



Cash prizes • Anyone can enter

Short Movie Competition

Do you like making short movies?

Share a story of hope or your favourite bible story.
Send us your short video to be showcased at premiere event.

See notice board for more info



Go to www.lutheranmedia.org.au/competition

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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

 **LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA**
where love comes to life

2nd Sunday after Pentecost
18th June 2017

Gifts & Abilities Expo today

EACH OF YOU SHOULD USE
whatever **GIFT**
you have received
to **SERVE OTHERS**
AS FAITHFUL STEWARDS OF
God's GRACE
IN ITS VARIOUS FORMS 1 PETER 4:10

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.

Welcome

We welcome all visitors & pray you are made to feel at home here in our congregation.

Christian Life Week
STAND FIRM July 17-21
 Early Bird \$150 by 31May
 Register blueprintministries.org.au/camps/lmse
 Contact: Abby Beames
 0408 118 338

*Congratulations to
 Tyson & Jess Barolo
 on the safe arrival of*

Sophia Grace Barolo

*on the
 9th June,*

*6th
 Grandchild
 to Raelene
 & Gordon*



Thank you to Kevin Schrapel who is leading the 2nd service at Christ Church today.

Confirmation Class

Wed 21st June

7pm at
Holy Cross



Rosters

♥ "COMMUNION"

25th June

2nd July

9th July

		9am	10.30am ♥	9am	
Monarto	Service Time	9am	10.30am ♥	9am	
	Wardens	Haydn & Penne	Colin & Raelene	Max & Maxine	
	Readers	Haydn Hein	Pam Hilton	Max Paech	
	Tea Coffee	Jo & Maudie		Liz & Rob	
Christ Church	9am	Elder/Assist	I Kluge	W Doecke ♥	D Hampel
		Wardens	A & D Hampel	B & L Doecke I Pumpa	M&D Schopp
		Readers	V Spencer	C Mattner	M Herrmann
		Greeters	D Borchardt J Traeger	C Coulter H Visser	M & R Herrmann
		Organist	Alison	Glynniss	Coralie
		Flowers	L Piltz	I Kuchel	J Stiller
		Tea/coffee/milk	M Warnest J Pope	J & J Stiller	L Penhall & H Schubert
		PA	David	David	David
		Data Projector	C Mattner	B Lablack	C Beauglehall
	10:45am	Elder/Assist	D Doecke ♥	M Jaensch	♥
		Wardens			D & J Lienert Yolette
		Readers	D Doecke		L Zadow
		Greeters	Piltz family	A Jaensch & Yolette	D & L Schiller
		Music			
		Prayers	Pastor Tim	D Pfeiffer	
		PA	Roger	N Mann	N Mann
		Data Projector	Y Stiller	T Piltz	J Hage
		Counter	J Brodde	V Jaensch	D Schopp
Sunday School					
	Leader	Adrian	Annette		
	Helper	Jemima	Belinda S		
	Grounds Roster	J Stiller	C Schenscher	C Schenscher	
	Water & Care	R Herrmann	Ross Herrmann	Yolette	

Coming Week ...

Readings: Genesis 18:1-15 Romans 5:1-8 Matthew 9:35-10:8

Mon	19th June	9:30am	Cards and Coffee
Tues	20th June	1pm 4pm 7pm	The Case For Christ, Cameo Cinema English lessons Ed Cen The Case For Christ, Cameo Cinema
Wed	21st June	7pm	Confirmation, Holy Cross
Thurs	22nd June	No Bible Study 10am Bulletin notices due 11am Roy Traeger's funeral	
Fri	23rd June	7pm	Youth meets, JDH
Sun	25th June	Christ Church 9am Worship 10:15am Time for Prayer - Cave 10:45am Communion Monarto 10:30am Worship	

COMING EVENTS

July	1st	6:30 School Chaplaincy Trivia Night
	17-21st	CLW Camp, Karnkendi, Nelson
Oct	13-14th	SENT 2017 Conference
	22nd	Reformation Sunday, Unity College
Nov	28th	Senior Care Christmas Lunch JD Hall
Dec	8-10th	Christmas Tree Festival
2018	6-12th Jan	LCA Young Adults National Retreat, Victor Harbor
	4-6th May	SA-NT District Convention of Synod

80th Birthday

Congratulations to
John Schirmer
who celebrates his
80th on Wednesday 21st
AND
Glenda Molineux
who celebrates her
80th on Saturday 24th

FUNERAL—PLEASE NOTE

Roy Traeger passed away on Sunday 11th June, his funeral will be held Thurs 22nd June at 11am at Christ Church. A Committal Service will be held at Loxton 1pm
Our thoughts prayers are with Roy's family and friends

Ink Cartridges

don't forget to bring in your Used ink cartridges so they can be recycled!



We will be following the series '**Moving Mountains**' an 8 session study by John Eldredge from the 10th Sept.

Some groups are starting earlier as they don't meet weekly. We will shortly have DVD's and study guides available if you need to borrow them.

If you would like to purchase the book '**Moving Mountains**' please see Denise in the book shop - available for \$20.



LLL PASSBOOKS

If you have a LLL Passbook now is the time to post it in to have your interest calculated

Schools Ministry Trivia night

Raising Funds to support Ministry in local schools

Sat 1st July 6:30 for 7pm start

JDHall, Swanport Rd, Murray Bridge

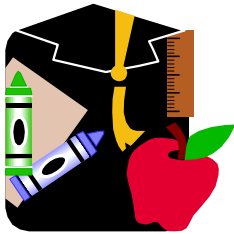
Come as an individual or a team of 8-10

\$7 per person or \$60 /table

Primary Students free

Bookings to church office 8532 6553

BYO food - tea/coffee provided - lots of games/prizes



What if you woke
UP
TODAY
with only the things
that you
thanked
God for
yesterday?

A CONFERENCE FOR WOMEN

'You are Beautiful'

Sat 1st July

The Ark

Salisbury Lutheran Church

See notice board for more details

Enquiries: 8281 2976

E: youarebeautiful@theark.com.au

www.YouAreBeautifulAtTheArk.weebly.com

Rosters

Its that time again.

Rosters will be done for

AUG - OCT 2017



Please let Yvonne know in the office when you are not available or any special requests

Thank you!

**Please contact
the office by
Monday
19th June**

~ 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. 5:16-18

- Please pray for the following Kindy students: Macy, Regan, Bella, Madison & Charly.
- Dear Lord, grant to all who mourn a confidence in Your fatherly care, that, casting all their grief on You, they may know the consolation of Your love. We especially pray for the family and friends of Roy Traeger and for Irene Kuchel and family on the passing of her brother Alan Nuske.
- Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gifts and talents you have blessed us with. We ask that you would help us to treasure them and use them for your glory.
- Lord God, We ask for God's blessings for Laurie Leskie, Lores Frahn, Sandra Thiele, Irene Kuchel, Sandra Healey, Henk Visser, Dawn Jaensch, Joyleen Stiller & also for their carers.

If you have any prayer requests or would like to be included in this list please contact Yvonne in the office

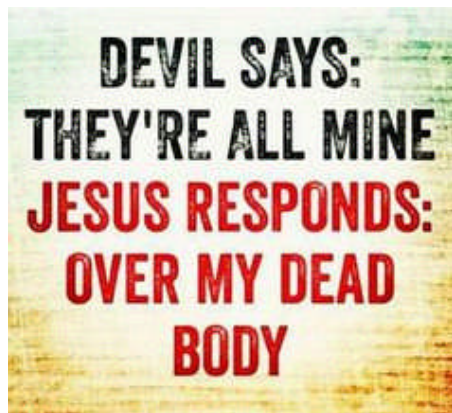
Pray for those Celebrating their Baptismal Birthdays

- 18/6 Grace Hill, Dennis Kuchel
- 19/6 Quentin Barolo, Emily Frahn
- 20/6 Carolyn McLaughlin, Neville Mueller
- 22/6 Maxine Paech, Benjamin Doecke, Morgan Klemm
- 23/6 Teresa Krueger
- 24/6 Merilyn Schultz





Each Sunday there will be an opportunity to get together between services for prayer in the cave at 10:15am.



Can you help!
 We are looking for volunteers to assist on the day at the **Murray Bridge Community Christmas Carols.**
 Duties include setting up chairs, taking up an offering etc. If you are able to assist please contact the church office.
Thank you!




The Murray Bridge Talking Newspaper supplying recordings of the Murray Valley Standard and the Advertiser to clients of the 'Royal Society for the Blind' is very much in need of some extra readers as due to ill health we have had some resignations. If you think you would like to help please contact co-ordinator Pauline Thiele A/H 8531 0415



Christ Church and Holy Cross Youth are invited to meet together for **fun and fellowship** on **Friday 23rd June 7pm at JDH, Christ Church.**

Next meetings:
 Sunday 9th July 12noon
 Friday 28th July 7pm.

Would you like to be involved in any way? Please contact the church office.

THE LUTHERAN
SUBS ARE NOW DUE Cost \$44. Please collect your tax invoice from the pigeon holes in the JDHall. Payment can be made direct or to Dennis Pfeiffer (ph 8531 1188) by Sunday 25th June.
New subscribers welcome.



Kairos Prison Ministry
 17th - 20th October

Kairos is a community-based Christian ministry that reaches out to male and female inmates, saying "You have a choice." It operates in men's and women's correctional centres around Australia, and is based on a 3 to 5 day 'Short Course' run inside the centre by a team of highly trained volunteers. The inmates who take part in **Kairos** can choose whether they want to attend or not. The program is completely voluntary.

We are seeking
Billets - Can you provide a bed for the night for the Leaders and volunteers who will be involved in the Kairos Prison Ministry Short Course in October?
If you can help with this please contact
Pastor Tim or Christ Church office on 8532 6553.

LLL Survey
 Take the survey to win \$50!
 Members of LLL simply go to:
www.lll.org.au/survey
 closes 25th June



Finance with a mission



Australian Lutheran World Service Fundraising walk for Refugees. Hahndorf to Beaumont 26k's

See notice board for details on how to support or enter. If you are interested we may organise a walk here - let us know in the church office

WALK MY WAY
 STEPPING OUT TO BRING LOVE TO LIFE



Cameo Cinema, Murray Bridge



The Case For Christ (PG)

Tues 20th June
1pm & 7pm

The Shack (M)

Tues 27th June
1pm & 7pm

All tickets \$10 available online or from the cinema

www.cameocinema.com.au



Join us for tea then
Movie Tues 27th June

Tea (\$5 each) 6pm in JDH
(please let the office know
numbers for catering)

Movie "The Shack"
7pm - Cameo Cinema
\$10 a ticket

God's Promise
isn't that He'll keep bad things from happening; it's that He'll be there if they do.

Friends of Lutheran Archives meeting on Monday 26th June, 7.30 pm at Bethlehem House, Sudholz Place in the City

Dresden Missionary Clamor Schurmann did much more than minister to Aboriginal people in SA. He also spent 40 years as a pioneering parish pastor and district president in Victoria. Betty Huf is an historian specializing in the history of the Western District of Victoria, and has written books about the German & Wendish settlers of the Hamilton area. Supper and gold coin donation.

Lutheran ARCHIVES
Preserving our story

GOD'S PROMISES

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Fri 8th Dec—Sun 10th December
9am –5pm (3pm –Sunday)

MURRAY BRIDGE TOWN HALL
Admission FREE.

A display of trees with a
Christian Message.

Gifts, Craft for sale
Tea & Coffee provided

Presented by the Lutheran Churches
of Murray Bridge



**The LLL values your opinion.
Take the survey to win \$50!**

Simply by taking the survey*, you will go in the draw to WIN \$50 deposited into your LLL account...
we have 20 x \$50 to give away.

To enter, visit: www.lll.org.au/survey

*Terms and Conditions: Survey open 17 May – 25 June. Entrant must be a current depositor with the Lutheran Laypeople's League (LLL) and provide the LLL with their contact details to enter. Full Terms & Conditions available at www.lll.org.au/survey



See the notice board for this week's LCC bulletin news, for more information contact the church office

LCC
Winter Appeal
envelopes are available from the church foyer



Packing Prayers And Love Into Shoeboxes



Have you started to get items ready for your shoebox - if you need ideas please contact the church office

Samaritan's Purse Shoe Box of Love are looking for more volunteers to assist in our area visiting churches etc.

If you can help please contact Paul 0406 914 399

Some of you may have noticed **padded seating** on a couple of the church pews in church.

The Service Guild have put a few around just to see what the reaction is. We eventually hope to do the whole church. We have funds but may need assistance. Each cushion costs approx. \$100. Any donations would be greatly appreciated towards this project. **Please earmark for cushions** and put in offering plate or give to Julie Mueller, Joyce Stiller or the church office. Thank you, Joyce Stiller & Julie Mueller

Have you passed on your feedback?



SENT 2017 CONFERENCE Adelaide – 13 & 14 October 2017

Register here: www.lca.org.au/sent

Friday 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm

Saturday 9.00 am – 4.00 pm

Registration: \$65 (lunch included)

Early bird special: **\$50 before 30**

June

Come and see, hear, imagine, dream and be refreshed with an ever growing network of people engaged in local mission and church planting at **SENT 2017**.

LCA Young Adults National Retreat

is being held at
Victor Harbor

6-12th Jan 2018.

The theme is
Baptism and Salvation

Further details: youngadultsnational.wixsite.com/retreat or on Facebook:

[w.facebook.com/
events/892964560806539](https://www.facebook.com/events/892964560806539)

NOT ASHAMED

GROWING CONFIDENCE
IN JESUS' LOVING TRUTH

AUSTRALIAN
NATIONAL
TOUR
JULY 2017

with
Andrea Williams
CEO, Christian Concern, UK



YOU ARE INVITED TO
THIS UNMISSABLE EVENT! ADELAIDE
22 JULY

South Australian Dinner

Saturday 22 July

6pm for 6.30pm start

at Fogolar Furlan, 69 Briar Road, Felixstow

\$60 per person for a 3-course dinner

RSVP: Friday 14 July

What would our society look like if God's loving truth was silenced?

Andrea Williams is one of the UK's leading Christian voices. She has been using her skills as a barrister to help defend Christians for following their faith.

www.notashamed.org.au

See the notice board for more information

Parents of children 11 years and older who would like to be admitted to Holy Communion:

Pastor Tim and Pastor Greg will be offering a three-week **"Step up to Communion"** program in October in conjunction with the current Confirmation program.



This program will offer your child instruction in the meaning and the significance of Holy Communion, culminating with Admission to the Sacrament of the Altar.

*The program will run at 7:00pm on
Wednesdays 18th and 25th October and 1st November.*

Your child will need to be accompanied by a parent/adult at each session.

Admission to the Sacrament of the Altar will take place as part of the weekly worship service on *Sunday 19th November* at your home congregation (Christ Church or Holy Cross).

Please contact Pastor Tim or Pastor Greg if your child would like to be part of the program.

Myanmar News Update - Damadi Centre New Children Needing Sponsorship

In recent emails from Pastor Martin, Lutheran Church of Myanmar he has advised us that Damadi Centre has received 8 new children who need the care and love of the staff at Damadi. Asia Focus Australia (AFA) has been asked to find sponsors for the new children. The children range in age from 5 years to 8 years and come to Damadi as they are not able to be cared for by their families due to poor health, marital problems and death. The cost to sponsor a child is \$650 p.a. which is just over \$54-00 per month and provides for the child's education, living expenses and medical care. All money paid for sponsorship goes to Damadi Centre for the child. AFA. has no admin costs as all people involved are volunteers including Pastor August the CEO. Information is provided on Damadi via newsletters from the Myanmar SA committee and official AFA magazine FIRE.

If you have any queries or are interested please contact Kluge's. Email i.kluge@bigpond.com, 8531 3449 home or 0427 313537 Mob. *Dianne/Ian Kluge*



Sausage Sizzle and Trading Table today in conjunction with the Gifts & Abilities Expo

for we are God's **MASTERPIECE**,
He has created us anew in Christ
So we can do the good things
He planned for us long ago.

Ephesians 2:10

Gifts and Abilities....
Putting Jesus' Love
to Work

Please continue to
pray and ask
God what he
wants you to do

**Return your forms today
or tomorrow to the office**

God blesses us
not to raise our
standard of living
but our
standard of giving

PRAYER IS
THE MOST
IMPORTANT
CONVERSATION
OF YOUR DAY.
TAKE IT TO GOD
BEFORE YOU
TAKE IT TO
ANYONE ELSE!

18 June 2017
Jesus sends
us out.



Growing FAITH at home

Second Sunday after Pentecost
The colour of the season is GREEN to remind us of growth, life and hope.

FAITH 5

creative response

Sunday's after Pentecost represent 'time of the church' – During the season between Christmas and Lent, we focus on the work of the Church in the world, Jesus' message to us, and our growth in Christ.

verse for the week

Jesus said to his disciples,
"The harvest is great, but
the workers are few. So
pray to the Lord who is in
charge of the harvest;
ask him to send more
workers into his fields."

MATTHEW 9:37-38

mealttime prayer

Lord of the harvest, thank
you for feeding us with
the fruits of the earth.
Make us ready to serve
as workers in your
harvest fields. Amen.



share

Your highs and lows of the day, or respond to the following question:
Have I been a sign of God's presence and love to the people I met today?



read

Daily Bible Readings

S	Matthew 9:35 – 10:23	The sending of the twelve
M	Luke 6:12-19	Jesus chooses the twelve
T	Luke 10:1-11,16-20	The sending of the seventy-two
W	Exodus 3:1-14	God sends Moses
T	1 Thessalonians 3:1-5	The sending of Timothy
F	2 Thessalonians 2:13 – 3:5	The life of those God chooses
S	Psalms 106:1-5,47-48	Remember me, O Lord
S	Matthew 10:24-39	The call and cost of discipleship



talk

- Imagine that you are going on a walking trip to another town tomorrow. What will you take along with you?
- Jesus sent out his disciples on a special trip to tell others about him (with very little). Share about a time when you told someone else about Jesus.
- Who in your community needs to know of Jesus' love for them? How can you show them his love?



pray

The prayer for the week
Pour your love into our hearts, God, and let it overflow to others. Amen.
And for your highs and lows, for your family and for the world.



bless

Share this week's blessing (below) or make up your own.
May the Lord bless you as his treasured possession. Amen.

In Exodus 19:5-6 we read that God called the people of Israel his "holy priests". The New Testament calls all Christians "royal priests" (1 Peter 2:9). The role of a priest is to worship God on behalf of others, to pray for others, and to share God's word with others.

Old Testament priests were anointed or marked with oil when they began to serve God. Take a few moments this week to remind one another that you too are God's priests.

Put a small amount of olive oil in a bowl and make the sign of the cross on each other's foreheads.

Say these words: **(Name), you are one of God's priests, called to worship and serve him. May God give you all you need to do his will. Amen.**