

CHRIST CHURCH CONGREGATION UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2012

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

- AUG** 5th—Food Fair— JDHall
19th—CLW Youth Service—Unity College
- Messy Church —4pm in JDHall
- SEP** 5th, 6th, 7th—Thrift Shop—JDHall
- OCT** 21st—E100 Celebration
27th—GarageSale in JDHall
28th—Reformation —Unity College
- NOV** 16th -18th —Christmas Tree Festival— M/B Town Hall

African Ministry Gathering

Good News Lutheran Church, 57 Botting Street, Albert Park SA
Saturday 11th August 2012
11.00am – 5.00pm

*See JDHall
Notice Board*

*Please bring food to share for lunch
Coffee and Tea will be provided for lunch and for an afternoon break
We are endeavouring to organise activities for the children*

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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



Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
29th July 2012



**Maurice Wegener with Elizabeth &
Dean Afford from Rosedale**



**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.

Food Fair

Fellowship

Fundraiser

Food Fair

Next Sunday, 5th Aug
after the second service.

**Gold Coin Donation per
serve**

Come and join us for lunch
and fellowship.

Thanks to James Leach
who is preaching at
Monarto and also at the 10:45am
service at Christ Church today.
Good to see you again James.



THE LOST IS FOUND

A cross that was lost, at the Mann's property when the cong prayed over Murray Bridge, has been found. Please contact Graeme Mann on 0409 313 423

NEXT SUNDAY

5th August TRADING TABLE

An opportunity for great bargains. *Bring your fresh veggies, fruit, eggs, jam, pickles, plants, cakes & yummy food.*

PLEASE NOTE

There will be NO 10:45am service on August 19th at Christ Church.

The congregation is encouraged to join in worship at Unity with the CLW Youth. 10.45am at The Steeple, Unity College.

To be followed by lunch and fellowship

E100 CHALLENGE

Audio session on
Wednesday at
7:30pm in the Ed Cen.



MONARTO

Sunday 5th August 10:30am
Wardens Hein Family
Reader Penne Lewis-Brown
Tea/Coffee

Rosters

CHRIST CHURCH

5th August

Sunday 9am 10:45am
Elders Rodney Zanker Janet Emmins
Wardens Merv & Dawn Schopp David Doecke
Gordon Kuchel
Reader Ben Traeger Cheryl Miegel
Greeters Margaret Warnest Ian & Deb Colley
Margaret Jenke Hayley & Monique
Music Coralie Josh Rance
Flowers Pat Kuss
Prayer Gerry Korzeba
Tea/Coffee Val Stevens, Betty Zadow
PA David Pech Marcus Jaensch
Data Projector Dawn Hampel Miegel Family
Ed Cen Clean Betty Zadow

SUNDAY SCHOOL

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

RENEW CAMP

for young adults (18+)
Fri 24th Aug -Sun 26th Aug at Longwood campsite,
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Renew is aimed at growing and nurturing faith through fellowship, learning, praise, prayer, discussion, action, sharing, reflection and fun.

24-26th August

\$95 inc meals, guest speaker, electives, worship, small groups, op-shop dinner and heaps more!

(\$120 after Aug 10th).

Info www.blueprintministries.org.au/renew



~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.

- Lord God we give you thanks for the senior people in our congregation. We thank you for the encouragement we receive when we see their faithfulness and tireless service to you.
- *Jesus let our homes be places to nurture love and faith in you. Lead parents into the roles given by you and help children to love and respect their parents.*
- *Thank God for the response there has been for the appeals for both food for Teen Challenge and for the replacement chairs in the JDH.*
- 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, John Mattner, Edgar Gerhardy, Les Jericho, Gordon Schultz, Wes Herrmann (Murray Bridge Hosp), Ivy Roennfeldt, John Spencer, Alex Warnest, Gwen Traeger, Bob Eckermann & Nola Reed and pray also for their carers.*

Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

30/7 Trish Rohrlach, Rodney Zanker

31/7 Jenny Krueger

1/8 Coral Jaensch, Ivy Roennfeldt, Troy Kowald

2/8 Flo Kerkham, Gordon Schulz

4/8 Alicia Crase, Joel Eckermann

5/8 Lesley Zadow

LOWER MURRAYLANDS LADIES ZONE RETREAT

To be held on Thurs 2nd August at Christ Church JDHALL

Theme: “Free to Put Others First”

Commencing with a cuppa at 9:30am.

Please bring a lap lunch.

All Welcome

Retreat

CLEAR CONCIIOUS COURAGEOUS LIVING

Weekend Spiritual Retreat hosted by St Martin’s Lutheran Church, Mannum on Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th August.

Top presenters for Mannum retreat: Highly regarded US Lutheran Pastor and author Hal Senkbeil will team with clinical psychologist, lecturer and decorated church work worker Bev Jahnke to give clear, faithful and informed responses to controversial and cutting edge issues surrounding our human sexuality, relationships, mission, Christian living, wholeness and much, much more in order to help us and to equip us to help others.

Enjoy a celebration dinner on Saturday evening. Enrolment cost just \$20.00.

More info –contact 8569 2863 email mannumluthparsh@bigpond.com

see Notice Board in JDHall

BOARD FOR MISSION CALENDAR August and September 2012

See Notice Board in JDHall for prayer points you can use,

THANKS FROM TEEN CHALLENGE

to members for the donation of food from the winter appeal. Your thoughtfulness is appreciated, as is your support over the years towards people who struggle.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Friday Nov 16th—Sunday Nov 18th at the Murray Bridge Town Hall from 9am -5pm.

At present we are advertising to the wider community inviting groups/individuals from other towns within the Hills and the Murraylands areas.

The craft triangle trees to be made up are available at the church office for those able to help.

If you would still like to provide a tree with a Christian message please contact either Coralie or Jan.

Update

This Week

Hymns July 29th - 882, 465, AT 212, 387, 389, 844
Readings July 29th— 2 Samuel 11:1-15; Eph 3:14-21; John 6:1-21

Mon 30th July 9:30am Chat, Cards & Coffee— Ed Cen

Tue 31st July

Wed 1st Aug **7am NO Prayer in church**
 9:30am Visiting Team—Ed Cen
 9:30am *Service Guild—Ed Cen*
 6pm *Barnabas F/Gp— Zanker's*
 7:30pm **E100 Challenge—Ed Cen**

Thurs 2nd Aug **9:30am Ladies Zone Retreat—JDHall**
 9:30am Bible Study—Ed Cen
 10 am **Bulletin Notice Deadline**

Fri 3rd Aug

Sat 4th Aug 8am *Men's Breakfast - 22 Well's Way*

Sun 5th Aug **MONARTO 10:30am** Communion
CHRIST 9am Communion
CHURCH 10am **Trading Table**
 10:45am Worship
 12noon **FOOD FAIR—JDHALL**

“Men’s Breakfast”

Come again and join us.

Get together for fellowship and friendly discussion. BYO breakfast Tea and coffee will be supplied.

WHERE AND WHEN

At Marcus and Audrey Jaensch’s place 22 Wells Way, formerly Tumbella Drive
 — Saturday Aug 4th at 8am

LUTHERAN MEDIA NEWS FREE WORSHIP SERVICE DVDs And/Or CDs

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CHURCH MUSICIANS AND COMPOSERS

The LCA Commission on Worship have asked for a new musical setting of the liturgy. and as such are promoting a competition for church musicians and composers. If you are interested in this invitation please contact Pastor Tim.

SERVICE GUILD
 meets Wednesday 1st August at 9:30am in Ed Cen.
 Dev: Julie Mueller

CONGREGATIONAL NEWSLETTER FOR CHRIST CHURCH

a number of members co-ordinated by Cheryl Miegel will soon be producing a regular newsletter (e.g 4 times a year). She welcomes photos and newsy items.



APPEAL TO REPLACE CHAIRS IN JDHALL

We invite you to put your donations into a clearly marked envelope with ‘New Chairs’ on it. You can either place your envelope on the offering plate on Sundays during worship time or alternatively you can leave your envelope with Jan at the office. If you would like a receipt please include your name and address inside with your donation. Thank you for your support with this appeal!

CONCORDIA KINDY UPDATE



KINDY FUNDRAISER

During Term 3 the Kindy Fundraiser is Tea Towels, with each child and staff member drawing a self portrait.

A great Christmas gift for past Kindy children or their parents.

Cost is \$12.50 per tea towel.

Orders need to be in at the Kindy by Wednesday August 8th.

Let Heather Courtney or Deb Colley know if you are interested.

Please place your order and payment in an envelope.

Just a brief reminder about Soup/stews/casseroles/dessert



The Freezer is looking very bare and this week we've had 2 new Mums,

2 bereavements and a family celebrating a wedding.

Naturally the 2 new mum's received a small contribution towards a meal to help them along.

So if you would like to support the work of Christ Church in the Kindy and are not able to cook something, maybe you would like to provide ingredients for someone else to do the cooking. (Talk to Heather if you can assist in any small way).



Please continue to pray for all Kindy families and our staff and their families, that God will continue to bless and keep us in His arms sustaining and supporting us in our everyday activities.

Pray for Cameron, Jayla, Samuel, Gemma and Aleisha, for Ayden and his new sister Mia and Beau and his new sister Esmee, and for Layla and her parents Tim and Heidi as they travel to Las Vegas for their wedding.

Living in



Sharing

Share your highs and lows for the week.

Reading:

Daniel 6

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

What do you like about this story?

Why did people want to get rid of Daniel?

Have you ever felt this way to another?

Discuss

What do you think of Darius when he is asked to make the decree that people should only pray to him? Where are you tempted to be a bit like Darius?

Darius was well played by his advisors.

How do you think he felt?

Darius was trapped by what he had done. He couldn't undo it. How do you think you felt? Have you ever been in a similar situation? Discuss.

Daniel remains faithful at the expense of his life. Where are you being challenged to remain faithful? Discuss.

When Daniel was thrown into the lion's den what do you think he thought the outcome would be? How did he feel when he wasn't eaten?.

Reflect on Darius' response.

Praying

Thank Jesus for the strength to remain faithful to him. Ask for wisdom and love in those situations. Pray for those you know who are facing challenging times. Pray for each other, blessing each other.

Verse for the Week

"...Three times a day Daniel got down on his knees and prayed..."

Daniel 6:10

Character Conversation Questions

Where is my faithfulness being tested?

What lions threaten me?

When do you take time to listen, be open?

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

Who have you encouraged this week?

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?

Have I been honest with myself?

Readings

Sunday 29 July

2 Sam. 11:1-15

Ephesians 3:14-21

John 6:1-21

Monday

Isa. 51-53

Tuesday

Jer. 1-3

Wednesday

Daniel 6

Thursday

Jonah 1-4

Friday

Mal. 1-4

Saturday

Sunday 5 August

2 Sam. 11:26—12:13a

Ephesians 5:1-16

John 6:24-35