government's National School Chaplaincy and Student Welfare Program. Additional hours per week can be funded by the local Interchurch Council. The local community is also responsible for the provision and payment of Christian options seminars in the schools.



## Who is SMG? Schools Ministry Group

The Schools Ministry Group was set up by the Heads of Churches to **employ** Christian workers in Government Schools (**CPSW's**).

The Group consists of representatives from all the major Christian Churches and several youth and children's mission organizations.

SMG is responsible for developing policy, giving pastoral and resource support to over 340 Christian Pastoral Support Workers, liaising with schools and churches about the **Christian Pastoral Support Program** and organizing 'In Service' training for Christian Pastoral Support Workers in South Australia.

### **Role of Murray Bridge Interchurch Council**

The Murray Bridge Interchurch Council has appointed a subcommittee – The Ministry in Schools Task Group. The Task Group liaises with the schools, local churches and SMG to appoint and review Christian Pastoral Support Workers. The group is responsible for the pastoral oversight and support of the CPSWs, fundraising to support extra hours and provision of seminars and programs and assisting to raise the profile of the CPSW program in the local churches.

## Who are our Christian Pastoral Support Workers?

Murray Bridge has 2 Federally Funded workers:-

Lisa Riley – Murray Bridge High School  
Narelle Chester – Murray Bridge North Schools.

Lisa and Narelle both work 15 hours per week and from Term 2 2012, Lisa will be funded by the Task Group for an extra 3 hours per week.

Desma Blake is funded by the Task Group, for 3 hours per week at Fraser Park. Desma also volunteers a further 9 hours per week at the school.

The Task Group has also provided some financial support to assist Carelle Poole who is the CPSW at Coomandook.

Federal Funding is guaranteed until 2015 but after that it is unknown whether Federal Funding will be available or not. The Christian Pastoral Support Program is an initiative of the Christian Churches and we need to continue our ownership of the program. We need your help to continue to provide a Christian presence and support in our Government schools.

See the back page for ways in which you can help **bring purpose, value and hope to our young generation.**