		<b>COMING EVENTS</b>
May	<b>15th</b> 16th	C.H.I.L—JDHall Movie Night—JDH
	17th <i>18th-21st-</i>	Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle Red Cross Blood Bank
June	13th 13th-14th 19th 20th 21st 27th	Professional Standards Workshop– JDHall LYSA Reunion Weekend-Barossa Valley C.H.I.L—JDHall School Chaplaincy Trivia Night– JDHall Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle—JDHall Movie Night—JDHall
July	<b>4th</b> 19th 25th	Garage Sale- JDHall Trading Table & Sausage Sizzle—JDHall Movie Night—JDHall
Nov	20th-22nd	d Christmas Tree Festival—Town Hall

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6th Sunday of Easter 10th May 2015



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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.

 $\underline{\textit{Visitors Cards}}$  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.

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# Happy Mother's Day



To all those who helped the Ladies Fellowship Christmas Tree Festival

Gift Table and Scones and Soup morning tea last Sunday— by either providing goods or by purchasing goodies. We appreciated your generous support.

### WOMEN'S GUILD

Wednesday May 13th at :15pm at Concordia Hall.

"Tea Party"

**Devotion:** Y Lablack

**Hosts:** V Zerk, J Walker

Gift Table: M Warnest

Offering: Luther Campus, Media

Ministry

Lutheran Women SA/NT Convention on Saturday 16th May 2015 at 9.30 a.m. at 44 Audrey Ave, Blair Athol BYO lunch ALL WELCOME

### NEXT SUNDAY 17th May

### TRADING TABLE

Bring your fresh veggies, fruit, eggs, jam, cakes etc.



Join us for Soup & Hot Dogs.

# Saturday 16th May John Dohler Hall at 6pm

with a pooled finger food/fork tea, followed by the movie at approximately 10 to 7, then finger food dessert/supper. Hot and cold drinks provided.

All Welcome. No Cost.

The movie is "Courageous".

When a tragedy strikes close to home, four police officers struggle with their faith and their roles as husbands and fathers; together they make a decision that will change all of their lives.

Suitable for all ages.

### PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS WORKSHOP (Safe Place etc)

SATURDAY June 13<sup>th</sup> 9:30am -5pm in the JDHall.

Volunteers who work with vulnerable groups and those in leadership positions <a href="mailto:need to attend">need to attend</a> ( this is a legal obligation that we as a church have to do)—i.e. Elders, Leadership & Admin Teams, those visiting on behalf of the congregation, youth leaders, Sunday school teachers, sports coaches etc. You also need to have a <a href="POLICE">POLICE</a> CHECK prior to attending (need to have another every 3 years.)

If you have a police check which has been done in the last three years, please take it into the office and have it sighted by Jan. If not, forms are available from the office. If you are unsure whether you need to do one or not, just do it anyway.

Please register with Jan at the church office. Ph 8532 6553. Cost \$30 per person (includes lunch and afternoon tea)

www.police.sa.gov.au then follow the links to do a police check.

LWSA/NT is offering group air travel to attend the National Lutheran Women of Australia Convention to be held Monday 28th and Tuesday 29th September 2015 at Rochedale, Queensland. We depart by air on Saturday 26th Sept and return after Convention on Wednesday 30th Sept. Your church has a copy of the brochure outlining itinerary, pricing and booking details.

# COMBINED CHURCHES PENTECOST WEEKEND BREAKFAST

Saturday 23rd May @ 7:30am at Church of Christ, Seventh St. Cost \$10 per person. RSVP to 8532 2883 or email mbcofc@internode.on.net



Pentecost Sunday 24th May at 2pm at

the Uniting Church.,
Narooma Boulevard
."Flying for Life"
Please bring a plate of afternoon
tea to share
All 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.



- Pray for Mothers everywhere.
- Pray for those in the devastated country of Nepal affected by the earthquake - for those who have lost loved ones or their homes—ask God to comfort them - pray for those responding to the call for help aid agencies etc. Pray for people to be generous in their donations toward both the ALWS and Asia Focus Appeals.
- Pray for those planning the next C.H.I.L. get together—that God will bless whatever they decide to do— and also pray for the families that come along—that they will enjoy the time together and be inspired by the message they receive.
- We ask for God's blessings for Nita Grieger (Lerwin), Betty Schubert, Murray Pope (Mary Potter Hospice), Joyleen Stiller, Jeanette Zanker, Lil Fiegert, John Lohmeyer, Mike Kluge, Trudy Weber, Roy & Gwen Traeger, Leo Schulz & also for their carers.

### Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

11 /5 Joel Hampel 12/05 Murray Piltz

13/05 Geoff Pfeiffer, Benjamin Hampel

15/05 Leanne Konitzka

### LADIES FELLOWSHIP

When: Thursday May 21st

Where: Ed Cen 7:30pm

<u>Topic:</u> Paraments & Church Banners Speaker: Jan Kaesler– LCA Visual

Arts.

<u>Devotion</u>: Coral Coulter <u>Supper</u>: Heather Courtney **Parish Ladies invited.** 

## **THANKYOU**

Trudy Gogel & Family wish to thank Pastors Tim Koch & Peter Welke for prayers and also friends for phone calls, cards & personal messages of sympathy on the sudden loss of Trudy's sister, Norma Liebelt. Thank you.

The worst earthquake in Nepal in 80 years has left more than 2500 people dead. Many more are injured, missing or homeless. You can give emergency help straightaway through ALWS. Your help will be directed through our Lutheran (World Federation) team based in Kathmandu. High priorities are likely to include food, clean water, clothes, blankets, shelter, medical supplies and psychosocial support. ALWS has already committed \$50,000 for emergency aid.

Donate now! All donations over \$2 are tax deductable. Ph: 1300 763 407 or go to the website www.alws.org.au



# RETIRING OFFERING TODAY FOR ALWS (This money goes to general aid relief)

# ASIA FOCUS APPEAL (This money goes direct to the Lutheran congregations in Nepal.)

**Asia Focus Australia** has launched an URGENT appeal to help support the Nepal Evangelical Lutheran Church. (NELC) Pastor Patras Marandi, General Secretary of NELC writes.

"Affected people need immediate rescue & relief but are not getting proper care. There has been a lot of aid coming in to the country but it is not being equally distributed. So people put pressure on the government and draw attention to it by making a lot of noise. LWF is not providing direct and immediate help to NELC nor to other churches. We pray for you and the AFA group in your attempts to help us."

Asia Focus would like to provide financial support to our brothers & sisters in Nepal belonging to the Lutheran church directly so that they can help Christian Lutherans in Nepal. If you want to donate a larger amount a

receipt can be issued by Asia Focus Australia.

Any questions contact Ian Kluge – 0427 313537 Mob, 85313449 Home <u>i.kluge@bigpond.com</u>

Please place your donation in an envelope (marked Asia Focus Appeal) in the offering bag. OR **Donations can be made by cheque or money order to** 'Asia Mission and Relief Fund' or by direct bank transfers.

Please earmark, NEPAL EARTHQUAKE RELIEF.

Bank: Suncorp

'Asia Mission and Relief Fund'

BSB: 484-799 A/C: 053885275

# Coming Week ...

Readings: Acts 10:44-48, 1 John 5:1-6, John 15:9-17

Hvmns: 164. AT80. 344. AT 262

Mon	11th May	9:30am <b>7:30pm</b> <i>7:30pm</i>	Cards & Coffee– Ed Cen Elders—meet Ed Cen Property Committee - Ed Cen
Tues	12th May	10:30am 7pm	English Lessons—Ed Cen Shalom F/Gp– 140 Adelaide Rd
Wed	13th May	1:15pm <b>7pm</b>	Women's Guild—Conc Hall Confirmation—Christ Church
Thurs	14th May	9:30am <i>3:30pm</i>	Bible Study—Ed Cen Resthaven HC
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Sat	16th May	<b>5:30pm 9:30am</b> <i>6pm</i> 9am	C.H.I.L.—JDHall  LWSA Convention— Blair Athol Movie Night plus tea—JDHall  Communion Trading Table—JDHall  10:45am Worship

## C.H.I.L. (formerly Messy Church)

Friday 15th May at 5:30pm in JDHall. Theme- "Ascension" We are all inclusive, inter-generational, and welcoming. Join us to share music/singing, the telling of a Bible story, creative/ crafts/discussion time and finally a meal. We require that children have a parent or quardian with them. Contact Jodie Wegener ph 0407 701 980 or Gloria Pohl 0417 876 776

**MONARTO** May 17th 10:30am

Wardens Colin & Raelene Reader Raelene Wegener

May 24th 9am

Wardens Max & Maxine Terry Franklin Reader

Tea/Coffee Kevin & Robert Thiele



### **CHRIST CHURCH** 17th May

9am 10:45 **Elders** John & Gloria Pohl David Doecke

Wardens B & L Doecke, I Pumpa

Music Sarah Fiebig June Walker Coralie Mattner Sue Kuchel Reader Delton & Lynette Schiller

Greeters Gordon & Shirley Lutze

**Flowers** Lores Frahn

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Tea/Coffee Ross & Merle Herrmann

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### 24th May

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**SUNDAY SCHOOL** 17th May Leader

Helper

**Heather Courtney** Sophie Stiller

Yvonne Stiller & Girls

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Thursday	41-9:1 stoA	Jesus is taken up into heaven
Wednesday	FS-9:21 snamoA	Love with sincerity
Tuesday	21-7:4 ndol t	God's love and ours
Monday	36-16:81 ndol	bnsmmoo wen A
Sunday	71-6:31 ndol	Love one another

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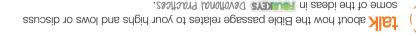
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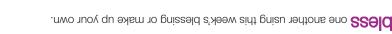
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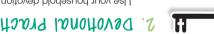
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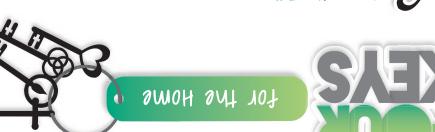
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